



COUNCIL AGENDA: 2/7/2023

ITEM: 2.9

FILE NO: 23-100

# Memorandum

**TO:** HONORABLE MAYOR AND  
CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** Toni J. Taber, CMC  
City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** SEE BELOW

**DATE:** February 7, 2023

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**SUBJECT: Approval of Lighting for American Heart Month Sponsored by Council District 6 as a City Council Sponsored Special Event to Expend City Funds and Accept Donations of Materials and Services for the Event**

## **Recommendation**

As recommended by the Rules and Open Government Committee on January 11, 2023:

- (a) Approve the Tower and Rotunda Lighting for American Heart Month scheduled on February 7, 2023 as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds; and
- (b) Approve and accept donations from various individuals, businesses, or community groups to support the event.

CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-011, Temporary Special Events resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Davis)

[Rules Committee referral 1/11/2023 - Item B.6]



# Memorandum

**TO:** HONORABLE MAYOR AND  
CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** Councilmember Dev Davis  
District 6

**SUBJECT:** SEE BELOW

**DATE:** 12/21/2022

APPROVED:

**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF LIGHTING FOR AMERICAN HEART MONTH  
SPONSORED BY COUNCIL DISTRICT 6 AS A CITY COUNCIL  
SPONSORED SPECIAL EVENT TO EXPEND CITY FUNDS AND ACCEPT  
DONATIONS OF MATERIALS AND SERVICES FOR THE EVENT**

## **RECOMMENDATION**

1. Approve a Tower and Rotunda Lighting for American Heart Month to be recognized by the City Council on Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023, as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds.
2. Approve and accept donations from various individuals, businesses or community groups that supported the events.
3. Place the item on the February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Council Agenda for action.

## **BACKGROUND**

On February 1, 2005, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 72517 which requires Councilmembers to submit a memorandum to the Rules Committee regarding proposed City Council sponsored Special Events and the proposed use of any funds.

In lieu of a City Proclamation, American Heart Month will be recognized by the City Council on Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023 and sponsored by Councilmember Dev Davis. The City Hall Tower and Rotunda will be lit in red to raise awareness of the nation's number one killer, heart disease.

## **ANALYSIS**

City Council Policy 7-14, City Hall Event Lighting Policy, Sections B.1 and C.1 allows Rotunda and Tower lighting in conjunction with proclamations for official actions or ceremonial items as approved by City Council.

Approval by the City Council of the event will ensure compliance with the Council's prior direction regarding Council Special Events. In observance of existing fundraising disclosure requirements, Councilmember Dev Davis will report any cash or in-kind donations received for the event on their Disclosure of Fundraising Report (DFR-1). Approval of this memorandum will enable Council District 6, City departments and the Office of the City Clerk to proceed with the event. Any cash donations received will be processed pursuant to the City's normal financial and budgetary procedures.

### **PUBLIC OUTREACH/INTEREST**

The Office of the City Clerk will post the item on the City's Website for the January 11th, 2023, Rules Committee Agenda and the February 7th, 2023, City Council Agenda.

### **CEQA**

- ☐ Not a Project, File No. PP17-010, City Organization & Administrative Activities resulting in no changes to the physical environment.
- ☐ Not a Project, File No. PP17-011, Temporary Special Events resulting in no changes to the physical environment.
- ☐ Exempt, File No. PP12-080. Minor temporary use of land having negligible or no permanent effect on the environment.
- ☐ Exempt, File No. PP13-056, Activities associated with citywide litter clean-up activities.
- ☐ Exempt, File No. PP11-046, Graffiti removal services.

Reviewed by:

TONI J. TABER, CMC  
City Clerk

For questions, please contact Toni Taber, City Clerk, at (408) 535-1260.