The attached reports from General Services (GSD) were waived by the Municipal Facilities Committee (MFC) and are hereby transmitted for Council consideration. The MFC previously approved this lease at its September 2018 meeting. Council moved to authorize GSD to execute a three-year lease agreement with B.F.P.Z. LLC., and a sublease with Home at Last CDC to operate the Bridge Housing Facility on March 1, 2019. During this time, material terms of the lease were revised, which require an amended report.

Adoption of the reports’ recommendations would authorize GSD to negotiate and execute a new lease with B.F.P.Z., LLC for a portion of a privately-owned facility at 1426 Paloma St., Los Angeles, CA, 90021, for use as a bridge housing facility. The companion report is being concurrently submitted for approval, detailing the terms of the sublease with the designated site operator, Home At Last CDC.

This A Bridge Home site is being developed in partnership with the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services (DHS). The City will lease a privately owned, 17,917 square foot portion of a warehouse for $35,000 monthly rent; and the County DHS will pay for the site’s tenant improvements. The City will pay the rent for the first three (3) years, totaling $1.295M; the County will pay for the services for the 120-bed site. After the City’s three- year lease expires, the County will take over the lease and continue to provide fund the services on the site.

**Fiscal Impact**

The project has no impact on the General Fund as leasing expenses are funded through the State Homeless Emergency Aid Program.

Richard H. Llewellyn, Jr.
City Administrative Officer
Chair, Municipal Facilities Committee
April 17, 2019

Honorable City Council
City of Los Angeles
c/o City Clerk
Room 395, City Hall
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Attention: Leyla Campos, Legislative Assistant

REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE A NEW LEASE AT 1426 PALOMA STREET FOR USE AS A BRIDGE HOUSING FACILITY

At the September 2018 meeting, the Municipal Facilities Committee approved a new lease at 1426 Paloma Street for use as a Bridge Housing Facility. This lease was held in Committee and subsequently approved by City Council on March 1, 2019. During this time, material terms of the lease were revised and now require an amended report and Council action. These revisions include revised square footage and option details and are more fully explained below.

BACKGROUND

The original Council motion (C.F. 18-0628) instructed GSD to negotiate and execute a new lease with B.F.P.Z., LLC for a portion of the privately-owned facility at 1426 Paloma Street. The Council motion also instructed the City Homeless Coordinator to coordinate with the County of Los Angeles Department of Health Services (DHS) to identify funds for interim housing operations at this site, including, but not limited to County Measure H revenue.

The County DHS requested the City’s assistance in leasing a privately owned 17,917 square foot portion of a warehouse for an interim homeless shelter holding approximately 120 beds. The County will fund the tenant improvements for the project.

In addition to providing funding for lease costs, City participation in the lease for this project will allow for more than 30 beds by right pursuant to the City Homeless
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SHELTER SERVICES

The shelter will be operated by a non-profit organization, Home-At-Last CDC. A companion report on the terms of the sublease between the City and this non-profit is being concurrently submitted for Council approval.

The facility will operate 24/7 and will be staffed with experienced security personnel that have expertise and specific training with homeless populations. Program participants will remain at this shelter until they identify permanent housing or choose to exit the program. Program terms average between four to six months. The supportive services will be funded by DHS for three years with an option for service contract renewal at an estimated annual cost of $4M. Services will include mental health, substance abuse, case management and health oversight.

Funding for the facility operation will be administered by Brilliant Corners through a contract with DHS. Brilliant Corners is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit supportive housing agency servicing people with developmental disabilities and individuals transitioning from homelessness. They will channel funding from DHS to Home-At-Last CDC.

MAINTENANCE, INSURANCE AND TAXES

The property owner's responsibility includes maintenance of the major building systems including the heating, ventilation, air conditioning, water heater, fire alarm and sprinkler system. Maintenance of the building will include exterior walls, structural condition of interior walls, exterior roof, plumbing and electrical systems. The owner is also responsible for the property's related taxes and insurance payments.

