

MOTION

BUDGET & FINANCE

In 1969, the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) implemented the "Basic Car Plan" with the goal of bringing police officers and citizens closer together under the new concept of community policing. The plan subdivided LAPD's geographic community police divisions into smaller neighborhood areas, each with a regular contingent of patrol officers, working under the direction of a Senior Lead Officer, who in turn serves as the primary point of contact for residents. The Basic Car Plan continues to define community policing boundaries, guide the regular assignment of patrol cars, and assign neighborhoods of responsibility to Senior Lead Officers.

It has been more than 20 years since the City Council last approved a comprehensive Citywide review of the LAPD Basic Car boundaries. Since that time, there has been considerable population growth, significant new development, the designation of new communities, and the emergence of a Citywide System of Neighborhood Councils. It is therefore imperative that the City take a fresh look at the current boundaries to ensure they meet the City's contemporary policing needs and best conform to identifiable neighborhood boundaries. Such an effort will also help inform and guide the City in how to best distribute future patrol resources.

During the Council's consideration of the Fiscal Year 2017-18 City Budget, the Budget & Finance Committee identified and allocated \$224,000 for a Basic Car Area Boundary Study. Due to a technical error, the Request for Proposals and associated funding for this study was inadvertently transferred to the Police Department, when it was instead intended to be assigned to the City Administrative Officer.

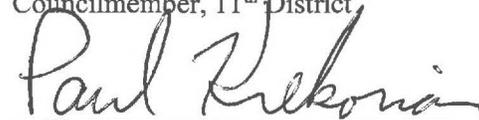
**I THEREFORE MOVE** that the Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor, transfer the Basic Car Area Boundary Study included in the 2017-18 Adopted Budget from the Police Department (LAPD) to the City Administrative Officer (CAO) as follows:

1. Instruct the CAO, with the assistance of the LAPD and the City Attorney, to prepare and present to Council for consideration a Request for Proposals for a LAPD Basic Car Area Boundary Study;
2. Transfer \$224,000 from LAPD Fund No. 100/70, Contractual Services Account No. 3040, to CAO Fund No. 100/10, Contractual Services Account No. 3040; and
3. Authorize the CAO to make any necessary technical adjustments to the above instructions to effectuate Mayor and Council instructions.

PRESENTED BY:

  
MIKE BONIN  
Councilmember, 11<sup>th</sup> District

SECONDED BY:



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