

**REPORT OF THE  
CHIEF LEGISLATIVE ANALYST**

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DATE: June 9, 2014

TO: Honorable Members of the Budget and Finance Committee

FROM: Gerry F. Miller *GF*  
Chief Legislative Analyst

Assignment No. 14-06-0439  
Council File No. 14-0251

**Donation of Surplus Parking Meters to the City of Lompoc**

Motion (Buscaino-Bonin) (C.F. 14-0251) proposes a below market sale of 20 obsolete City parking meters to the City of Lompoc, CA. Located in Santa Barbara County near Vandenberg Air Force Base, Lompoc is known as "The City of Arts and Flowers." Sec. 22.547 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code provides that surplus equipment may be sold for less than market value to an individual, organization, or governmental entity if the cost to discard, recycle or transport the surplus equipment would otherwise impose a documented net financial cost to the City. As these meters must be stored and/or transported for disposal, there is a net financial cost to the City and the City of Lompoc is eligible to receive this surplus equipment.

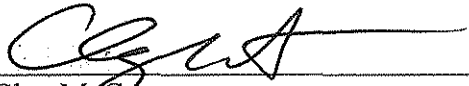
**RECOMMENDATIONS**

That the Council:

1. Find that the City of Lompoc is eligible to purchase twenty (20) obsolete parking meters at below market value (\$1.00 each), in accordance with LAAC Sec. 22.547 (Donation of Surplus City Equipment), as discarding/recycling/transporting the surplus equipment produces a net financial cost to the City which can be documented;
2. Request the City Attorney to expedite preparation of the appropriate documents to effectuate the sale and transfer of the above identified surplus equipment at below market value to the City of Lompoc; and
3. Instruct the City Clerk to inform the City of Lompoc that the surplus equipment must be claimed within 60 days from the date of Council approval of the request after which time it will revert to the City's surplus equipment pool for disposal by the Department of Transportation.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The fair market value of these meters has been estimated at \$100 each. Based on this estimation the City will forgo \$2,000 in revenue if these meters are donated to the City of Lompoc. The City will receive \$20 from this sale.

  
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Clay McCarter  
Analyst

Attachment: 1. Motion (Buscaino-Bonin).

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MOTION

The Fifteenth Council District (CD 15) has received a request to donate twenty parking meters to the City of Lompoc. The Department of Transportation can provide obsolete parking meters that have been decommissioned and will no longer be used.

Section 22.547 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code provides that upon Council approval, surplus City equipment may be sold for less than market value to an individual, organization or governmental entity if the cost to discard, recycle or transport the surplus equipment would otherwise impose a documented net financial cost to the City. As the obsolete parking meters must be stored and/or transported for disposal, thereby producing a net financial cost to the City, the City of Lompoc is eligible for this below market value sale of surplus equipment.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council:

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PRESENTED BY: Joe Buscaino  
JOE BUSCAINO  
Councilman, 15<sup>th</sup> District

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