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File No. 16-0037-S3

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR AND MEMBER, PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE, relative to the donation of a venue, decorations, food, parking, entertainment and door prizes for the benefit of the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Southeast Area.

Recommendation for Council action:

ACCEPT the donation of a venue, decorations, food, parking, entertainment and door prizes valued at \$25,000, from the Los Angeles Police Foundation for the benefit of the LAPD Southeast Area; and, THANK the donor for this generous donation.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Board of Police Commissioners. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

In a report to the Board of Police Commissioners dated January 15, 2016, attached to the Council file, the LAPD recommends that the Board approve the donation of a venue, decorations, food, parking, entertainment and door prizes from the Los Angeles Police Foundation valued at \$25,000 for the benefit of the LAPD Southeast Area. The LAPD reports that the donation was made by a private donor to the restricted divisional account for Southeast Area specifically for the benefit of the employees of that division. These funds will be utilized to pay for the 2015 Southeast Area Holiday Party. A divisional holiday party is one of the few opportunities personnel have to gather and celebrate their collective achievements. Southeast Area has established a restricted funds account through the Los Angeles Police Foundation for such endeavors. No expressed or implied commitments or promises were made to the donor or representatives of the donor. The donor will not receive any preferential treatment, endorsement, or recommendation; and the donor is not allowed the use of any Department patents. After further discussion of the matter, the Committee recommended that Council approve the donation of a venue, decorations, food, parking, entertainment and door prizes for the benefit of the LAPD Southwest Area, as recommended by the Board of Police Commissioners, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
ENGLANDER:	YES
BUSCAINO:	ABSENT

BONIN: ABSENT
O'FARRELL: YES
MARTINEZ: ABSENT

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