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**REPORT RE:**

**DRAFT ORDINANCE REPEALING LOS ANGELES ADMINISTRATIVE CODE  
SECTIONS AND UNCODIFIED ORDINANCES TO CLOSE DORMANT CITY  
FUNDS WITH ZERO BALANCES**

The Honorable City Council  
of the City of Los Angeles  
Room 395, City Hall  
200 North Spring Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Council File No. 13-0600-S133

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to your request, this Office has prepared and now transmits for your consideration the enclosed draft ordinance, approved as to form and legality. The draft ordinance repeals dormant funds with a zero balance to support the City Council's comprehensive review of the City's special funds (Council File No. 13-0600-S133). In 2019 and 2020, the Controller's Office referenced 245 funds for possible repeal. These funds were identified to various departments and their counsel to review and clear the funds for repeal. The departments requested certain funds not be repealed and those are not included in this draft ordinance. A few funds' origins could not be located through a Los Angeles Municipal Code Section or uncoded ordinance and, consequently, are not included for repeal in this draft ordinance. Any funds that were repealed prior to 2019 are also omitted from this draft ordinance. Repeal of dormant funds is an ongoing task for the City and this draft ordinance addresses the repeal of a substantial majority of older, dormant funds.

Council Rule 38 Referral

A copy of the draft ordinance was sent, pursuant to Council Rule 38, to the Office of the Controller with a request that all comments, if any, be presented directly to the City Council when this matter is considered.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorneys Basia Jankowski at (213) 978-8130. She or another member of this Office will be available when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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Transmittal