

ITEM NO. 32

9/25/19 Council – Regular Meeting Agenda
Closed Session

MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to effect settlement in the case entitled Ali Winston et al. v. City of Los Angeles et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BS169474 [this matter arises from allegations that the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) failed to comply with the California Public Records Act (CPRA)], **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:**

1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to expend up to **\$57,500** in settlement of the above-entitled matter.
2. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw a demand in the amount of \$57,500 from the Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009798, Miscellaneous Liability payouts, made payable to: ACLU Foundation of Southern California.
3. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to make necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer; and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.
4. AUTHORIZE the Chief, LAPD, or designee, to implement the following changes to the policies and practices of its CPRA Unit:
 - a. Adopt, maintain and enforce a written policy, and manual setting forth procedures and protocols, regarding LAPD's compliance with the CPRA.
 - b. Maintain an online public records portal that enables members of the public to submit public records requests online, browse and search previously published requests, and view certain information about the requests (e.g., date it was received, date it was closed).
 - c. Proactively make certain documents (e.g., policy manual) available online.
 - d. For five years following the settlement, include a CPRA inspection in LAPD's annual audit plan.

This matter was recommended for approval by the Budget and Finance Committee (Krekorian – Price – Koretz – Bonin: “Yes”) at its meeting on September 9, 2019 and, the Public Safety Committee (Rodriguez – O’Farrell – Buscaino – Ryu - Lee: “Yes”) at its meeting on September 11, 2019, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

PRESENTED BY _____
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