

Northeast Graffiti Busters (NEGB) is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit corporation that was established in 1999 whose work entails graffiti removal, street sweeping, sidewalk cleaning utilizing state of the art vacuum and scrubbing units; refuse collection from receptacles situated along commercial corridors; and landscape watering, planting and related services for sidewalk trees and street median vegetation; maintenance of public signs and art elements; and bulky-item pick up. A very important part of NEGB services is their cleaning program, which addresses visual blight along major business corridors and residential neighborhoods. The program is designed to remove visual blight and to enhance the physical appearance of key commercial corridors and residential neighborhoods to encourage business retention, new business investment, more livable communities and community pride. NEGB has over a decade of experience performing this work in various LA City Council Districts which gives them the experience and knowledge to maintain an efficiently run program in Council District Six, the communities to be included in the scope of work for this program will be determined by Council District Six.

I THEREFORE MOVE that \$369,054 be transferred / appropriated from the Council District 6 portion of the "Neighborhood Service Enhancements" line item (Account No. 979) in the General City Purposes Fund No. 100 to the Board of Public Works Fund No. 100-74, Account 3040 (Contractual Services) for supplemental beautification services such as, but not limited to litter cleanup, corridor cleanups, weed abatement in Council District Six to be conducted by Northeast Graffiti Busters for a period of 1 year and that the Board of Public Works Office of Community Beautification be authorized to prepare the necessary document(s) with, and/or payment(s) to Northeast Graffiti Busters, in this amount, and for the above purposes, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form, if needed; and that the Council Member of the Sixth District be authorized to execute any such documents on behalf of the City.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Department of Public Works be authorized to make any corrections, clarifications, or revisions to the above fund transfer instructions, including any new instructions, in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion, including any corrections and changes to fund or account numbers; said corrections clarifications/changes may be made orally, electronically or by any other means.

PRESENTED BY: *Imelda Padilla*
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Councilmember, 6th District

SECONDED BY: *Monica Rodriguez*

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