

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding AB 96 (Atkins) which would prohibit the sale of ivory and rhinoceros horn in California.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Krekorian - Koretz - LaBonge - O'Farrell), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2015-16 State Legislative Program SUPPORT for AB 96 (Atkins) which would prohibit the sale of ivory and rhinoceros horn in California.

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: Yes.

For: Glassell Park Neighborhood Council

SUMMARY

At its special meeting of March 25, 2015, the Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered Resolution (Krekorian - Koretz - LaBonge - O'Farrell) and a CLA report relative to establishing the City's position to support AB 96 (Atkins) which would prohibit the sale of ivory and rhinoceros horn in California. 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

| <u>MEMBER</u> | <u>VOTE</u> |
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| WESSON: | YES |
| HUIZAR: | YES |
| LABONGE: | YES |