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Honorable Members of the City Council Budget and Finance Committee
C/o Holly L. Wolcott, City Clerk
200 N. Spring Street, Room 395
Los Angeles, CA 90012

HOUSING + COMMUNITY INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT'S COMMENTS ON THE MAYOR'S FY 2019-20 PROPOSED BUDGET

Honorable Councilmembers:

The Housing + Community Investment Department (HCIDLA) is grateful for the funding and support included in the Mayor's FY 2019-20 Proposed Budget. Recognizing the City's limited availability of financial resources, and competing citywide programmatic demands, HCIDLA will continue to strive to operate within its budget.

The funding recommended for the department will support our progress towards the implementation of the goals outlined in our 2018-2021 Strategic Plan and our vision to be the champion for a Los Angeles free of poverty, homeless, and substandard housing.

We look forward to discussing our programs and proposed budget with the Committee. Should you have any questions or need additional information, I can be reached at (213) 808-8808.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Rushmore D. Cervantes".

Rushmore D. Cervantes
General Manager

cc: Councilmember Gilbert A. Cedillo, Chair of the Housing Committee
Councilmember Mitch O'Farrell, Chair of the Homeless and Poverty Committee
Matt Szabo, Deputy Chief of Staff
Brenda Shockley, Deputy Mayor for Economic Opportunity
Christina Miller, Deputy Mayor for City Homelessness Initiatives
Richard Llewellyn, City Administrative Officer