

Your **PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

reports as follows:

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Police Department's 2013 fees for Special Services and Police Permits.

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

1. REQUEST the City Attorney to draft the appropriate ordinance(s) to effectuate the recommended fees for Special Services and Police Permits contained in the Police Department's report to the Board of Police Commissioners dated June 7, 2012.
2. INSTRUCT the Police Department to identify additional businesses and activities which generate significant enforcement activities and report on the feasibility of permitting those businesses.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer (CAO) reports the proposed Special Services and Police Permits fees are estimated to generate an additional \$383,000 per year in revenues for the City, which is an increase from what is included in the 2012-13 Adopted Budget. The above recommendations comply with City financial policies inasmuch as the proposed fees are fair and recover the full cost of providing such services.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

### SUMMARY

In a report to the Mayor dated September 19, 2012 (attached to the Council file), the CAO recommends approval of the Police Department's 2013 fees for Special Services and Police Permits. The CAO states that the Police Commission issues permits for more than 50 different businesses and activities within the city of Los Angeles. Each permit has an associated fee, intended to recover the actual costs to the City for issuing the permits and administering and enforcing the permit programs. These permits ensure that businesses with a public safety element are operated by qualified persons. Business owners are required to obtain a permit before opening a new business or when a business has changed locations.

At its meeting held October 12, 2012, the Public Safety Committee recommended that Council request that the City Attorney prepare the ordinance(s) necessary to effectuate the proposed fees, as recommended by the Board of Police Commissioners and the CAO.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

MEMBER	VOTE
ENGLANDER:	YES
PERRY:	ABSENT
BUSCAINO:	YES
KREKORIAN:	ABSENT
ZINE:	YES

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