

MEETING DATE: May 3, 2010

AGENDA ITEM: 1) Adoption of Youth Employment Plans Pursuant to Los Angeles County Proposition A Grant Requirements for the Culver City Skate Park Development Project (Fencing; P-850), the Culver City Park Playground Project (P-916) and the Veterans' Memorial Park Playground Project (P-924); and, (2) Approval of Agreements with the California Conservation Corps (CCC) for each of the aforementioned District-funded Projects.

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YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PLANS FOR

The Culver City Skate Park Development Project (Fencing; P-850); the Culver City Park Playground Project (P-916); and, the Veterans' Memorial Park Playground Project (P-924)

Background: The people of the County of Los Angeles enacted the Safe Neighborhood Parks Proposition of 1992 (Proposition A) on November 3, 1992 and the Safe Neighborhood Parks Proposition of 1996 (Proposition A) on November 5, 1996. The Propositions provide funds to public agencies and nonprofit organizations in the County for the purposes of acquiring and/or developing facilities and open space for public recreation. The Los Angeles County Regional Park and Open Space District (the "District"), which was created by the 1992 Proposition, administers these funds.

In July 2008, the City of Culver City received fully executed Proposition A Project Agreements for the Culver City Skate Park project (grant number 58C6-08-2178) and the Culver City Park Playground project (grant number 58C6-08-2181). In July 2009, the City of Culver City received a fully executed Proposition A Project Agreement for the Veterans' Memorial Park Playground Project (grant number 58C6-09-2216).

A special emphasis on employing youth in park improvement projects was included in both the 1992 and 1996 Propositions. **In order to comply with the District's Youth Employment Policy, the City of Culver City adopts the following Youth Employment Plans for these District-funded projects:**

THE CULVER CITY SKATE PARK DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (FENCING; P-850)

Alternate Site of Youth Employment: The Skate Park Development project consisted primarily of the installation of fencing by professionals specializing in the fence fabrication and installation. Therefore, it was not well-suited to the employment of youth. In lieu of employing youth on this project, the City will employ youth at the El Marino Park Playground Project.

Tasks to be performed: Installation of wood fiber surfacing in the playground area at El Marino Park.

Estimated funds spent on employment of youth: Not to exceed \$5,000.

Method of youth recruitment and employment: The City of Culver City will enter into a Sponsor Agreement with the California Conservation Corps (CCC).

Advancement of Youth Employment Goals (YEG): All expenditures related to the salaries of at-risk youth employed on this project will be reported to the District to be applied as credit toward meeting Culver City's youth employment goals.

THE CULVER CITY PARK PLAYGROUND PROJECT (P-916)

Tasks to be performed: Installation of wood fiber surfacing in the playground area.

Estimated funds spent on employment of youth: Not to exceed \$7,500.

Method of youth recruitment and employment: The City of Culver City will enter into a Sponsor Agreement with the California Conservation Corps (CCC).

Advancement of Youth Employment Goals (YEG): All expenditures related to the salaries of at-risk youth employed on this project will be reported to the District to be applied as credit toward meeting Culver City's youth employment goals.

THE VETERANS' MEMORIAL PARK PLAYGROUND PROJECT (P-924)

Tasks to be performed: Installation of wood fiber surfacing in the playground area.

Estimated funds spent on employment of youth: Not to exceed \$4,000.

Method of youth recruitment and employment: The City of Culver City will enter into a Sponsor Agreement with the California Conservation Corps (CCC).

Advancement of Youth Employment Goals (YEG): All expenditures related to the salaries of at-risk youth employed on this project will be reported to the District to be applied as credit toward meeting Culver City's youth employment goals.