RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding Assembly Bill (AB) 785 (Santiago) which would expand California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) exemptions for publicly funded low-barrier navigation centers, supportive housing, 100% affordable housing projects, and transitional housing for youth and young adults in the City of Los Angeles until January 1, 2030.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Yaroslavsky - Raman), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

RESOLVE to include in the City's 2023-24 State Legislative Program SUPPORT for AB 785 (Santiago) which would expand California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) exemptions for publicly funded low-barrier navigation centers, supportive housing, 100% affordable housing projects, and transitional housing for youth and young adults in the City of Los Angeles until January 1, 2030.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

## **SUMMARY**

At its meeting held on August 18, 2023, the Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered a CLA report and Resolution (Yaroslavsky - Raman) relative to including in the City's 2023-24 State Legislative Program support for AB 785 (Santiago) which would expand California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) exemptions for publicly funded low-barrier navigation centers, supportive housing, 100% affordable housing projects, and transitional housing for youth and young adults in the City of Los Angeles until January 1, 2030.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council adopt the Resolution. This matter is now forwarded to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

MEMBER VOTE
KREKORIAN YES
HARRIS-DAWSON YES
BLUMENFIELD YES

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