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ERIC GARCETTI MAYOR

November 17, 2017

The Los Angeles City Council City Hall, Los Angeles, California

REGARDING: ASSESSMENT BALLOT PROCEEDING FOR

IRVINE AVENUE AND WEDDINGTON STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT

COUNCIL FILE NUMBER 17-0900-S89

Honorable Councilmembers:

In accordance with Proposition 218, the City of Los Angeles provided notice to the property owners of the parcels in the proposed Irvine Avenue and Weddington Street Lighting District, as specified in the subject Council File. Along with that notice, each property owner received an assessment ballot weighted by the amount of the parcel's proposed assessment. I have tabulated the assessment ballots delivered to my office by the final hearing date of November 8, 2017.

The proposed assessment district failed because it received a weighted majority of "no" ballots as defined in Article XIII D (Proposition 218) of the State Constitution. As a result, the City may not impose an assessment for the improvement and maintenance of lighting in the proposed district. The certified results of the tabulations are attached. I have also forwarded a copy of these results to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Street Lighting, for their information.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COUNCIL ACTION:

In accordance with Council policy adopted on December 19, 1997 (CF 97-0843) and the report of the Board of Public Works adopted by the Council on May 9, 1998:

- 1. FIND that a majority protest exists in the Street Lighting Maintenance Assessment District and therefore the proposed assessment cannot be enacted.
- 2. ADOPT the abandoning Ordinance attached to the Council File.
- 3. INSTRUCT the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, to assure that the streetlights are not installed or are removed from service if previously installed, in accordance with Council policy.

Sincerely,

HOLLY L. WOLCOTT

City Clerk

Attachments

cc: Department of Public Works, Bureau of Street Lighting

STATE OF CALIFORNIA	)
	) SS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES	)

I, HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, hereby certify to the City Council that two ballots were submitted on or before November 8, 2017, in connection with the assessment ballot proceeding for the proposed Irvine Avenue and Weddington Street Lighting Maintenance Assessment District, as specified in Council File Number 17-0900-S89. I further certify the attached report to be a true, correct and complete tabulation of the returns of that assessment ballot proceeding.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this day of November 2017.

Sincerely,

HOLLY L. WOLCOTT City Clerk

## Proposition 218 Assessment Ballot Tabulation for Irvine Avenue & Weddington Street Lighting District

### Final Public Hearing November 8, 2017

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### **Ballot Tally**

Assmnt	County	Owner	Assessment	t Ballot	W	eighted	Vote	No Vote/
No.	APN		Weight	Vote Y/N	Yes	3	No	Challenged
1	2348-006-043	CHRIS & ALISA ADELMAN FAMILY TRUST & CRAIG KNIZEK TRUST	\$92.91	N		\$	92.91	
2	2348-004-062	DOUGLAS & DEBORAH HILD TRUST	\$71.47	N		\$	71.47	
	2	TOTAL	\$164.38		\$	- \$	164.38	
	2	TOTAL VOTES		2	0		2	0

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Voting/Ballot Summary				
Vote	Weighted Total	Assessment Percent of Votes Cast	Number of Ballots	
Yes	\$0.00	0.00%	0	
No	\$164.38	100.00%	2	
No Vote			0	
Challenged			0	

	Asses	sment District Summary	
	Total	Voted	Percent
Parcels	2	2	100%
Assessment	\$164.38	\$164.38	100%