

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the donation of gym equipment and interior painting in the value of \$25,000 for the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Operations West Bureau (OWB).

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE the donation of gym equipment and interior painting in the value of \$25,000 for the LAPD OWB; and, THANK the donor for this generous donation.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On April 9, 2024, your Committee considered a February 13, 2024 Board report relative to the donation of gym equipment and interior painting in the value of \$25,000 for the LAPD OWB. According to the Board, this donation will provide new workout equipment and interior painting for OWB 's gym. The gym is currently utilized by OWB, Wilshire Area, and West Traffic Division personnel. Approval of this donation will promote employee wellness through fitness and afford personnel the ability to refresh perishable skills that may be used in day-to-day field work.

The Los Angeles Police Foundation is an independent, not-for-profit organization that provides critical resources and vital support to the LAPD. From essential equipment and state-of-the-art technology to specialized training and innovative programs that would otherwise be unfunded, the Foundation provides funding that directly improves public safety, impacts officer readiness, and enhances the quality of life of all members of the community.

As the largest source of private support for the LAPD, the Foundation is passionately dedicated to ensuring that Los Angeles remains America's safest major city. Since being established in 1998, the Foundation has invested tens of millions of dollars in hundreds of LAPD initiatives that promote excellence, expand capabilities, strengthen neighborhoods and create opportunities for at-risk youth." These actions are grounded in the beliefs that a safe city is a strong city and that together we can make a difference. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to recommend approval of the donation. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Public Safety Committee

COUNCILMEMBER	VOTE
RODRIGUEZ:	ABSENT
LEE:	YES
McOSKER:	YES
PARK:	YES
SOTO-MARTINEZ:	YES

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