

HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the establishment of a new Los Angeles County (County) Department for homelessness and its impacts on the City's homelessness contracts with the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA); and pathways the City can take in terms of coordinating services, sharing data and managing a regional homelessness response system without the participation of LAHSA.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Raman – Blumenfield):

INSTRUCT the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) and the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to report to Council on:

- a. The implications of the establishment of a new County Department for homelessness and its impacts on the City's homelessness contracts with the LAHSA.
- b. Options for pathways the City can take if the County were to establish the department, especially in terms of coordinating services, sharing data, and managing a regional homelessness response system without the participation of LAHSA.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

### SUMMARY

At the meeting held on March 26, 2025, your Housing and Homelessness Committee considered a Motion (Raman – Blumenfield) relative to the establishment of a new County Department for homelessness and its impacts on the City's homelessness contracts with the LAHSA; and pathways the City can take in terms of coordinating services, sharing data and managing a regional homelessness response system without the participation of LAHSA.

After an opportunity for public comment was held, the Committee moved to approve the recommendation contained in the Motion, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
RAMAN:	YES
JURADO:	YES
PRICE:	ABSENT
BLUMENFIELD:	YES
NAZARIAN:	ABSENT

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