Through the sublease, Home-At-Last CDC will ultimately be responsible for the custodial, maintenance of lighting fixtures, smoke detectors, fire extinguishers and exterior maintenance of the building lighting and basic maintenance of plumbing such as clogged drains. They will also pay for utilities and insurance for contents and liability. The City will ultimately have no maintenance responsibilities.

TENANT IMPROVEMENTS

The estimated cost of the proposed TI's is budgeted at approximately $595,460 which will be primarily financed by the DHS. The owner will also coordinate with DHS to contribute $30,000. The commercial renovation includes demolition, carpentry, steel framing, flooring, and interior paint. The non-profit tenant Home-At-Last will complete modifications as outlined in a final scope of design and improvements agreed upon by the owner, the County and themselves prior to lease execution.
MARKET ANALYSIS

A recent market analysis showed the price per square foot (psf) for a similar location and type of warehouse space ranges from $0.88 to $2.95. This lease has a psf of approximately $1.95. This rental rate is within the range of the Fair Market Rental Rate (FMRR).

The total rentable square footage is approximately 17,917 x $1.95 = $34,938 monthly, rounded to $35,000 monthly. The lease payments for three years, plus the security deposit of $35,000 is approximately $1.295M.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The proposed lease will include the following:

LOCATION: 1426 Paloma Street, Los Angeles, CA 90021

LANDLORD: B.F.P.Z., LLC.

USE: Homeless Housing

SQUARE FEET: Approximately 17,917 rentable square feet within an existing warehouse (approximately half the warehouse)

TERM: Three years (36 months)

RENTAL RATE: $35,000 per month, $420,000 annually, to commence upon execution of the lease, prior to completion of TIs.

ESCALATIONS: None for first three years, 5% each for year one and year four out of the seven year option term

OPTIONS: One seven year option

ADDITIONAL RENT: No pass through rent; landlord pays property taxes and insurance. Tenant is not obligated to pay common area expenses.

SECURITY DEPOSIT: $35,000 equal to one month’s rent

UTILITIES: Tenant (sublease) pays for utilities that serve premises only

PARKING: Tenant shall have sole right to use, at no additional cost, six on-site reserved parking spaces, of which at least two shall be ADA compliant and accessible.
SUB-LET
CLAUSE: Permission to sub-let

TENANT IMPROVEMENT: Demolition, carpentry, steel framing, flooring, and interior paint. Home-At-Last will complete modifications as outlined in a scope of work agreed to in writing by the landlord, the County and sub-lessee. Landlord will contribute $30,000 towards modifications.

CUSTODIAL: Tenant (sub-lessee) shall provide its own custodial services for the premises.

SECURITY: Tenant (sub-lessee) shall provide adequate security onsite at all times; the security personnel shall have experience and special training in working with the homeless population.

PROPERTY TAXES: Landlord

INSURANCE: Landlord

MAINTENANCE: Landlord to maintain major building systems including heating, ventilation, air conditioning, water heaters, fire alarm and sprinkler system. Includes building exterior walls, structural condition of interior walls, exterior roof, plumbing and electrical systems. Tenant (sub-lessee) shall be responsible for day-to-day maintenance within premises.

COMMUNICATION AND FURNITURE

DHS will provide separate funding to accommodate the communication, data, staff phones, all the furniture, beds, office equipment, desks, chairs, and all the associated start up furnishing required to equip the facility.

FISCAL IMPACT

The annual lease expenditure is approximately $420,000. The Crisis and Bridge Housing Fund in the General City Purposes Budget will finance this lease.

RECOMMENDATION

1) That the Los Angeles City Council authorize the Department of General Services to negotiate and execute a lease with B.F.P.Z., LLC, under the terms and conditions outlined in this report and;
2) Authorize the Controller to transfer $1,295,000 from the General City Purposes Fund No. 100/56, Account 000931 to GSD Fund 100/40, Leasing Account 006030 for the purpose of funding the three year lease and security deposit at 1426 Paloma Street, Los Angeles, California.

