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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Los Angeles City Hall is one of the most iconic buildings in the City's skyline and for decades was the tallest building in the City when it opened in 1928; and

WHEREAS, Los Angeles City Hall is the seat of local government and has been the focal point of the City's accomplishments and celebrations as well as protests and controversies; and

WHEREAS, Los Angeles City Hall has become a destination for tourists and a popular spot for filming, which made City Hall one of the most recognized buildings in the country, if not the world.

WHEREAS, in November 2023, then Councilmember Krekorian introduced a motion (Council File 23-1230) instructing the Department of City Planning, Project Restore, Cultural Heritage Commission and the City Administrative Officer to prepare and submit necessary application for Los Angeles City Hall to be nominated to the National Register of Historic Places; and

WHEREAS, the State Historical Resources Commission (SHRC) operated under the California Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) and is a 9-member board, appointed by the Governor, with responsibilities for the identification, registration, and preservation of California's historical resources; and

WHEREAS, the SHRC meets four times each year and on February 7, 2025, the SHRC agenda will include Los Angeles City Hall; and

WHEREAS, the City of Los Angeles should support this nomination to ensure that Los Angeles City Hall exists for years to come and remain a protected building; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the City of Los Angeles hereby supports the nomination of Los Angeles City Hall to the National Register of Historic Places.

PRESENTED BY: _____

ADRIN NAZARIAN

Councilmember, 2nd District

SECONDED BY: _____

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