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August 19, 2021

Honorable Eric Garcetti, Mayor
City of Los Angeles
Room 303, City Hall

Honorable City Council
City of Los Angeles
c/o: Office of the City Clerk
City Hall, Room 395

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council:

Subject:

Locally-Operated State Parks Program (LOSPP) – Authority to Apply and Submit Application, Approval of Project Scope and Budget, Resolution; Acceptance of Grant Funds if Awarded

Recommendation for Council Action:

The Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners (Board) respectfully requests City Council and Mayor approval for the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) to (i) approve the proposed project scope and budget, in the amount of \$1,500,000.00 (One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars) submitted by RAP to the State of California, Department of Parks and Recreation (State) under Locally-Operated State Parks Program (LOSPP) Grant, for the Rio de Los Angeles State Park, as operated by RAP; (ii) approve the Resolution detailing the Rio de Los Angeles State Park Renovations for which RAP is the applicant of the LOSPP Grant funds, and designates RAP's General Manager, Executive Officer, or Assistant General Manager, as the agent to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all grant documents, including, but not limited to the grant application, agreement, amendments, payment requests and all other required grant documents necessary for the completion of the Grant project scope as further detailed in attached Report No. 21-142.

Background:

On June 7, 2021, the State released a LOSPP grant under the Prop 68 program and in the amount of \$4,625,000 to be awarded statewide. LOSPP awards grant funds for renovation of aging infrastructure in urgent need of repair within a locally-operated unit of the California State Park system. New recreational features are not eligible under the LOSPP grant. This grant is for the renovation/repairs of recreational features and major supporting amenities for the recreation features. The LOSPP applications are due August 30, 2021.



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Fiscal Impact Statement:

There is no immediate fiscal impact to RAP's General Fund in applying for the LOSPP funds. If awarded and the improvements re implemented, the request for maintenance funding will be addressed through the regular budget process.

If you have any questions with regard to this matter, please contact Mr. Bill Jones, Chief Management Analyst, Finance Division, Department of Recreation and Parks, at (213) 202-5657.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF RECREATION AND
PARK COMMISSIONERS



Harold Arrivillaga
Commission Executive Assistant II

Attachments: Board Report No. 21-142
Resolution

cc: Bill Jones, Chief Management Analyst, Finance Division, Department of Recreation and
Parks