RULES, ELECTIONS, AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT AND RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding legislation that protects current funding levels and increases budgets for Federal and State agencies that support arts organizations.

Recommendation for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2019-20 Federal Legislative Program:

- a. SUPPORT for any legislation or administrative action that protects the current funding level and increases the budget for the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services.
- b. SUPPORT for any legislation or administrative action that protects the current funding level and increases the budget for the California Arts Council, and for Department of Education Arts and Educational Programming.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst. The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

<u>Community Impact Statement</u>: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At a special meeting held on February 7, 2020, the Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered the CLA report and accompanying Resolution relative to establishing the City's position regarding the protection of current funding levels and increasing budgets for Federal and State agencies that provide funding to arts organizations, as recommended by the Department of Cultural Affairs. After providing the opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to adopt the Resolution. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS, AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

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