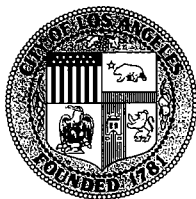


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RE: PLANNING DEPARTMENT REQUEST FOR STAFFING FOR THE SUNLAND-TUJUNGA  
INTERIM CONTROL ORDINANCE

At the meeting of the Council held FEBRUARY 15, 2006, the following action  
was taken:

Attached report adopted.....	<u>          X          </u>
Attached motion (-) adopted.....	<u>                          </u>
Attached resolution adopted.....	<u>                          </u>
FORTHWITH.....	<u>                          </u>
Mayor concurred .....	<u>          2-24-06          </u>
To the Mayor FORTHWITH .....	<u>          X          </u>
Motion adopted to approve communication recommendation(s).....	<u>                          </u>
Motion adopted to approve committee report recommendation(s)...	<u>                          </u>

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TO THE COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF LOS ANGELES

FILE NO. 04-2085-S1

Your **PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT** Committee

reports as follows:

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Public Comments	<u>XX</u>	<u>—</u>

PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to Planning Department request for staffing for the Sunland-Tujunga Interim Control Ordinance (ICO).

Recommendations for Council action, as initiated by Motion (Greuel - Weiss), SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. RESOLVE that Employment Authority, subject to allocation by the Personnel Department, for one Planning Associate, Class Code 7941, in the Planning Department for a five-month period, from February 1, 2006, through July 2006, is APPROVED .
2. TRANSFER \$30,000 (reduced from \$55,000 for a period of one year, to \$30,000 for a five-month period), from the "Council Initiated Planning Assignments" line item within the Unappropriated Balance, Fund 100/58, to the Planning Department, Fund 100/58, Salaries General Account No. 1010.
3. AMEND the scope of work so that staff responsibility includes not only work on the Sunland-Tujunga ICO, but also the Northeast Los Angeles ICO, if adopted by Council, and the review of other citywide hillside issues.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer (CAO) reports that funding for this position is recommended to be transferred from the Unappropriated Balance line item for Council-initiated planning assignments to the Planning Department's Salaries General Account No. 1010. There is no impact on the General Fund. Recommended funding for this program is in compliance with the City's Financial Policies in that it is a one-time expenditure (resolution authority expiring on June 30, 2006) funded by one-time revenue (transfer of budgeted funds to the Unappropriated Balance).

Summary:

At the meeting held on January 31, 2006, the Planning and Land Use Management (PLUM) Committee considered the July 21, 2005 CAO report relative to additional staffing in the Planning Department for one staff position in the Planning Department for the new Sunland-Tujunga Interim Control Ordinance (ICO). The CAO report was also considered by the Personnel Committee on August 3, 2005, and by the Budget and Finance Committee on September 6, 2005.

The CAO reported, that the Council, at its meeting held July 13, 2005, adopted reports from the City Planning Commission and the City Attorney relative to an ICO which would impose regulations on construction of residential structures within the Sunland-Tujunga area for a period of one year (Council file No. 04-2085). Along with the proposed ICO, the City Planning Department report recommended one additional position in the Planning Department to undertake the review and updating of the Sunland-Tujunga Community Plan and the Foothill Specific Plan (as initiated by Motion (Greuel - Weiss)). These updates are necessary to make these plans consistent with the proposed ICO (Details related to the proposed position duties of the Planning position requested are included in the CAO's report dated July 21, 2005, attached to Council file No. 04-1085-S1.).

