

HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the status of the Request for Bids (RFB) for the Bureau of Sanitation (BOS) CARE/CARE+ Teams and the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) Homeless Engagement Teams (HETs).

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. APPROVE the transfer of \$1,408,155 from the Unappropriated Balance, Fund No. 100/58, Account No. 580325, HETs to the General City Purposes, Fund No. 100/56, Account No. 000826, Homeless Shelter Program, and appropriate therefrom to the Los Angeles Housing Department, Fund No. 10A/43, Account No. 43V686, HETs to fund three (3) months of the LAHSA's existing HETs.
2. DIRECT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to report back on the outcome of the Request for Bid process for Sanitation outreach services in February 2022, including the following:
  - a. Any funding needs and a transition timeline.
  - b. How these new CARE/CARE+ outreach workers can have the ability to conduct mobile casework, as amended.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The CAO reports that approval of the recommendations in the subject CAO report, dated November 4, 2021, attached to the Council file, will not have an incremental impact on the General Fund as budgeted funds are recommended for transfer to LAHSA. There may be an incremental impact to the General Fund resulting from the outcome of the RFB process but there is insufficient information to determine at this time.

Financial Policies Statement: The CAO reports that the recommendations in the subject CAO report comply with the City Financial Policies as budgeted funds are being used for their budgeted purpose.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

**SUMMARY:**

At a special meeting held on November 15, 2021, the Homelessness and Poverty Committee considered a CAO report relative to the status of the Request for Bids for the BOS CARE/CARE+ Teams and the LAHSA HETs.

During the discussion, the Committee heard from representatives from the CAO and Chief Legislative Analyst who provided an overview of the matter and answered questions from the

members. Councilmember Blumenfield offered an amendment for the Committee's consideration.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended to approve the recommendations in the CAO report as amended, as detailed in Recommendation No. 2b. This matter is now submitted to the Council for consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

#### HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY COMMITTEE

<b>MEMBER</b>	<b>VOTE</b>
DE LEÓN:	YES
RAMAN:	YES
BUSCAINO:	ABSENT
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
BLUMENFIELD:	YES

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