

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION, PUBLIC WORKS AND GANG REDUCTION and BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEES' REPORT and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to waiving Class A Permit fees for a property owner repairing sidewalks adjoining his or her property.

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

1. FIND that this action is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Title 14, Chapter 3 of the California Code of Regulations Section 15301 covering existing facilities (which includes the repair of existing public structures or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of an existing use) and the City's CEQA Guidelines, Article III 1.a.3 (repair, maintenance or minor alteration of existing highways and streets, sidewalks, gutters).
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE, dated November 4, 2014, amending Subdivision 1 and adding Subdivision 3 to Subsection (e) of Section 62.109 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to waive Class A permit fees for a property owner repairing sidewalks adjoining his or her property.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the City Attorney. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At a special joint meeting held on March 14, 2016, the Public Works and Gang Reduction and Budget and Finance Committees considered a City Attorney report and Ordinance dated November 4, 2014 relative to amending the Los Angeles Municipal Code to waive Class A Permit fees for a property owner repairing sidewalks adjoining to his or her property.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Public Works and Gang Reduction and Budget and Finance Committees recommended that Council adopt the Ordinance. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC WORKS AND GANG REDUCTION COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
BUSCAINO:	YES
MARTINEZ:	YES
PRICE:	YES
O'FARRELL:	YES
RYU:	YES

BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
KREKORIAN:	YES
ENGLANDER:	ABSENT
KORETZ:	YES
BLUMENFIELD:	YES
BONIN:	YES

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