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CD 12

BUDGET & FINANCE

MOTION

The Twelfth Council District (CD 12) has received a request to donate a surplus fire engine to the United Firefighters of Los Angeles City (UFLAC). As the labor representation organization of the men and women that serve as Los Angeles firefighters and emergency medical personnel, UFLAC is committed to the health and security of the Los Angeles Fire Department (LAFD). For many years, UFLAC has supported the LAFD Cadet Program, which provides youth with positive adult and peer role models; develops positive relationships, leadership qualities, and character; offers an opportunity to serve the community; and recruits quality male and female candidates into the fire service. The surplus fire engine would be a vital addition to the cadet program, and will also be used for recruitment efforts, the delivery of toys to disadvantaged families, and other services beneficial to the community. A 1993 Seagrave fire engine has been identified to meet the needs of this donation request.

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 a non-profit organization located in the City which has been established to further the services provided by the City. The use of this fire engine by UFLAC meets this requirement. The fire engine has an estimated fair market value of \$2,500 which will be forgone revenue should it be donated to UFLAC.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council:

1. Find that the United Firefighters of Los Angeles City is eligible to purchase one (1) fire engine (1993 Seagrave Equipment ID 60465) at below market value (\$1.00), in accordance with LAAC Sec. 22.547 (Donation of Surplus City Equipment), as UFLAC is a non-profit organization located in the City which has been established to further the services provided by the City;
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 UFLAC; and
3. Instruct the City Clerk to inform UFLAC [Frank Lima, 1571 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90026] 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 General Services.

PRESENTED BY:


MITCHELL ENGLANDER
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