

ARTS, PARKS, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT relative to a proposed agreement with Wolfgang Puck Catering and Events, LLC., for operation of the Griffith Observatory cafe, catering and food cart service concession.

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the President and Secretary, Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners, to execute the proposed agreement with Wolfgang Puck Catering and Events, LLC for the continued operation and maintenance of the Griffith Observatory Cafe, Catering, and Food Cart Service Concession for an additional term of five years for a cumulative term of 15 years, subject to review and approval by the City Attorney as to form.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer reports that Wolfgang Puck Catering and Events, LLC shall pay the City the higher of \$902,553 or between eight and up to 20 percent of the Concession's gross receipts during the five-year renewal period. To the extent applicable, the recommendation stated in this report is in compliance with the City Financial Policies in that user charges and fees are set to support the full cost of operations for which the fees are charged.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

**TIME LIMIT FILE - NOVEMBER 7, 2016**

**(LAST DAY FOR COUNCIL ACTION - NOVEMBER 4, 2016)**

Summary:

On September 19, 2016, the Arts, Parks, and River Committee considered an August 30, 2016 City Administrative Officer report relative to the agreement with Wolfgang Puck Catering and Events, LLC., for operation of the Griffith Observatory cafe, catering and food cart service concession for ten years with two five-year renewal options.

After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council approve the recommendation reflected on the September 1, 2016 City Administrative Officer report. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

ARTS, PARKS, AND RIVER COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
O'FARRELL:	YES
PRICE:	YES
KORETZ:	ABSENT
BLUMENFIELD:	YES
RYU:	YES

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. O'Farrell", is written in a cursive style.

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