

HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to issuing permits to any Safe Parking projects and making administrative changes to remove unnecessary hurdles and expedite facilities to serve persons experiencing homelessness.

Recommendations for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Blumenfield - Bonin - Krekorian, et. al):

1. DIRECT the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) to issue permits to any Safe Parking project on LADOT property approved by the City Council, and make any necessary changes to rates and operating hours administratively.
2. REQUEST that the City Attorney prepare and present an Ordinance to amend the appropriate section(s) of the Los Angeles Municipal and/or the Los Angeles Administrative Code authorizing the Board of Transportation Commissioners to determine the rates, maximum legal parking time, and the hours of operation for all publicly owned off-street parking facilities under the control of the LADOT to provide that the use of a parking lot as a Safe Parking program or for any other homeless program or project, approved and funded by the City Council, shall not be subject to the approval of the Board of Transportation Commission.
3. DIRECT the Department of General Services (GSD) to work with the LADOT, to include any City Council approved projects, including those in the Homeless Roadmap, that are located on LADOT property in the GSD Master Lease agreement with the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority, which facilitates the use of City owned properties, to minimize any delays.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY:

At a regular meeting held on February 11, 2021, the Homelessness and Poverty Committee considered Motion (Blumenfield - Bonin - Krekorian - et al.) relative to issuing permits to any Safe Parking projects and making administrative changes to remove unnecessary hurdles and expedite facilities to serve persons experiencing homelessness. After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended on consent to adopt the Motion. This matter is now submitted to the Council for consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
RIDLEY-THOMAS:	YES
DE LEON:	YES
BUSCAINO:	YES
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
RAMAN:	YES

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