

MOTION

Through a collaboration with the City Administrative Officer (CAO) and Council District 1, on April 30, 2024 the CAO submitted an application for an Encampment Resolution Fund (ERF) grant to the State of California. On September 27, 2024 the City was notified that the proposal had been selected by the State, which will focus on providing outreach and housing to those experiencing homelessness along the Arroyo Seco Parkway, and Council District 1 will receive \$6,309,880.50 for the effort. On November 19, 2024 Council adopted CF 23-1443-S2, which instructed the CAO to be the designated grant administrator for the ERF and to execute any necessary documents to accept the ERF grant on behalf of Council District 1.

Council District 1 would like to use the funds from the ERF grant for its Encampment Resolution Grant Project to support unhoused constituents living along the 110 freeway in our district. The funding will be administered by the CAO, and at least \$4,124,400 of the budget will go through LAHSA for Time Limited Subsidies (\$3,403,680) and Housing Navigation (\$720,720) - with possibly more funding for Interim Housing. Council District 1 will expend no less than 50 percent of program funds by June 30, 2025 and 100 percent of program funds by no later than June 30, 2027.

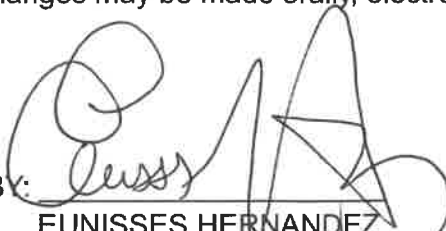
I THEREFORE MOVE to instruct the City Administrative Officer to transfer and appropriate \$4,124,400 from the Special Fund Account "Encampment Resolution Fund Grant - Arroyo Seco", from the City Administrative Office (CAO) Account TBA/10, to Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD), account TBA/43, with an expenditure deadline of June 30, 2027.

I FURTHER MOVE to instruct the General Manager of LAHD, or their designee, to execute a new contract with the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) with a contract term date ending on June 30, 2027 to reflect the service funding allocations for the Encampment Resolution Grant Project in Council District 1.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Council instruct and authorize LAHD to prepare, process, and execute the necessary documents with and/or payments to LAHSA, or any other agency or organization as appropriate, utilizing the above amount for the above purpose, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form.

I FURTHER MOVE that LAHD be authorized to make any corrections, clarifications, or revisions to the above fund transfer instructions, including any new instructions in order to effectuate the the intent of this Motion, and including any corrections and changes to fund or account numbers; said corrections/ clarifications/ changes may be made orally, electronically, or by any other means.

PRESENTED BY:



EUNISSES HERNANDEZ
Councilmember, 1st District

SECONDED BY:



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