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## OFFICIAL ACTION OF THE LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL

February 7, 2018

**Council File No.:** [17-1421](#)  
**Council Meeting Date:** February 06, 2018  
**Agenda Item No.:** 14  
**Agenda Description:** PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to establishing an Illegal Fireworks Task Force.

**Council Action:** PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT - ADOPTED

**Council Vote:**

YES	BOB BLUMENFIELD
YES	MIKE BONIN
YES	JOE BUSCAINO
YES	GILBERT A. CEDILLO
YES	MITCHELL ENGLANDER
YES	MARQUEECE HARRIS-DAWSON
YES	JOSE HUIZAR
YES	PAUL KORETZ
YES	PAUL KREKORIAN
YES	NURY MARTINEZ
YES	MITCH O'FARRELL
YES	CURREN D. PRICE
YES	MONICA RODRIGUEZ
YES	DAVID RYU
YES	HERB WESSON

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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to establishing an Illegal Fireworks Task Force.

Recommendation for Council action, as initiated by Motion (O'Farrell - Ryu):

INSTRUCT the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA), with the assistance of the Los Angeles Police Department, the Los Angeles Fire Department, and the City Attorney, to report back in 60 days on issues related to illegal fireworks and steps that could be taken to curtail their use within the City, including but not limited to:

- a. Issues hindering effective illegal fireworks enforcement.
- b. Quantitative data on the number of calls for service related to fireworks and their geographic location.
- c. Education and outreach strategies.
- d. Enforcement strategies.
- e. Legislative and/or administrative action(s) at the Federal, State or local level.
- f. Examples of successful strategies from other jurisdictions.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the CLA has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

At a regular meeting held on January 24, 2018, the Public Safety Committee considered Motion (O'Farrell - Ryu) regarding an Illegal Fireworks Task Force. Councilmember O'Farrell read into the record an amendment to the Motion. After an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended to approve the Motion as amended. This matter is now submitted to the Council for consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER:</u>	<u>VOTE:</u>
ENGLANDER	YES
O'FARRELL	YES
BUSCAINO	YES
RYU	YES
RODRIGUEZ	YES

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