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August 12, 2013

Honorable City Council
c/o Office of the City Clerk
Room 395, City Hall
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ECONOMIC AND WORKFORCE DEPARTMENT (EWDD) RESPONSE TO OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK LETTER DATED AUGUST 9, 2013 REGARDING THE BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT PROGRAM TRANSFER AND SUPPORT: POSITIONS NECESSARY TO STAFF THE BID PROGRAM IN THE ECONOMIC AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

In an Office of the City Clerk letter dated August 9, 2013, referred to the Personnel and Animal Welfare and Budget and Finance Committees on August 12, 2013, as Council File 13-0600-S25, page six of the letter includes a statement that the "...report and its recommendations were viewed by the Interim General Manager of the Economic and Workforce Development Department who has indicated no objection".

While I did review the Office of the City Clerk report regarding the transfer of the Business Improvement District Program, I have not taken a position on this matter as I am awaiting the analysis of the City Administrative Officer (CAO) as to the feasibility and associated costs of the recommendations. In a meeting with City Clerk June Lagmay held on July 31, 2013, I indicated that I could not give my support until the CAO analysis was complete and requested that my name be taken off the report.

Sincerely,



JAN PERRY,

Interim General Manager

Cc: Honorable Paul Krekorian
Honorable Paul Koretz
Honorable Bob Blumenfield
Honorable Mike Bonin
Honorable Mitch O'Farrell
Honorable Felipe Fuentes
Honorable Mitchell Englander