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to this matter, please refer to  
the **Council File No. 17-0981**

May 3, 2018

Honorable Councilmember Jose Huizar, Chair  
Planning and Land Use Management (PLUM) Committee

Attn: Sharon Dickinson, Legislative Assistant – PLUM Committee

**RE: COUNCIL FILE TRANSMITTAL**

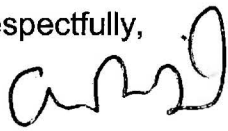
On April 18, 2018 the Ad Hoc Committee on Job Creation considered a report from the Department of City Planning relative creation of an administrative process for on-site alcohol consumption subject to a standard set of operational standards.

The Ad Hoc Committee on Job Creation approved the following recommendations:

1. INSTRUCT the Department of City Planning (DCP), with the assistance of the City Attorney, to draft an Ordinance amending Zoning Code Sections 12.22 and 12.24 to create an administrative process for business that meet the Prospective Standard Limitations, and include:
  - a. Clarification that Prospective Standard Limitation No. 25 (of the Attachment to the DCP report dated March 21, 2018) will not prohibit outdoor dining if the project is abutting or across an alley from an agricultural or residential zoned lot, but would do so if the project's outdoor dining area is abutting or across an alley from such zones.
  - b. A requirement that that the DCP provide notification to Neighborhood Councils of an application in their areas along with the Prospective Standard Limitations by which the business would have to abide.
  - c. A more detailed definition of what constitutes background music or ambient music.
2. INSTRUCT the DCP to hold staff-level public hearings on this matter and report to the Ad Hoc Committee on Comprehensive Job Creation Plan and PLUM Committee with the draft Ordinance.

This matter is hereby transmitted to the PLUM Committee for consideration.

Respectfully,

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ADAM R. LID  
Legislative Assistant  
Ad Hoc Committee on Job Creation

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