

ARTS, PARKS, LIBRARIES, AND COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE  
REPORT relative to a grant award from LA2050 for the "Connecting Neighbors and Empowering LA!" initiative, and related matters.

Recommendations for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Hernandez – McOsker),  
SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment (DONE) to submit a grant application to and accept a grant award from LA2050 for the "Connecting Neighbors & Empowering LA!" initiative in the amount of \$50,000.
2. AUTHORIZE General Manager, DONE, or designee, to conduct all negotiations, execute, and submit all documents, including but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, and payment requests, which may be necessary for the acceptance and use of LA2050 grant funds.
3. AUTHORIZE the Controller to establish and appropriate a new appropriation account entitled "Department of Neighborhood Empowerment - LA2050 Grant" within the Neighborhood Empowerment Fund No. 44B/47, Account No. 47A237.
4. AUTHORIZE DONE to accept and deposit the awarded \$50,000 into the "Department of Neighborhood Empowerment - LA2050 Grant" within the Neighborhood Empowerment Fund No. 44B/47, Account No. 47A237.
5. INSTRUCT DONE to track the use of all LA2050 grant funds and report with an accounting of the funds, the lessons learned, and any obstacles faced, as well as highlight any changes in scope of services that differ from the initially approved scope of services for the grant funds.
6. AUTHORIZE the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to make any technical corrections or clarifications to the above fund transfer instructions in order to effectuate the intent of the Motion attached to the Council file; and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement these instructions.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Summary:

On January 28, 2025, your Committee considered Motion (Hernandez - McOsker) relative to authorizing the DONE to submit a grant application and to accept a grant award from LA2050 for the "Connecting Neighbors and Empowering LA!" initiative, and related matters.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to approve the recommendations detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,  
ARTS, PARKS, LIBRARIES, AND COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
JURADO:	YES
HERNANDEZ:	YES
NAZARIAN:	ABSENT

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