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## REPORT RE:

REVISED DRAFT ORDINANCE RENEWING A FRANCHISE
(ORDINANCE NO. 181865) GRANTED TO THE PERFORMING ARTS CENTER OF
LOS ANGELES COUNTY TO INSTALL AND MAINTAIN A PRIVATE LINE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY IN THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY BETWEEN
245 N. GRAND AVENUE AND 601 W. TEMPLE STREET IN THE
CITY OF LOS ANGELES

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

## Honorable Members:

On June 30, 2023, this this Office transmitted for your consideration a draft ordinance, approved as to form and legality (R23-0248). The previous draft ordinance renewed an existing private line telecommunications franchise (Franchise) held by the Performing Arts Center of Los Angeles County (Franchisee). This Office is now transmitting the enclosed revised draft ordinance to make technical amendments.

## Background

In 2011, the City granted a telecommunications franchise to Franchisee for the placement of conduit in the City's public rights-of-way between 245 N. Grand Avenue and 601 W. Temple Street. Franchisee now has requested approval of the renewal of that Franchise. The revised draft renewal ordinance permits Franchisee to maintain this existing private line telecommunications facility through June 30, 2031. Approval of the



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renewal of this private line Franchise will generate \$2,500 in application fees and \$8,500 in franchise fees during the ten-year term of the Franchise.

## Council Rule 38 Referral

A copy of the revised draft ordinance was sent, pursuant to Council Rule 38, to the Information Technology Agency 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 Senior Assistant City Attorney Michael Dundas at (213) 978-8130. A member of this Office will be available when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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