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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(27) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 10/23/2019

Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

Date: 10/28/2019

Update to a Previous Input: No

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Council File Number: 19-0600

Agenda Date: 10/23/2019

Item Number: 12

Summary: The Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council held a Brown-Act publicly noticed board meeting on 10/23/2019, and unanimously approved the following motion for the Budget Advocates who are asking for an earlier reveal of the Mayor's budget as follows: - Whereas, according to the City Charter, "each Neighborhood Council may present to the Mayor and Council an annual list of priorities for the City budget." - Whereas, on July 24 and September 3, the Neighborhood Council Budget Advocates recommended that the Mayor present his Proposed Budget on February 1st, 80 days earlier than the charter mandated date of April 20th . Whereas, this recommendation was rejected. - Whereas, the Budget Advocates believe that the development of the Budget must be an open and transparent process where all interested parties, including Budget Advocates, have ample time to review, analyze, and comment upon the budget. - Whereas, the extra 80 days will allow for increased transparency. - Therefore, the Bel Air-Beverly Neighborhood Council supports increased transparency into the development of the City's budget and finances and strongly recommends that the Mayor present his Proposed Budget on February 1st, 80 days earlier than the charter mandated date of April 20th. Furthermore, the Neighborhood Council supports the filing of this Community Impact Statement in Council File 19-0600 (Budget Proposal Fiscal Year 2019-20) or subsequent budget file for the Fiscal Year 2020-21.