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Councilmember John S. Lee, Chair
Arts, Parks, Health, Education and Neighborhoods Committee
Attn: Eric Villanueva

Councilmember Paul Krekorian, Chair
Budget and Finance Committee
Attn: Andrew Suh

RE: COUNCIL FILE TRANSMITTAL

On September 21, 2022, the Public Safety Committee considered a Motion (Rodriguez – Blumenfield – et al) relative to extending the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Los Angeles County (County) Department of Mental Health (DMH) and the City to continue funding models of therapeutic mental health resources for citywide expansion; and a permanent source of funding to sustain the Therapeutic Van Pilot Program, Council file No. 20-1178-S2. After consideration, the Committee moved to approve the following recommendations:

1. DIRECT the Los Angeles Fire Department, and the City Administrative Officer (CAO), to begin negotiations of extension of the MOA between the County DMH and the City to continue funding models of therapeutic mental resources for citywide expansion.
2. REQUEST the CAO to report on a permanent source of funding to sustain the Therapeutic Van Pilot program in the City. The report should include recommendations and Controller instructions to fund the City's cost for the Therapeutic Van Pilot Program, in order to implement the program citywide.

This file is now transmitted to the Arts, Parks, Health, Education and Neighborhoods Committee and Budget and Finance Committee.

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<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
LEE:	YES

BUSCAINO: YES
HARRIS-DAWSON: YES
KORETZ: ABSENT