To: The Council Date: May 6, 2016

From: Mayor Council District:

Proposed General Plan Amendment to Amend the Public Recreation Plan, a Portion of the Service Systems Element of the General Plan

I herewith concur with the City Planning Commission's action and transmit this matter for your consideration.

ERIĆ GARCETTI Mayor

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Date: APR 1 5 2016

City Plan Case No. 2015-2328-CA-GPA

Honorable Eric Garcetti, Mayor City of Los Angeles City Hall, Room 305 Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Mayor Garcetti:

A PROPOSED GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC RECREATION PLAN, A PORTION OF THE SERVICE SYSTEMS ELEMENT OF THE GENERAL PLAN.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 551, 555 and 558 of the City Charter, transmitted herewith is the March 24, 2016 action of the City Planning Commission approving a proposed General Plan Amendment to the Public Recreation Plan, a portion of the Service Systems Element of the General Plan, to revise outdated definitions of recreation sites and facilities to reflect the current conditions and needs for park and recreational space.

The proposed General Plan Amendment is submitted to you for your recommendation, which is to be forwarded to the City Council as specified by Section 11.5.6 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code.

The City Planning Commission, as evidenced by the attached Findings, has determined that the proposed amendment will be consistent with the City's General Plan.

Your action is requested on the proposed plan amendment as specified by Section 11.5.6 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code. The related proposed Park Fees Ordinance will be transmitted to you following the City Council's action.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Mayor:

- 1. <u>Concur</u> in the attached action of the City Planning Commission relative to its approval of the proposed General Plan Amendment; and
- 2. Recommend that the City Council adopt the attached Findings of the City Planning Commission relative to the General Plan Amendment; and
- 3. Recommend that the Council adopt, by Resolution, the plan amendment, as shown in the attached exhibit; and
- 4. Recommend that the City Council direct staff to revise the Public Recreation Plan in accordance with this action.

Very truly yours,

VINCENT P. BERTONI, AICP Director of Planning

Thomas Rothmann Principal City Planner

Attachments:

- 1. City Plan Case File
- 2. Resolution
- 3. City Council Package

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Date: APR 1 5 2016

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Honorable City Council City of Los Angeles City Hall, Room 395 Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Councilmembers:

A PROPOSED GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC RECREATION PLAN, A PORTION OF THE SERVICE SYSTEMS ELEMENT OF THE GENERAL PLAN, AND PROPOSED PARK FEES ORDINANCE.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 551, 555 and 558 of the City Charter, transmitted herewith is the March 24, 2016 action of the City Planning Commission approving a proposed General Plan Amendment to the Public Recreation Plan, a portion of the Service Systems Element of the General Plan, to revise outdated definitions of recreation sites and facilities to reflect the current conditions and needs for park and recreational space. The City Planning Commission also approved the proposed Park Fees Ordinance, as set forth in the attached exhibits.

The City Planning Commission, as evidenced by the attached Findings, has determined that the proposed General Plan Amendment and ordinance will be consistent with the City's General Plan.

The proposed General Plan Amendment was submitted to the Mayor whose recommendation will be forwarded to you as specified in Section 11.5.6 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code.

RECOMMENDATION

That the City Council:

- 1. <u>Concur</u> in the attached action of the City Planning Commission relative to its approval of the proposed General Plan Amendment; and
- Adopt the attached Findings of the City Planning Commission as the Findings of the City Council; and
- 3. Adopt, by Resolution, the proposed General Plan Amendment to the Public Recreation Plan, a portion of the Service Systems Element of the General Plan, as set forth in the attached exhibit; and
- 4. Adopt the Park Fees Ordinance, as set forth in the attached exhibit; and
- Find that the proposed project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); and Adopt the related environmental Findings; and
- 6. Direct staff to revise the Public Recreation Plan in accordance with this action.

Very truly yours,

VINCENT P. BERTONI, AICP Director of Planning

Thomas Rothmann Principal City Planner

Attachments:

- 1. City Plan Case File
- 2. Resolution
- 3. City Planning Commission action, including Findings