

REPORT OF GENERAL MANAGER

NO. 05-77

DATE March 16, 2005

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BOARD OF RECREATION AND PARK COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT: VARIOUS COMMUNICATIONS


General Manager

Approved _____

Disapproved _____

Withdrawn _____

The following communications have been received by the Board and recommended action thereon is presented.

From:

1) City Attorney, to the Claims Board, requesting a closed session relative to Chicco & Hinojosa v Los Angeles, Superior Court Case No. EC 038853.

2) City Clerk, relative to a six-year Lease Agreement/Amendment with the Metropolitan Water District and Sub-Lease/Lease Agreement with the Granada Hills Youth Recreation Center, Inc.

3) City Clerk, relative to the transfer of 4521 South Central Avenue from the Department of Water and Power to the Department of Recreation and Parks.

Recommendation:

Note and file.

Refer to staff for further processing.

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4) City Clerk, relative to developing an early warning system to notify all federal and state grant recipient organizations and agencies of the potential cuts to their programs whenever any budgetary cuts are proposed or pending at the local, regional, state and federal levels.

Refer to General Manager.

5) Various Communicants (35), relative to support for Michael Bernback, Ready Golf Centers, retaining the Encino Balboa Golf Professional Concession.

Note and file.

6) Edward V. Hunt, relative to Lemon Grove Park.

Note and file.

7) Venice Boardwalk Association, relative to support for the Venice Beach Boardwalk Public Expression Permit Program.

Note and file.

8) Edward V. Hunt, Melrose Hill Neighborhood Association, to Councilmember Garcetti, requesting that the Bing grant money be used to purchase parkland in that neighborhood.

Note and file.

9) Venice Free Speech Zone Association, relative to a recommended amendment to the Venice Beach Boardwalk Public Expression Permit Program.

Refer to General Manager.

10) Various Communicants (11), relative to support for Highland Golf to obtain the Encino Balboa Golf Professional Concession.

Note and file.

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11) Joel Shields, relative to proposed revisions to the Venice Beach Boardwalk Public Expression Program rules.

Refer to General Manager.

12) Joyce Dillard, relative to the installation of a mural inside Downey Recreation Center.

Refer to General Manager.

13) Sallie W. Neubauer, Co-Assistant President, Citizens Committee to Save Elysian Park relative to the proposed transfer of Park Rangers to General Services.

Refer to General Manager.

14) Stephen M. Bainbridge, relative to dangerous erosion at Runyon Canyon Park due to the rains.

Refer to General Manager.

15) Sallie Neubauer, Sierra Club, requesting that the agendas be mailed earlier and that free parking be available for those attending Board Meetings.

Refer to General Manager.

16) Ken Oberg, President, Sepulveda Men's Golf Club, stating that that organization does not support any proposer for the Encino Balboa Golf Professional Concession.

Note and file.

17) Carole Berman, relative to excessive noise on the Venice Beach Ocean Front Walk.

Refer to General Manager.

18) Anthony Barton, Manager Project Development, Porter Ranch Development Co., to the General Manager, relative to the commencement of the remaining improvements in Holleigh Bernson Park.

Note and file.

Report prepared by Paul Liles