



Office of the Los Angeles City Attorney
Hydee Feldstein Soto

REPORT NO. **W 23-0167**
MAY 10 2023

**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1)**

REPORT RE:

**COMPLIANCE WITH WRIT OF MANDATE IN *UNITED NEIGHBORHOODS FOR
LOS ANGELES V. CITY OF LOS ANGELES*, LASC 21STCP02401 (CITYWIDE)**

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

Honorable Members:

This Office is recommending that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding this pending litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1). Government Code Section 54956.9(g) requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, which division of that section authorizes the closed session, and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation.

Furthermore, as directed by the writ of mandate in the above-captioned litigation, this Office has prepared and now transmits for your consideration the enclosed draft ordinance, approved as to form and legality. The draft ordinance sets aside and rescinds Ordinance number 187106, which had added Section 62.104.1 to the Los Angeles Municipal Code to establish and codify a new Sidewalk Repair Program for repairs eligible for credit under the settlement agreement in the matter of

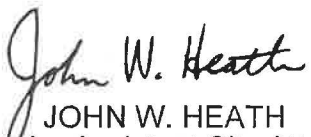
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Mark Willits, et al. v. City of Los Angeles (United States District Court Case No. CV10-05782) (Willits Settlement).

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Siegmund Shyu at (213) 978-8231. A member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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