

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding the reauthorization of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Buscaino - Blumenfield), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2015-16 Federal Legislative Program SUPPORT for any proposal to reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the United States for five years, which would give certainty to U.S. exporters, large and small, while sending a message to the world that the U.S. is open for business.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At its special meeting of January 23, 2015, the Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered Resolution (Buscaino - Blumenfield) and a CLA report relative to establishing the City's position to support any proposal to reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the U.S. for five years, which would give certainty to U.S. exporters, large and small, while sending a message to the world that the U.S. is open for business. The CLA report, attached to the Council file, provides additional background information and a summary of the Resolution.

After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council adopt the accompanying Resolution. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

MEMBER VOTE

WESSON: YES

HUIZAR: ABSENT

LABONGE: YES