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REQUEST FOR REPORT

At its meeting held on May 17, 2016, the Planning and Land Use Management (PLUM) Committee considered a report from the Los Angeles City Planning Commission (LACPC) relative to a proposed Resolution to amend the definitions of park sites and recreational amenities and facilities within the Public Recreation Plan of the Service Systems Element of the City's General Plan; and a proposed Ordinance amending Sections 12.21, 12.33, 17.03, 17.07, 17.12, 17.58 and 19.17 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to modernize the City's Park Fee (currently the Quimby and Finn fees).

During discussion, the Committee requested the following reports from the Department of City Planning and the Department of Recreation and Parks, with the assistance of the City Administrative Officer:

1. Report annually for the first three (3) years of implementation and to provide as needed, recommendations for updating the fee;
2. Compare Los Angeles to other Cities in fees, not limited to park fees, that are part of housing development;
3. Of fees on housing development, identify which are geographically limited in where they can be spent and which are flexible;
4. Identify equity-based strategies to provide parks and recreation in lower-income areas/areas where there is less fee revenue generated;
5. Review AB 1359 to provide optimum use to the City;
6. Present GIS maps of available Quimby fees to the Committee.

Please prepare a response as requested by the PLUM Committee. When this matter is scheduled for Committee consideration, your attendance, or that of your designee, is respectfully requested.

Sincerely,

Sharon Dickinson
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Planning and Land Use Management Committee