

Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Councilmember Jimenez District 2

SUBJECT: SEE BELOW

DATE: July 19, 2018

APPROVED:

SUBJECT: RETROACTIVE APPROVAL OF THE CALTRANS COMMUNITY MEETING AS A CITY COUNCIL SPONSORED SPECIAL EVENT TO EXPEND CITY FUNDS AND ACCEPT DONATIONS OF MATERIALS AND SERVICES FOR THE EVENTS

RECOMMENDATION

- 1. Retroactively approve the Caltrans Community Meeting scheduled on August 1, 2018 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 to support the event.
- 3. Place the items on the August 7, 2018 Council Agenda for action.

BACKGROUND

On February 1, 2005, the City Council adopted Resolution 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.

The Caltrans Community Meeting will be held on August 1, 2018 at the City Hall Rotunda on 200 East Santa Clara St., San Jose, CA 95113. Councilmember Jimenez and Councilmember Peralez are the sponsors of this event. This special event will allow residents to learn and ask questions about Caltrans services and procedures as they relate to litter, graffiti and homeless encampments on their properties throughout the City. This is an opportunity for elected officials at the State and local level to discuss better partnerships to address community concerns. The event is free and open to the public.

ANALYSIS

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 Jimenez 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 2, 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.

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PUBLIC OUTREACH/INTEREST

The Office of the City Clerk will post the item on the City's website for the August 1, 2018 Rules Committee Agenda and the August 7, 2018 City Council Agenda.

<u>CEQA</u>

- □ 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

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