

GENERAL EXEMPTION, PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT and ORDINANCES FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to amending the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) to change the Street Damage Restoration Fee (SDRF) methodology for small excavations and sewer lateral repair excavations.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. DETERMINE that this matter is not a California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) project under State CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(4) as it is the creation of a government funding mechanism which does not involve any commitment to any specific project that may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment; and CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) and City CEQA Guidelines Article II, Section 1 (General Exemption) because it will not result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment, and it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE, dated January 13, 2021, relative to amending Section 62.06(A)(1) of the LAMC to change the SDRF methodology for small excavations and sewer lateral repair excavations.
3. NOT PRESENT and ORDER FILED the Ordinance dated September 17, 2021.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the City Attorney. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For:  
Arroyo Seco Neighborhood Council

SUMMARY

At the meeting held on February 24, 2021, your Public Works Committee considered City Attorney reports and Ordinances relative to amending the LAMC to change the SDRF methodology for small excavations and sewer lateral repair excavations. An opportunity for public comment was held. After further discussion of the matter, the Committee moved to approve the Ordinance dated January 13, 2021, as presented by the City Attorney, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
BLUMENFIELD	YES
LEE	YES
DE LEÓN	YES
O'FARRELL	YES
KORETZ	YES