MOTION HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY

I MOVE that the Council Action of June 29, 2018 relative to the potential use of City-owned property located at 682 South Vermont Avenue (Lot 691) for development as a crisis and bridge housing facility (CF 18-0392) BE AMENDED to RESCIND Recommendation No. 1 and ADOPT the following recommendations in lieu of Recommendation No. 1, with all other aspects of the Action to remain unchanged.

- 1. INSTRUCT the City Administrative Officer (CAO), with the assistance of the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA), the Bureau of Engineering (BOE), LAHSA, and any other affected City stakeholders, to evaluate the City-owned site at Wilshire Boulevard and Hoover Street (APN: 5077006901) to determine if the property is suitable for development as a crisis and bridge housing facility; require the City staff to return with the findings; require a one year contract with two one year extensions (for a total of three years); require 24/7 private security and LAPD patrols of the site, including the surrounding businesses and residences; require the capability to provide culturally and language (i.e. Korean, Spanish, etc.) appropriate services for the site; and provide mental health, employment, addiction, housing placement services, and wellness resources.
 - a. INSTRUCT the Department of Recreation and Parks, with the assistance of the CAO, to report back with recommendations and funding options to temporarily replace the tennis courts in close proximity to the site during the term of the crisis and bridge housing facility.
 - b. INSTRUCT the CAO, with the assistance of the City Attorney and the Department of Recreation and Parks, to report back on options for utilizing the site as a Proposition HHH-funded permanent supportive housing project.

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