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Councilmember Marqueece Harris-Dawson, Chair  
Government Operations Committee  
Attn: Mandy Morales

RE: COUNCIL FILE TRANSMITTAL

On April 19, 2023, the Public Safety Committee considered a Motion (Hutt – Yaroslavsky – Et al.) relative to security issues at City-owned and commercial public parking lots, Council file No. 23-0319. After consideration, the Committee moved to approve the following recommendation:

DIRECT the Los Angeles Police Department, the Personnel Department, the General Services Department (GSD) and the Los Angeles Department of Transportation, to report to Council on the problem of security at public parking lots (both City-owned and commercial). The issues to be addressed should include the following:

- a. What temporary security measures can be put in place to address the current surge of threats and crimes at parking lots.
- b. What temporary actions can be taken, including suspension of City employee parking rules and protocols to address the current parking crisis so that City employees who are required to come to work can have safe parking available to them.
- c. What actions can the GSD take to implement a readily accessible City employee parking accommodation policy in the nearby City lots, including parking in the City Hall Mall.
- d. The feasibility of installing panic buttons or other emergency call devices and City owned parking lots and requiring similar devices to be installed at all commercial parking lots City-wide in order to address the security needs of all parking patrons and especially of parking patrons who are tourists to the city, both domestic and international.

This file is now transmitted to the Government Operations Committee.

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| <u>MEMBER</u>  | <u>VOTE</u> |
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| RODRIGUEZ:     | YES         |
| LEE:           | YES         |
| MCOSKER:       | YES         |
| PARK:          | YES         |
| SOTO-MARTINEZ: | YES         |