

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, there are many communities throughout the City of Los Angeles that have long-standing issues associated with unabated nuisance properties; and

WHEREAS, these nuisance properties create blight and crime and hinder community efforts to improve the quality of life in our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, there are properties located in Council District 15, within the Watts community, located east of 1648 E. 109th Street (APNs 6069009022, 6069009021, 6069009004) that, because of the presence of overgrown weeds and vegetation, illegal dumping, hazardous materials, and abandoned, dismantled, inoperable, and unauthorized vehicles, are public nuisances and in need of abatement; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC) sets forth the procedures for nuisance abatement and collections of specified fees, costs, and charges; and

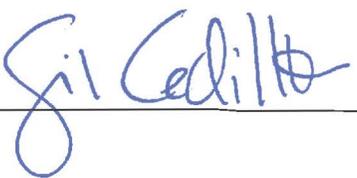
WHEREAS, LAAC Section 7.35.2(c) states that the City Council may declare by resolution the existence of a public nuisance and may also instruct that notices be issued and that the Board of Public Works or designee may proceed with the abatement, if necessary; and

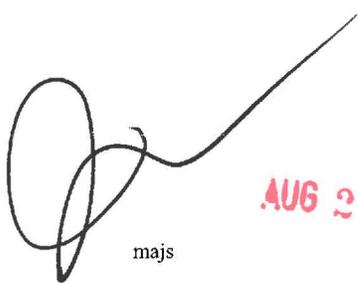
WHEREAS, the properties located east of 1648 E. 109th Street detailed above are a continuing public nuisance and the declaration of a public nuisance at this site is fully attributable to its current use and condition and in recognition that past efforts to abate this nuisance lot have been unsuccessful;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that, pursuant to Section 7.35.2(c) of the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC), the City Council takes the following actions:

1. Declares the properties located east of 1648 E. 109th Street (APNs 6069009022, 6069009021, 6069009004) Public Nuisances as the result of the presence of overgrown weeds and vegetation, illegal dumping, hazardous materials, and dismantled and unauthorized vehicles;
2. Directs the Board of Public Works to expedite the issuances of appropriate notices and documentation that may be necessary to effectuate the abatement of the nuisance(s) east of 1648 E. 109th Street; and
3. Directs the Board of Public Works or its designees to proceed with the abatement process, as may be necessary, and, pursuant to Section 7.35.3 of the LAAC, invoice the property owner(s) for all and any abatement costs incurred by the City.

PRESENTED BY: 
 JOE BUSCAINO
 Councilmember, 15th District

SECONDED BY: 


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