File No. <u>17-0002-S134</u>

RULES, ELECTIONS, AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding HR 4013 (Maloney), which would appropriate funding to address the budgetary shortfall essential to complete the 2020 Decennial Census.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Wesson - Englander), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2017-18 Federal Legislative Program, SUPPORT for HR 4013 (Maloney), which would appropriate funding to address the budgetary shortfall essential to complete the 2020 Decennial Census.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

<u>SUMMARY</u>

In a report to the Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee dated February 6, 2018, the CLA discusses Resolution (Wesson - Englander) regarding HR 4013 (Maloney), which would appropriate funding to address the budgetary shortfall essential to complete the 2020 Decennial Census. According to the Resolution, the 2020 Census will cost an estimated \$15.6 billion for which there is a substantial budgetary shortfall. Resolution notes that HR 4013 would address this shortfall by appropriating funds and by requiring the Secretary of Commerce to submit expenditure plans to the House Appropriations Committee.

Resolution states that there are many communities in the City of Los Angeles that require targeted outreach plans in order to adequately determine their population. A lack of funding for the 2020 Census would have an adverse impact on the Census Bureau's ability to conduct an accurate population count that may impact the City's federal funding allocations. Resolution recommends that the City support HR 4013. The CLA recommends that Council adopt Resolution. Support for HR 4013 is consistent with the City's previous position to support the Census and ensure an accurate population count. On October 11, 2017, HR 4013 was referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.

At its special meeting held February 7, 2018, the Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee recommended that Council adopt the accompanying Resolution, as recommended by the CLA.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee

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