

AD HOC ON COVID-19 RECOVERY AND NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to a new Council led outreach and feeding program focused on LA's seniors.

Recommendations for Council action, as initiated by Motion (O'Farrell - Krekorian - Martinez):

1. RECEIVE and FILE the September 1, 2020 Aging report attached to the Council file.
2. INSTRUCT the Department of Aging (Aging) to:
 - a. Report immediately if the September 9, 2020 FEMA deadline for reimbursement is extended.
 - b. Extend the meals program until the end of September if the FEMA deadline is not extended, and work with the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to report on the cost of extending the meal program.
 - c. Report on alternative program models for senior meals that would be more cost-efficient within a week.
3. INSTRUCT Aging, with assistance from the Housing and Community Investment Department, the CAO, and the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA), to report on the following:
 - a. Recommendations for a new Council led outreach and feeding program focused on LA's seniors.
 - b. An analysis of funding and service delivery gaps related to food assistance and outreach.
 - c. A review of the Senior Meal Emergency Response Program, known as Great Plates, including a geographical breakdown of community participation with an emphasis on seniors in areas that requested assistance but received none.
 - d. Recommendations on improving restaurant participation and meal delivery within the Great Plates program.
 - e. A review of federal, state, county and non-profit assistance programs available to the City's senior population.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

At its special meeting on September 2, 2020 the Ad Hoc on Covid-19 Recovery and

Neighborhood Investment Committee considered Motion (O'Farrell - Krekorian - Martinez) relative to a new Council led outreach and feeding program focused on LA's seniors. The Aging report and Motion attached to the Council file, includes some background on the matter.

After an opportunity for public comment was held, the Committee moved to approved the recommendations as amended and reflected above. This matter is now forwarded to the City Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

AD HOC ON COVID-19 RECOVERY AND NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
MARTINEZ:	YES
WESSON:	YES
PRICE:	YES
CEDILLO:	YES
O'FARRELL:	YES

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