

ANIMAL ISSUES MOVEMENT

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September 20, 2018

Mayor Eric Garcetti (Attn: Carlos Singer)
Councilman Paul Koretz, Chair
Councilman Mitchell Englander
Councilman Curren Price
Personnel and Animal Welfare Committee
200 N. Spring Street
Los Angeles CA 90012

CF 18-1200-S23 - ADDITIONAL OPPOSITION TO APPOINTMENT OF JOSE SANDOVAL OF LATINO ALLIANCE FOR ANIMAL CARE FOUNDATION AS COMMISSIONER, BOARD OF L.A. ANIMAL SERVICES - CONFLICT INTEREST; FAILURE TO DISCLOSE

Following is additional information in opposition to the appointment of Jose Sandoval, Founder of Latino Alliance Care Foundation, to the L.A. Animal Services Commission, which is scheduled for the Personnel and Animal Welfare Committee as ITEM 2 on September 25, 2018.

Animal Issues Movement strongly **OPPOSES** appointment of Jose Sandoval to this position and incorporates its letter dated August 25, 2018, by reference herein.

Additionally, the following is added, **which shows continuing intent to hide Mr. Sandoval's conflict of interest as a party to the \$500,000 contract with the City of Los Angeles, which was awarded to Heaven on Earth, a 501(c)3 AND LATINO ALLIANCE ANIMAL CARE FOUNDATION, founded/headed by JOSE SANDOVAL.** This contract (CF 18-0150), was approved by the PAW committee on 6/6/2018 and approved by Council on 6/20/2018.

ADDITIONAL FAILURE TO DISCLOSE:

1. On Sept. 6, 2018, the Ethics Commission forwarded to the Council a "Financial Disclosure Statement" by Mr. Jose Sandoval, dated 9/04/2018, which lists NO income or interests. (Exh. A.)
2. Then, on Sept. 17, the Ethics Commission forwarded "amendments to Mr. Sandoval's pre-confirmation financial disclosure statement," which **STILL FAILS TO SHOW** that he is a partner and co-contractor with Heaven on Earth on this contract, but lists him as a "consultant" to Heaven on Earth, and shows the "business activity" as "Medical lic," with Gross Income Received between \$10,000 - \$100,000. (Exh. B)
3. Attached is the Internet webpage for "Heaven on Earth Society for Animals," which indicates it is a 501(c)3 and does not list itself as connected to or functioning as "Medical lic." (Exh. C)
4. Attached is the Internet webpage for LATINO ALLIANCE FOR ANIMAL CARE FOUNDATION as a non-profit corporation, involved with charitable groups (Exh. D).
5. Attached is the Charity Navigation webpage for LATINO ALLIANCE FOR ANIMAL CARE showing its non-profit status but no tax filing and suggesting "Add to My Charities" and "Donate to this Charity." (Exh. D and E)
6. Mr. Sandoval's resume for the appointment to the Animal Services Commission fails to disclose that he is **CURRENTLY** and has **since May 27, 2014, continuously served on the Police Permit Review Panel, being reappointed for a second term on September 27, 2017.** (Exh. F and G)

7. Also, Mr. Sandoval's resume for the position of Animal Services Commissioner omits information contained in his resume for the LAPD Permit Review Panel--that at that time he worked for "Empower LA/Department of Neighborhood Empowerment (DONE) as an Independent Election Administrator." (Exh. H)

8. Both resumes fail to disclose that Mr. Sandoval was a former City employee and served as the Pacoima Office Director for L.A. City District Seven Councilman Richard Alarcon, as recently as 2013. (See Aug. 25 Opposition Letter)

The totality of Mr. Sandoval's failure to honestly disclose all of the above information--and particularly the current financial conflict of interest involving the \$500,000 City spay/neuter contract (with two possible renewal options) and the potential influence resulting in Commissioners not wanting to vote against a fellow Board member in the possible renewal of such contract places the entire Commission in a compromised position.

There is also the complication that the Board of Animal Services Commissioners, under the Charter, heads the Department. This would place the General Manager in the position of administering a contract awarded to her own boss.

The foregoing disqualifies Mr. Sandoval from serving on this Board, as it represents an obvious financial interest and places him in the position of administering his own contract and influencing the votes of other Commissioners, who can no longer maintain an unbiased and objective perspective.

As stated before, these omissions by Mr. Jose Sandoval are a volitional act. He was deliberately hiding vital ethics information which must be available to the public, Council, Mayor and the Ethics Commission in considering him for this position.

This appointment MUST be denied.

