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The Honorable Paul Krekorian
President
Los Angeles City Council

c/o Holly L. Wolcott
City Clerk
City Hall Room 360

LEASE EXTENSION AND CONTINUED USE OF THE CRISIS AND BRIDGE HOUSING FACILITIES AT 407 N. BEACON STREET (PREVIOUSLY 515 N. BEACON STREET) (C.F. 20-0841) CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA) NOTICE OF EXEMPTION (NOE)

Dear President Krekorian and Honorable Members:

The attached environmental documentation is being transmitted for City Council's consideration related to the lease extension and continued use of the Crisis and Bridge Housing facilities at 407 N. Beacon Street (previously 515 N. Beacon Street) in Council District 15.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that Council determine the actions that allow for the lease extension and continued use of the Crisis and Bridge Housing facilities at 407 N. Beacon Street (previously 515 N. Beacon Street) are statutorily exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act under Public Resources Code, Section 21080(b)(4), as specific actions necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency as also reflected in the State CEQA Guidelines, Section 15269(c); and under Public Resources Code, Section 21080.27 (AB 1197) applicable to City of Los Angeles homeless shelters. Please refer to the attached NOE.

Honorable Paul Krekorian
February 17, 2023
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If you have any questions, please contact Maria Martin at Maria.Martin@lacity.org or (213) 485-5753.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jose Fuentes".

for

Ted Allen, PE
City Engineer

Attachment

TA/JF/mem:

cc: Deborah Weintraub, Bureau of Engineering
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