

**MOTION**

On February 14, 2018, the Council adopted a new planning fee ordinance (Council File No. 09-0969), based on a comprehensive fee study overseen by the Planning Department, amending Sections 19.00 through 19.10 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) to update fees for applications and appeals for planning approvals.

The new planning fee ordinance updates application, execution, and inspection fees for the Mills Act Historical Property Contract program, the City's most significant financial incentive program for historic preservation.

The City's Mills Act Ordinance is codified as part of the Administrative Code, sections 19.140 through 19.146. However, the new fee ordinance moves all Mills Act fees into LAMC Section 19.01.F, the code section that contains all other Planning Department fees. In relocating the Mills Act fees to the LAMC, the fee ordinance did not remove previous references to these fees that are contained in the Administrative Code.

**I THEREFORE MOVE** that the Council instruct the Planning Department, in consultation with the City Attorney, to prepare and present an ordinance to remove previous references to Mills Act fees that are contained in the Administrative Code, and thereby remove the existing fee amounts contained in Administrative Code Section 19.144, and instead to cross-reference the Mills Act fee amounts that are part of the newly adopted planning fee ordinance, and included as part Section 19.01.F of the Municipal Code.

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