

RESOLUTION FOR PLACEMENT ON NEXT
REGULAR COUNCIL AGENDA TO BE POSTED

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WHEREAS, any official position of the City of Los Angeles with respect to legislation, rules, regulations or policies proposed to or pending before a local, state or federal governmental body or agency must have first been adopted in the form of a Resolution by the City Council with the concurrence of the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, the Southern California Committee for the Olympic Games (SCCOG) will submit a bid to host the 2016 Olympics that would give the City of Los Angeles its third Summer Games; and

WHEREAS, Los Angeles is the only American city to serve as Olympics host more than once, hosting both the Summer Olympics in 1932 and 1984; and

WHEREAS, Los Angeles is the first U.S. city to formally enter the race to become the U.S. Olympic Committee's nominee; and

WHEREAS, the United States Olympic Committee is expected to name its bid city by 2007, and the International Olympic Committee will make its selection in 2009; and

WHEREAS, adoption of this resolution can be seen as an important step in the City's promoting the effort to garner the 2016 Summer Olympics; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by the adoption of this Resolution, the City of Los Angeles staunchly supports the Southern California Committee for the Olympic Games' bid to have the City of Los Angeles host the 2016 Olympic Summer Games. And, that it urges the United States Olympic Committee to select the City of Los Angeles as the U.S. Olympic committee's Bid City and, that the International Olympic Committee select the City of Los Angeles as the host of the 2016 Olympic Summer Games.

PRESENTED BY: Bernard C. Parks
BERNARD C. PARKS
Council member, Eighth District

CO-PRESENTED BY: Tom LaBonge
TOM LaBONGE
Council member, Fourth District

SECONDED BY: [Signature]

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