

ERIC GARCETTI
MAYOR

December 19, 2018

Honorable Members of the City Council c/o City Clerk Room 395, City Hall

Re: <u>Appointment of Interim General Manager, Economic and Workforce Development</u>
Department: John Reamer

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Charter Section 508(c), I am appointing John Reamer as Interim General Manager of the Economic and Workforce Development Department, effective as of January 1, 2019.

I am confident that Mr. Reamer possesses the experience necessary to lead this department. Please join me in welcoming and supporting him in this new assignment.

Sincerely,

ERIC GARCETTI

Mayor

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Attachment

cc: Wendy Macy, Personnel Department Rich Liewellyn, CAO

Holly Wolcott, City Clerk Heather Holt, Ethics Commission Nicole Enriquez, Ethics Commission Sharon Tso, CLA
Dana Brown, Office of the CAO
Errol Griffin, Office of the CAO
General Managers' Association



John L. Reamer, Jr.

In August 2004 John L. Reamer, Jr., was confirmed as the Inspector of Public Works, Director of the Bureau of Contract Administration. The Bureau, one of five operating Bureaus in the City of Los Angeles' Department of Public Works, protects the City's interest through serving as an independent quality control and contract compliance agency.

As the City's Inspector of Public Works, Mr. Reamer ensures safe and quality public works construction for all work performed in the City's Public Right-of-Way. This includes construction performed by private contractors under permit and over \$6 billion in construction contracts awarded through various City departments.

Mr. Reamer, as the Bureau's Director, has City-wide responsibility to monitor and enforce federal, state and local wage and contracting laws. These responsibilities include overseeing the City's state-approved Labor Compliance Program, negotiating and administering the City's Project Labor Agreements, and administering several city ordinances such as Living Wage, the newly implemented Minimum Wage, and the Fair Chance Initiative for Hiring (Ban the Box).

His responsibilities also include coordination of the City's Business Inclusion Program, promoting opportunities for those who work on City projects by certifying minority, women, local, and small businesses and serving as the City's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Liaison Officer.