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MOTION

Wilmington Town Square Park is located in Council District 15 on Avalon Boulevard in the center of Wilmington’s historic commercial district. Surrounded by senior housing, shops, and other low to medium density residential, the park has become a blighted site. Many of the park’s features, including its drinking fountain, signage, benches, paths, and sidewalks are in disrepair. Funding to begin the process of revitalizing this park was first allocated in the amount of \$41,770 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds in the reprogramming of PY 41 (2015-16) (C.F. 15-1090). Council further provided \$100,000 in CDBG funding in PY 42 (2016-17) (C.F. 15-1041). Resources in the Century Boulevard Construction CDBG line item have been identified to provide the Wilmington Town Square Park with its full funding requirement.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor, reprogram \$680,000 from the PY 42 Century Boulevard Construction CDBG line item to the Wilmington Town Square Park project.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Housing and Community Investment Department be authorized to submit an amendment to the Consolidated Plan as necessary to effectuate the intent of this Motion and prepare Controller instructions and/or make any technical adjustments that may be required and are consistent with these actions, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer and instruct the Controller to implement these instructions.

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Councilmember, 15th District

SECONDED BY: [Signature]

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