

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the donation of four historical paintings for the benefit of the Los Angeles Fire Department (LAFD).

Recommendation for Council action:

ACCEPT the donation of four historical paintings valued at \$85,500, from Mr. William S. Phillips, for the benefit of the LAFD; and, THANK the donor for this generous donation.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Board of Fire Commissioners (Board) reports that there is no fiscal impact to the LAFD's budget from the acceptance of this donation.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

In a report to the Board dated July 28, 2016, attached to the Council file, the LAFD recommends that the Board approve the donation of four historical paintings for the benefit of the LAFD. The LAPD reports that the Department benefits tremendously from gracious donations such as that received from Mr. William S. Phillips. The Community Liaison Office acknowledges Mr. William S. Phillips for his generous donation. At the meeting held on December 6, 2016, your Public Safety Committee considered this matter. An opportunity for public comment was held. After a brief discussion, the Committee recommended that Council approve the donation of four historical paintings for the benefit of the LAFD, as recommended by the Board, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
ENGLANDER:	YES
BUSCAINO:	YES
BONIN:	YES
O'FARRELL:	YES
MARTINEZ:	ABSENT

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