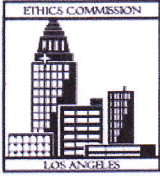
This letter is also being sent to the L.A. City Attorney and the Ethics Commission.

Phyllis M. Daugherty

Phyllis M. Daugherty, Director

cc: Mike Feuer, City Attorney
Dov Lesel, Assistant City Attorney
Laurie Rittenberg, Deputy City Attorney
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Exh. A



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Restricted Source Financial Disclosure Statement Form 60

Elected City officials, general managers and chief administrative officers of City agencies, members of City boards and commissions, and individuals nominated to positions subject to City Council approval must file this form in conjunction with the state Form 700. Please refer to the attached instructions for additional information.

Original Filing Amended Filing (original filed on ___/___/20___)

Total Pages: 1

Name: **Sandoval, Jose**
(Last, First, Middle)

Agency: Animal Services, Department of Position: **Commissioner**

Phone: [REDACTED]

Email: _____

Type of Statement: Pre-confirmation Date of nomination: 08 / 14 / 2018
 Assuming Office First day in position: ___ / ___ / 20___
 Annual ___ / ___ / 20___ through December 31, 20___
 Leaving Office Last day in office: ___ / ___ / 20___

I had the following interests associated with restricted sources during this reporting period:

- 1. REAL PROPERTY** — *section attached.*
Interests in real property leased from or to, co-owned by, purchased from, or sold to a restricted source.
- 2. INVESTMENTS** — *section attached.*
Investments (other than real property) co-owned by, purchased from, or sold to a restricted source.
- 3. INCOME** — *section attached.*
Income received from a restricted source.
- 4. GIFTS** — *section attached.*
Gifts, cumulatively valued at \$50 or more, received from a restricted source.
- 5. BOARD POSITIONS** — *section attached.*
Positions held on the board of a restricted source.

- Or -

6. NO INTERESTS
I had no interests in real property, investments, income, gifts, or board positions associated with restricted sources during this reporting period.

Certification

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the City of Los Angeles and the state of California that I have read the instructions for this form and the information I have provided is true and complete.

09/04/2018 02:14 PM
Date _____

Electronic Submission
Signature _____

COVER PAGE

Filed Date: 09/04/2018 02:13 PM
SAN: 011300006-STH-0006

Please type or print in ink.

NAME OF FILER (LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)
Sandoval Jose

1. Office, Agency, or Court

Agency Name (Do not use acronyms)
Animal Services, Department of
Division, Board, Department, District, if applicable Your Position
Commissioner

▶ If filing for multiple positions, list below or on an attachment. (Do not use acronyms)

Agency: _____ Position: _____

2. Jurisdiction of Office (Check at least one box)

- State Judge or Court Commissioner (Statewide Jurisdiction)
- Multi-County _____ County of _____
- City of Los Angeles Other _____

3. Type of Statement (Check at least one box)

- Annual: The period covered is January 1, 2017, through December 31, 2017.
- or-
 The period covered is ____/____/____, through December 31, 2017.
- Assuming Office: Date assumed ____/____/____
- Leaving Office: Date Left ____/____/____ (Check one)
 - The period covered is January 1, 2017, through the date of leaving office.
 - or-
 The period covered is ____/____/____, through the date of leaving office.
- Candidate: Date of Election 08/14/2018 and office sought, if different than Part 1: _____

4. Schedule Summary (must complete) ▶ Total number of pages including this cover page: 1

Schedules attached

- Schedule A-1 - Investments – schedule attached Schedule C - Income, Loans, & Business Positions – schedule attached
- Schedule A-2 - Investments – schedule attached Schedule D - Income – Gifts – schedule attached
- Schedule B - Real Property – schedule attached Schedule E - Income – Gifts – Travel Payments – schedule attached

-or-

None - No reportable interests on any schedule

5. Verification

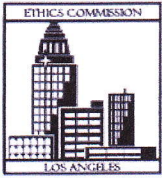
MAILING ADDRESS STREET CITY STATE ZIP CODE
(Business or Agency Address Recommended - Public Document)
Los Angeles CA 90012
DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER E-MAIL ADDRESS
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I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I have reviewed this statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein and in any attached schedules is true and complete. I acknowledge this is a public document.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date Signed 09/04/2018 02:13 PM Signature Electronic Submission
(month, day, year) (File the originally signed statement with your filing official.)

