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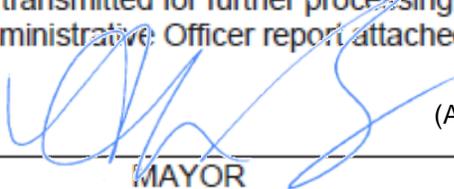
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FROM
The Mayor

COUNCIL DISTRICT
Citywide

**Request to Accept Grant Award and Execute a Grant Agreement
with the Getty Conservation Institute for the
Los Angeles African American Historic Places Initiative**

Approved and transmitted for further processing. See the
City Administrative Officer report attached.



MAYOR (Ana Guerrero for)

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REPORT FROM

OFFICE OF THE CITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

Date: May 26, 2021

CAO File No. 0130-02106-0000

Council File No. 16-1001-S1

Council District: Citywide

To: The Mayor

From: Richard H. Llewellyn, Jr., City Administrative Officer



Reference: Department of City Planning transmittal dated May 4, 2021; Received by the City Administrative Officer May 14, 2021

Subject: **REQUEST TO ACCEPT GRANT AWARD AND EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE GETTY CONSERVATION INSTITUTE FOR THE LOS ANGELES AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORIC PLACES INITIATIVE**

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor:

1. Approve Recommendations 2 and 3 of the Department of City Planning (DCP) transmittal dated May 4, 2021, relative to the acceptance of a grant award and execution of a grant agreement with the Getty Conservation Institute (GCI) for the Los Angeles African American Historic Places (LAAAHP) Project in an amount not to exceed \$180,000; and,
2. Authorize the Director of Planning, or designee, to accept a grant in an amount not to exceed \$180,000 from the GCI and execute a grant project agreement with GCI to establish a framework of cooperation for the LAAAHP Project for a three year term and an amount not to exceed \$180,000 in substantial conformance with the draft agreement attached to the DCP transmittal dated May 4, 2021 subject to the review and approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality and compliance with the City's contracting requirements.

SUMMARY

The Department of City Planning (DCP) requests authority to accept a grant award from the Getty Conservation Institute (GCI), execute a grant agreement in an amount not to exceed \$180,000 with GCI, and to subsequently receive grants funds from GCI. The term of the proposed grant is approximately three years from the date of execution to December 31, 2023. The grant funds would support the Los Angeles African American Historic Places (LAAAHP) initiative, which is a partnership between the DCP Office of Historic Resources (OHR) and the GCI. The DCP proposes to utilize the entirety of the grant funds for historic preservation consultant services to conduct citywide outreach, refine the African American Historic Context Statement, prepare and process up

to ten Historic-Cultural Monument nominations, and develop up to three cultural heritage strategies/plans to manage, preserve, interpret, and celebrate the tangible and intangible heritage of historically African American neighborhoods. Additionally, the proposed grant work would support the goals of the Cultural and Historical section of the Conservation Element of the City's General Plan that has the objective to "protect important cultural and historical sites and resources for historical, cultural, research, and community educational purposes". The DCP states that it anticipates utilizing a single consultant from one of its existing on-call contract bench lists to conduct the grant work. Additional information regarding the LAAHP project can be found in the DCP transmittal dated May 4, 2021.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

There is no impact to the General Fund as a result of the recommendations in this report as the proposed grant work would be conducted by consultants with contract costs covered by the grant funds received by GCI.

FINANCIAL POLICIES STATEMENT

The recommendations in this report comply with the City's Financial Policies in that the proposed LAAHP grant project would not require additional financial resources from the City.