ACCELERATED REVIEW PROCESS - I

Office of the City Engineer

Los Angeles, California

To the Honorable Council

Of the City of Los Angeles May 14, 2019

Honorable Members: C. D. No. 2

SUBJECT:

Initiation of Vacation Proceedings - Canton Way between Laurel Canyon Boulevard and Canton Drive - VAC - E1401362

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That upon adoption of this report, the vacation proceeding to vacate Canton Way between Laurel Canyon Boulevard and Canton Drive, as shown on Exhibit A, be initiated pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law.
- B. That the Bureau of Engineering be directed to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
- C. That the Bureau of Engineering present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested area to the Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee.
- D. That upon consideration and approval by the Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee, the City Clerk be directed to coordinate with the Chair, subject to the concurrence of the Council President and schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time consistent with the public hearing requirement under California Street and Highways Code Section 8320.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

A fee of \$14,980.00 was paid by the petitioner for the investigation of this request pursuant to Section 7.42 of the Administrative Code. Any deficit fee to recover the cost pursuant to Section 7.44 of the Administrative Code will be required of the petitioner.

TRANSMITTALS:

- 1. Application dated March 29, 2019 from Amy Studarus.
- 2. Exhibit "A"

DISCUSSION:

The petitioner, Amy Studarus, on behalf of 11464 Canton Drive LLC, the owner of the properties, is requesting the City to vacate Canton Way between Laurel Canyon Boulevard and Canton Drive. The applicant stated the reason for the vacation is for landscape and utilize for yard and lot size benefits.

The adoption of the recommendations does not constitute or imply approval of the vacation.

Respectfully submitted,

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