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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (EIR) and PUBLIC WORKS AND GANG REDUCTION COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the certification of the Los Angeles Trans-Pacific Telecommunications Cable Hub Environmental Impact Report (State Clearinghouse No. 2016101050); and consideration of the Los Angeles Trans-Pacific Telecommunications Cable Hub Project (Project).

Recommendations for Council action:

- 1. CERTIFY that the EIR (Transmittal Nos. 1 and 2 of the Board of Public Works [BPW] report dated October 8, attached to the Council file) was completed in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act; that the EIR was presented to the Council, as the decision-making body of the City, and that the Council reviewed and considered the information contained in the EIR; and that the EIR reflects and expresses the City's independent judgment and analysis.
- 2. ADOPT the Findings and Statement of Overriding Considerations (Transmittal No. 3 of the said BPW report).
- 3. ADOPT the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program (Transmittal No. 4 of the said BPW report).
- 4. SPECIFY that the documents constituting the record of proceedings in this matter are in the custody of the City Clerk's Office.
- 5. APPROVE the Project as described in the Final EIR as it relates to issuance of the Notice of Decision for the Local Coastal Development Permit (CDP); and, INSTRUCT the Bureau of Engineering to proceed with the processing of the Local CDP Application.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: The BPW reports that, as this is a privately financed project, there is no impact to the General Fund.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At the meeting held on November 1, 2017, your Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee considered a BPW report relative to the certification of the Los Angeles Trans-Pacific Telecommunications Cable Hub EIR, Findings and Statement of Overriding Considerations, and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; and consideration of the Los Angeles Trans-Pacific Telecommunications Cable Hub Project. After an opportunity for public comment was held, the Committee moved to approve the BPW's recommendations, as detailed above.

This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC WORKS AND GANG REDUCTION COMMITTEE

MEMBER

BLUMENFIELD: YES BUSCAINO:

MARTINEZ:

ABSENT YES

RYU:

YES

RODRIGUEZ:

ABSENT

ME

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