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Type of Statement:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pre-confirmation	Date of nomination: <u>08</u> / <u>14</u> / 20 <u>18</u>
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09/16/2018 10:16 AM
Date

Electronic Submission
Signature

SCHEDULE C

Income, Loans, & Business Positions

(Other than Gifts and Travel Payments)

▶ 1. INCOME RECEIVED

NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME
heaven on Earth

ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable)
[REDACTED] CA 91605

BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF SOURCE
Medical lic

YOUR BUSINESS POSITION
Consultant

GROSS INCOME RECEIVED No Income - Business Position Only
 \$500 - \$1,000 \$1,001 - \$10,000
 \$10,001 - \$100,000 OVER \$100,000

CONSIDERATION FOR WHICH INCOME WAS RECEIVED
 Salary Spouse's or registered domestic partner's income
 (For self-employed use Schedule A-2.)
 Partnership (Less than 10% ownership. For 10% or greater use
 Schedule A-2.)
 Sale of _____
 (Real property, car, boat, etc.)
 Loan repayment
 Commission or Rental Income, list each source of \$10,000 or more

 (Describe)
 Other Consultant

 (Describe)

▶ 1. INCOME RECEIVED

NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME

ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable)

BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF SOURCE

YOUR BUSINESS POSITION

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 (Real property, car, boat, etc.)
 Loan repayment
 Commission or Rental Income, list each source of \$10,000 or more

 (Describe)
 Other _____
 (Describe)

Comments: _____

▶ 2. LOANS RECEIVED OR OUTSTANDING DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD

* You are not required to report loans from commercial lending institutions, or any indebtedness created as part of a retail installment or credit card transaction, made in the lender's regular course of business on terms available to members of the public without regard to your official status. Personal loans and loans received not in a lender's regular course of business must be disclosed as follows:

NAME OF LENDER* _____

ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable) _____

BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF LENDER _____

HIGHEST BALANCE DURING REPORTING PERIOD
 \$500 - \$1,000
 \$1,001 - \$10,000
 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 OVER \$100,000

INTEREST RATE _____% None

TERM (Months/Years) _____

SECURITY FOR LOAN
 None Personal residence
 Real Property _____
 Street address _____
 City _____
 Guarantor _____
 Other _____
 (Describe)

Filer's Verification

Print Name Jose Sandoval Office, Agency or Court Animal Services, Department of

Statement Type 2017/2018 Annual _____ Annual Assuming Leaving Candidate
 (yr)

I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I have reviewed this statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein and in any attached schedules is true and complete.

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Date Signed 09/16/2018 10:20 AM Filer's Signature Electronic Submission
 (month, day, year)

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What We Do

The mission of Heaven on Earth Society for Animals is to transform the lives of homeless cats through rescue, sanctuary and new beginnings. Founded in 2000, Heaven on Earth's programs and events are aimed to rescue cats most at risk for euthanasia and to raise awareness in Los Angeles and beyond.



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Perry's Place

The Perry MacFarlane Sanctuary is our 5,500 square foot cage-free, no-kill sanctuary and adoption center which provides a safe, healthy and loving environment for our cats and kittens.

Adoptions

Perry's Place is open to the public four days a week in an effort to place more cats and kittens into their forever homes. Heaven on Earth also participates in mobile adoption events on the weekends at several area pet stores.

SpayShip

The SpayShip Transport Program provides spay and neuter transportation services to stray, feral, community and companion cats in the Los Angeles area.

Make a difference today. Save lives and support our cause.

It's easy. It's tax deductible. It makes a huge difference in precious lives.

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Featured Cats

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(<http://instagram.com/startrescueteam>)
(<http://www.youtube.com/channel/UC-Q7ctu8YcdLHJN6CQykUXg>)
(<https://startrescue.org/donate>)
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PET-FRIENDLY HOUSING (https://startrescue.org/resource_category/pet-friendly-housing/)
FINANCIAL AID (https://startrescue.org/resource_category/financial/)
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FERAL CATS (https://startrescue.org/resource_category/feral-cats/)

LATINO ALLIANCE FOR ANIMAL CARE FOUNDATION

818-493-9078 (Phone)

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(<http://www.99centrazor.com/pages/shave4shelters>)



(<http://www.bissell.com/partnersforpets/>)



(<https://www.rover.com/>)



(<https://www.vetary.com>)



(<http://www.lostpetusa.net/home>)



(<http://www.wooftrax.com/get-the-app/>)



(<https://www.petbucket.com>)



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Latino Alliance for Animal Care Foundation

PANORAMA CITY, CA

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The Form 990 N does not provide the needed information to complete a rating

What does it mean that this organization isn't rated?

It simply means that the organization does not meet our criteria. A lack of a rating does not indicate a positive or negative assessment by Charity Navigator.

