

Pls Schedule Tuesday 7/26

TO CITY CLERK FOR PLACEMENT ON NEXT  
REGULAR COUNCIL AGENDA TO BE POSTED  
MOTION #51

JUL 20 2005

On Wednesday, June 29, 2005, at approximately 7:00 p.m., 15-year old Ramiro Guardado was fatally shot near the intersection of Astoria Street and Bradley Avenue, in Sylmar. A male, Hispanic, with short, black, cropped hair and brown eyes, approximately 5'9" in height and weighing 165 lbs., drove up to Mr. Guardado, engaged him in conversation, then shot him. Ramiro Guardado was struck in the neck which caused his demise.


The person or persons responsible for this crime represent an ongoing threat to the safety of the people of Los Angeles; therefore it is appropriate for the City of Los Angeles to offer a reward for information leading to the identification, apprehension and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the death of Ramiro Guardado.

I THEREFORE MOVE that, by adoption of this Motion, the City Council provide an offer of reward for information leading to the identification, apprehension and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the murder of the Ramiro Guardado, a resident of the City of Los Angeles, on June 29, 2005, and in support thereof make the following findings pursuant to Division 19, Chapter 12, Article 1 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code:

1. That the death of Ramiro Guardado was caused by the willful misconduct of one or more persons.
2. That this offer of reward is consistent with and taken for the immediate protection of the public peace, health and safety of local residents, as well as visitors to the City, and is consistent with the need to arrest and convict the person or persons who, because of not being apprehended, could by their actions further terrorize and present a continuing and immediate menace to the rights of persons in the City.
3. That this murder is an especially disturbing crime and therefore, as a matter of public policy, the City hereby offers a reward as an added inducement for persons to come forward with information leading to the identification, apprehension and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the death of Ramiro Guardado.
4. That the sum of \$50,000 shall be the aggregate maximum sum of any payment or payments of a City reward in this instance.
5. That the offer of reward shall be in effect for sixty (60) days from the date of the advertisement of the reward by the City Clerk.

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PRESENTED BY:   
ALEX PADILLA  
Councilmember, 7<sup>th</sup> District

SECONDED BY: 

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