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REPORT NO. **R 19 - 0 1 4 4**  
**MAY 16 2019**

**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO  
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1)**

REPORT RE:

***Mitchell, et al., v. City of Los Angeles, et al.***  
USCD Case No. 16-cv-01750 SJO (JPRx)  
(CF No. 18-0751)

The Honorable City Council  
of the City of Los Angeles  
200 North Spring Street  
City Hall, Room 395  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Honorable Members:

This office recommends that discussions with, and advise from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action in this pending litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1). Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1) requires you to state publicly prior to the closed session, what subdivision of this section authorizes the closed meeting, and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation.

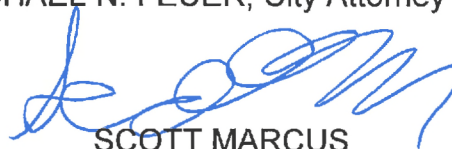
This matter involves litigation that alleges constitutional violations based on the seizure and destruction of property of homeless individuals in the Skid Row area of Los Angeles.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Senior Assistant City Attorney Scott Marcus at (213) 978-4681. He, or another member of this Office, will be present when you consider this matter to answer any questions you may have.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

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SCOTT MARCUS  
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