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SPECIAL 1

MOTION

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On October 31, 2010, approximately 2:00pm, Aaron Shannon- 5 years old, Terrance Shannon- 27 years old, and William Shannon- 56 years old were in the backyard of 1007 E. 84th Street when unknown suspects walking eastbound through the alley fired numerous shots. All victims were struck by the gunfire and transported to the hospital. Aaron Shannon succumbed to his injuries on November 2, 2010. Terrance and William Shannon were treated at the hospital for the injuries and released.

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 Aaron Shannon and the injuries sustained Terrance and William Shannon.

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 death of Aaron Shannon and the injuries sustained by Terrance and William Shannon, residents of the City of Los Angeles, on October 31, 2010, 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 Aaron Shannon and the injuries sustained by Aaron, Terrance and William Shannon were 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 what happened to Aaron, Terrance and William Shannon, 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 Aaron Shannon and the injuries sustained by Terrance and William Shannon
4. That the sum of \$75,000 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 six months from the date of the advertisement of the reward by the City Clerk.

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Clerk be directed to cause notices and/or advertisements to be duly published according to the requirements of Division 19, Chapter 12, Article 1 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, and to thereby cause the offer of reward to become effective.

PRESENTED BY:

JAN C. PERRY
Councilwoman, 9th District

NDDED BY:

November 2, 2010

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