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Los Angeles City Council 200 N Main St Los Angeles CA 90012

Honorable Members of the Los Angeles City Council:

At the August 26, 2021 regular meeting of El Pueblo de Los Angeles Historical Monument Commission (Commission), El Pueblo de Los Angeles Historical Monument Department (El Pueblo) submitted report (21-0008) recommending a need to maintain the existing Bridge Housing known as 'El Puente' a facility located on Parking Lot 5, at 711 North Alameda Street Los Angeles CA 90012 for and additional three (3) years. This facility includes: five (5) trailers and associated infrastructure that are used for housing, shower, laundry facilities, and administrative office space. The City of Los Angeles constructed this temporary bridge housing facility in 2018. The Ocean Park Community Center dba The People Concerned agreed to a three year (3) License Agreement to operate and maintain the facility for a period not to exceed three years. The El Puente agreement expired on June 30, 2021 (C-131736).

The continuing homelessness crisis in the City requires the continued operation of El Puente to provide temporary housing and assistance to the unhoused community. The Commission adopted the Board Report 21-0008 along with Resolution 21-0008A recommending an additional three (3) years license agreement.

El Pueblo requests the attached contract and supporting documents be approved by the Los Angeles City Council granting an extension of The People Concerned contract for a period not to exceed three years.

Thank you for your assistance.

Arturo Chavez,

General Manager

Attachments: El Pueblo Lease Agreement, Ex: A, B, C