Tony M. Royster
General Manager

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April 17, 2019

Honorable City Council
City of Los Angeles
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Attention: Leyla Campos, Legislative Assistant

REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE A NEW SUB-LEASE AT 1426 PALOMA STREET FOR USE AS A BRIDGE HOUSING FACILITY

The Department of General Services (GSD) requests authorization to negotiate and execute a new sub-lease with Home-At-Last Community Development Corporation (CDC), a non-profit corporation, at 1426 Paloma Street, Los Angeles, California as the program operator of this bridge housing facility.

BACKGROUND

On January 30, 2019, the City Council adopted a motion (C.F. 19-0106) instructing GSD to negotiate a three year lease agreement with the private owner of the property (owner) and a three year sub-lease agreement with Home-At-Last to operate the bridge housing program for the duration of the lease agreement with an option to renew.

The lease with the property owner was approved at the Municipal Facilities Committee meeting in September 2018. The lease was held in Committee due to community concerns and subsequently approved by City Council on March 1, 2019. During this time material terms of the lease were revised and now require an amended report and Council action. A companion report with revised terms between the City and property owner is being concurrently submitted with this report for City Council approval.

The County Department of Health Services (DHS) requested the City's assistance in leasing this privately owned 17,917 square foot portion of a warehouse and operating it
as an interim homeless shelter holding approximately 120 beds. The County will fund the
tenant improvements for the project. City participation in the lease will allow for more than
30 beds by right pursuant to the City Homeless Declaration, adopted by the City Council on
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will hold and fund the base rent of the lease for three years using Measure HHH Crisis and
Bridge Housing funds and also hold the zero cost lease with Home-At-Last to operate the
shelter.

SHELTER SERVICES

Through Home-At-Last, the facility will operate 24/7 and will be staffed with experienced
security personnel that have expertise and specific training with homeless populations.
Program participants will remain at this shelter until they identify permanent housing or
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outlined in a final scope of design and improvements agreed upon by the owner, the County
and themselves.
COMMUNITY BENEFIT ANALYSIS

This sub-lease agreement with Home-At-Last is established at no cost to the non-profit.

Inasmuch as 'A Bridge Home' is a City program formed to facilitate the implementation of temporary housing and the provision of social services for homeless individuals, this sublease, being necessary for implementation of the subject 'A Bridge Home' project, does not require further analysis of community benefits in support of the proposed contract consideration.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The proposed sub-lease will include the following:

LOCATION: 1426 Paloma Street, Los Angeles, CA 90021

LANDLORD: City of Los Angeles (Master leaseholder)

TENANT: Home-At-Last CDC (Non-Profit Program Operator)

USE: Homeless Housing

SQUARE FEET: Approximately 17,917 rentable square feet of space within an existing warehouse

TERM: Three years (36 months)

RENTAL RATE: Zero. Tenant shall operate the shelter and provide services in accordance with funding requirements from the County

ESCALATIONS: None

OPTIONS: Landlord has one (7) year option contingent upon the County.

ADDITIONAL RENT: No pass through rent; owner pays property taxes and insurance. Tenant is not obligated to pay common area expenses.

SECURITY DEPOSIT: None

UTILITIES: Home-At-Last to pay for utilities

PARKING: Tenant shall have the sole right to use, at no additional cost, six on-site reserved parking spaces, of which at least two shall be accessible to disabled individuals and in compliance with ADA.
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CLAUSE: No permission to sub-let

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COMMUNICATION AND FURNITURE

DHS will provide separate funding for communication, data, staff phones, furniture, beds, office equipment, desk, chairs, and all associated start up furnishing required to equip the facility.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no additional impact to the General Fund.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Los Angeles City Council authorize the Department of General Services to negotiate and execute a sub-lease with Home-At-Last CDC, under the terms and conditions outlined in this report for the property located at 1426 Paloma Street, Los Angeles, California.

Tony M. Royster
General Manager