

COMMUNICATION

TO: LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL

FILE NO. 11-0527-S2

**FROM: COUNCILMEMBER JOSE HUIZAR, CHAIR
ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE**

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR, ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE and RESOLUTION relative to the authority to accept \$950,000 in grant funds from the Mobile Source Air Pollution Reduction Review Committees (MSRC) 2012 Local Government Match Program for the Clean Fuel Program for Solid Resources Collection Vehicles.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. APPROVE the April 19, 2013 Bureau of Sanitation (BOS) report as attached to the Council file.
2. AUTHORIZE the Director of the BOS, or designee, to accept \$950,000 in grant funds from the MSRC, to conduct all negotiations, to provide additional information, and to execute and submit all documents, including, but not limited to, agreements, amendments, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality necessary to secure funding with respect to the purchase of 32 heavy duty natural gas powered Solid Resources Collection Vehicles (SRCV). Authority to apply for grant funding was authorized on March 8, 2012 per Council File No. 11-0527 (Transmittal No. 1).
3. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION (Transmittal No. 2) approving the acceptance of grant funding amount of \$950,000 and appointing the Director of the Bureau of Sanitation, or designee, to conduct all negotiations and to execute and submit all documents necessary to accept and expend grant funding for the purchase of 32 heavy-duty natural gas powered SRCV.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Board reports that the receipt of grant funds will enable the City to reduce the cost of purchasing 32 heavy duty natural gas powered SRCV from the Solid Waste Resources Revenue Bonds, Series 2013-A. Failure to accept funds in the amount \$950,000 from the MSRC will eliminate this funding available to the City of Los Angeles to help offset the cost of new SRCV. There is no negative financial impact on the General Fund.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On May 1, 2013, the Chair of the Energy and Environment Committee considered an April 19, 2013 BOS report and Resolution relative to the authority to accept \$950,000 in grant funds from the MSRC 2012 Local Government Match Program for the Clean Fuel Program for Solid Resources Collection Vehicles. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee Chair recommended approval of the BOS report and Resolution. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

COUNCILMEMBER JOSE HUIZAR, CHAIR
ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
HUIZAR:	YES
ZINE:	ABSENT
ALARCÓN:	ABSENT
KORETZ:	ABSENT
LABONGE	ABSENT

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