PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the feasibility of moving the Therapeutic Van Pilot Program from the Los Angeles Fire Department's (LAFD) Fire Station 40 to another dispatch center in the Harbor Area.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Motion (McOsker – Hernandez):

INSTRUCT LAFD, with assistance from the Department of General Services, and in coordination with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, to report within 45 days on the feasibility of moving the Therapeutic Van Pilot Program from Fire Station 40 to another dispatch center in the Harbor Area. This report should provide a list of potential LAFD stations, both active and inactive, within Council District 15 that could serve as dispatch centers for the Therapeutic Vans and should consider the location near arterials or freeways that allows for service and dispatches to be as efficient as possible.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement:</u> Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed the financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

SUMMARY

At the meeting held on August 22, 2023, your Public Safety Committee considered Motion (McOsker – Hernandez) relative to the feasibility of moving the Therapeutic Van Pilot Program from the Los Angeles Fire Department's Fire Station 40 to another dispatch center in the Harbor Area.

After an opportunity for public comment was held, the Committee recommended to approve the recommendation as stated above. This matter is now submitted to the Council for consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

MEMBER VOTE
RODRIGUEZ: YES
LEE: YES
McOSKER: YES
PARK: YES
SOTO-MARTINEZ: YES

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