

NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the annual sidewalk and park vending permit fee study, enforcement of permitted sidewalk activities in the assessment, and average annual income of street vendors.

Recommendations for Council action, as initiated by Motion (Raman - Price - De Leon):

1. INSTRUCT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to conduct a new fee study to determine the annual sidewalk and park vending permit fee, that does not include enforcement of permitted sidewalk activities in the assessment, and which takes into account the average annual income of street vendors.
2. INSTRUCT Streets LA, with assistance of the CAO, the Department of Recreation and Parks, and the Economic and Workforce Development Department, to report in 60 days on the following:
 - a. Financial assistance programs to help street vendors obtain their vending permits and carts.
 - b. Feasibility of creating a payment installment plan for sidewalk vending permits.
3. REQUEST the City Attorney to prepare an ordinance to amend Section 42.13.B2 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to extend the reduced cost (\$291) of the sidewalk vending operating permit until the updated fee study has been conducted by the CAO and an agreed upon updated fee has been adopted by Council.

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

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For if Amended:

Granada Hills North Neighborhood Council

(Economic and Community Development Committee, and Public Works Committee waived consideration of the above matter)

Summary:

On March 15, 2023, the Neighborhoods and Community Enrichment Committee considered Motion (Raman - Price - De Leon) relative to a fee study to determine the annual sidewalk and park vending permit fee, that does not include enforcement of permitted sidewalk activities in the assessment, and which takes into account the average annual income of street vendors, and related matters. The Motion attached to the Council file includes some background on the matter.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to approve the recommendations as amended and reflected above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

| <u>MEMBER</u> | <u>VOTE</u> |
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| HERNANDEZ: | YES |
| LEE: | YES |
| HUTT: | YES |

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. Huss", is written over the table of votes.

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