

ACCELERATED REVIEW PROCESS - I

Office of the City Engineer

Los Angeles, California

To the Honorable Council

Of the City of Los Angeles

August 22, 2017

Honorable Members:

C. D. No. 2

SUBJECT:

Initiation of Vacation Proceedings - Ventura Boulevard (Portion of Southwesterly Side) from approximately 190 feet to 312 feet Westerly of Whitsett Avenue (Vacation District) - VAC - E1401317

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That upon adoption of this report, the vacation proceeding to vacate portion of southwesterly side of Ventura Boulevard from approximately 190 feet to 312 feet westerly of Whitsett Avenue (vacation district) as shown on Exhibit A, be initiated pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law.
- B. That the Bureau of Engineering be directed to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
- C. That the Bureau of Engineering present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested area to the Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee.
- D. That upon consideration and approval by the Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee, the City Clerk be directed to coordinate with the Chair, subject to the concurrence of the Council President and schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time consistent with the public hearing requirement under California Street and Highways Code Section 8320.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

A fee of \$14,980.00 was paid by the petitioner for the investigation of this request pursuant to Section 7.42 of the Administrative Code. Any deficit fee to recover the cost pursuant to Section 7.44 of the Administrative Code will be required of the petitioner.

TRANSMITTALS:

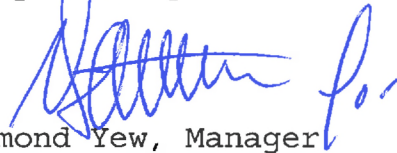
1. Application dated July 10, 2017 from Kimberlina Whettam & Associates.
2. Exhibit A

DISCUSSION:

The petitioner, Kimberlina Whettam & Associates representing 12564 Ventura Boulevard LLC, owner of the properties, is requesting the City to vacate portion of southwesterly side of Ventura Boulevard from approximately 190 feet to 312 feet westerly of Whitsett Avenue (vacation district) to consolidate the adjoining properties for the development of proposed commercial building and parking spaces.

The adoption of the recommendations does not constitute or imply approval of the vacation.

Respectfully submitted,



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