

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to donations from the Grateful Hearts Food Fair and Fundraiser.

Recommendation for Council action:

ACCEPT the donation of \$20,000 to the fire stations in Operations Valley Bureau Battalion 17 and the Los Angeles Fire Department's Crew 3 Volunteer Program.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Nothing submitted by the Los Angeles Fire Commission (L AFC). Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On September 11, 2019, your Committee considered a September 3, 2019 L AFC report relative to acceptance of donations from the Grateful Hearts Food Fair and Fundraiser. According to the L AFC, on May 10, 2019, the West Valley-Warner Center Chamber of Commerce coordinated the 13th Annual Grateful Hearts Food Fair and Fundraiser. The event is sponsored by Douglas Emmett Inc. in appreciation to the local first responders in the Warner Center area in Council District 3. The proceeds from the event help to support the local fire stations in Battalion 17 and the Topanga police station. This year \$20,000 was raised and pledged to seven fire stations in Battalion 17 of Operations Valley Bureau and the Department's Crew 3 volunteer program. Each fire station was pledged a donation of \$2,700 and Crew 3 was pledged \$1,100. Upon approval and receipt, the referenced amounts will be deposited into the respective fire stations and Crew 3 accounts at the Los Angeles Fire Department Foundation. The Foundation will manage and disperse the donations to the fire stations and Crew 3 in accordance with Department and City policy. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to approve the donations as detailed in the L AFC report and in the above recommendation. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
O'FARRELL:	YES
BUSCAINO:	YES
RYU:	YES
LEE:	YES

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9/11/19

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