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TRANSPORTATION

MOTION

In a previous action (C.F. No. 11-0333), City Council appropriated \$660,000 in Fiscal Year 2010-11 Measure R funding (Fund 51Q, Account 94302G) for Pedestrian Safety Devices, following Department of Transportation's recommendations to fund three traffic signal projects.

The Department of Transportation has completed design plans for these three traffic signal projects, which are ready for construction in Council Districts 7, 9, and 10: (1) left-turn phasing at Laurel Canyon Boulevard and Paxton Street; (2) a new signal at 84th Place and San Pedro Street; and (3) a new traffic signal at Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard and Nicolet Avenue. In order to expedite the implementation of these three critical projects, and to deliver the safety benefits to the community as soon as possible, it is requested that the City Council authorize DOT to construct the three signal projects through ongoing traffic signal construction contracts that DOT is administering. These traffic signal projects will enhance safety for pedestrians crossing these arterials in the vicinity of several schools and parks, including Ritchie Valens Park and Telfair Elementary School in Council District 7, South Park Elementary School in Council District 9, and Dorsey High School and Coliseum Elementary School in Council District 10.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor:

1. Authorize the Department of Transportation to issue non-participating change orders as part of an ongoing Automated Traffic Surveillance and Control (ATSAC) contracts, in order to expedite the construction and enhance safety at these three intersections;
2. Authorize the Department of Transportation to pay for the cost of the non-participating change orders directly from the Measure R Fund 51Q, Pedestrian Safety Devices Account No. 94302G; and
3. Authorize the Controller and the General Manager of the Department of Transportation to make any technical corrections or clarifications as necessary to the above instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion.

PRESENTED BY
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Councilmember, 10th District

SECONDED BY

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