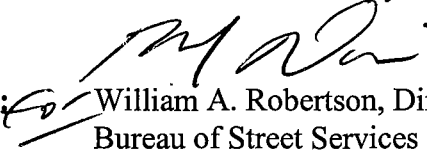


CITY OF LOS ANGELES
INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: March 24, 2006

TO: Honorable Bill Rosendahl, Chair
Public Works Committee
Attn: Adam Lid, Legislative Assistant
Office of the City Clerk

FROM:  William A. Robertson, Director
Bureau of Street Services

SUBJECT: 50/50 SIDEWALK REPAIR PROGRAM-CITYWIDE (C.F. 05-0183)

A motion under Council File 05-0183 instructed the Bureau of Street Services (BSS) to consider the feasibility of using a portion of the City's sidewalk repair funds to establish a voluntary citywide sidewalk repair program similar to the pilot program in Council District 2.

The 50/50 Sidewalk Repair Program was expanded City-wide beginning in July of 2005. The Bureau focused on discussing the program with interested homeowners, providing estimates, and executing agreements over the subsequent months. Due to the overwhelming demand and to allow the Bureau to initiate all work by a committed June 30, 2006 date, requests received after January 2006 are being deferred until next fiscal year, assuming the Program is extended.

As of February 14, 2006, the BSS provided 737 estimates and has received 535 commitments. Sidewalk reconstruction has been completed at 127 of these locations. Construction will be initiated on the remaining 408 locations by June 30, 2006. Attached is a summary table by Council District.

If you have any questions or if additional information is needed, please contact Ron Olive, Assistant Director of the Bureau of Street Services, at (213) 485-5681.

Attachment

50/50 SIDEWALK PROGRAM UPDATE 2/14/06

CD	TOTAL NUMBER OF ESTIMATES	TOTAL NUMBER OF BUY IN'S	TOTAL NUMBER OF LOCATIONS COMPLETED
1	2	1	0
2	68	47	20
3	43	30	3
4	34	20	3
5	102	79	16
6	19	12	2
7	19	13	0
8	95	60	8
9	5	3	2
10	47	42	2
11	176	137	34
12	51	34	11
13	10	6	2
14	11	8	0
15	55	43	24
TOTALS	737	535	127