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Subject: Request City Attorney Opinion – follow-up to prior WRAC request

To the Honorable Councilwomen Yaroslavsky and Park and Honorable City Attorney Feldstein Soto:

We are following up on a position letter and request made by the Westside Regional of Councils (WRAC) in August of 2022, requesting the City Council to direct the City Attorney to provide a legal opinion as to whether the City Planning Dept. and commissions have the legal right under City and State laws and ordinances to consider the financial interest of the developer when considering entitlements.

For more details and background concerning this request, see the 2022 WRAC letter.

To our knowledge, no response was received nor any action taken on this request.

We now respectfully request that City Attorney Feldstein-Soto provide the requested legal opinion, and/or if necessary, that Councilwomen Yaroslavsky and Park request the City Attorney to provide the opinion.

Thank you for your consideration and anticipated cooperation with this request.

Best regards,

Robin Greenberg, Chair Christina Spitz, Vice-Chair Westside Regional Alliance of Councils www.westsidecouncils.com