EIN	45-4722654
Name in IRS Master File	LATINO ALLIANCE FOR ANIMAL CARE FOUNDATION
Street Address	PO BOX 44342
City, State, Zip	PANORAMA CITY, CA 91412-0342
NTEE Code	D01
NTEE Classification	Alliance/Advocacy Organizations
NTEE Type	Animal-Related

Classification	Educational Organization
Subsection	501(c)(3) (View the list of codes)
Activities	
Foundation Status	Organization which receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or the general public 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
Deductibility	Contributions are deductible
Affiliation	Independent - the organization is an independent organization or an independent auxiliary (i.e., not affiliated with a National, Regional, or Geographic grouping of organizations).
Group Name	[Not Applicable]
Ruling Date	May, 2016
Asset Amount	\$0
Income Amount	\$0
Form 990 Revenue Amount	\$0
Latest Form 990 Return	June, 2017
Filing Requirement	990 - Required to file Form 990-N - Income less than \$50,000 per year
Fiscal Year End	June

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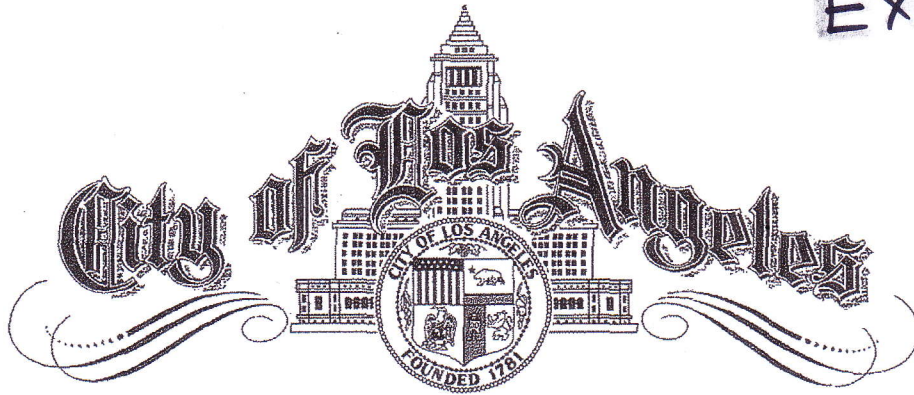
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ERIC GARCETTI
MAYOR

May 27, 2014

Honorable Members of the City Council
c/o City Clerk
City Hall, Room 395

Honorable Members:

Subject to your confirmation, I have appointed Mr. Jose Sandoval to the Police Permit Review Panel for the term ending June 30, 2017. Mr. Sandoval will fill the vacancy created by Juan Bustamante, whom I removed effective July 31, 2014 or at the time Mr. Bustamante's successor is confirmed by the City Council.

I certify that in my opinion Mr. Sandoval is qualified for the work that will devolve upon him, and that I make the appointment solely in the interest of the City.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. G. H.', written over a faint, larger version of the signature.

ERIC GARCETTI
Mayor

EG:dlg

Attachment

JOSE SANDOVAL

2014

Jose Sandoval is known as a proponent on issues of health, safety, and animal care serving in public service roles in the San Fernando Valley. He is past chairman and board member of the Panorama City Neighborhood Council (2007-2013) where he organized the first Panorama City Health and Safety Fair. The Health and Safety Fair, now in its seventh year, provides free medical services to the community such as mammograms, dental checks, vision care, and diabetes and blood pressure screenings. To date, the Health Fair has served over ten thousand community members.

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MAYOR

OFFICE OF THE
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When making inquiries relative to
this matter, please refer to the
Council File No.: [14-0698](#)

OFFICIAL ACTION OF THE LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL

September 29, 2017

Council File No.: [14-0698](#)

Council Meeting Date: September 27, 2017

Agenda Item No.: 1

Agenda Description: COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR and CITY ETHICS COMMISSION relative to the reappointment of Mr. Jose Sandoval to the Police Permit Review Panel.

Council Action: PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT - ADOPTED

Council Vote:	YES	BOB BLUMENFIELD
	ABSENT	MIKE BONIN
	YES	JOE BUSCAINO
	YES	GILBERT A. CEDILLO
	ABSENT	MITCHELL ENGLANDER
	YES	MARQUEECE HARRIS-DAWSON
	YES	JOSE HUIZAR
	ABSENT	PAUL KORETZ
	YES	PAUL KREKORIAN
	YES	NURY MARTINEZ
	YES	MITCH O'FARRELL
	YES	CURREN D. PRICE
	YES	MONICA RODRIGUEZ
	ABSENT	DAVID RYU
	YES	HERB WESSON

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