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REPORT NO. <u>R20-0335</u> DEC 14 2020

## REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1)

## **REPORT RE:**

## SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION

ANDY CASTILLO v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. 19STCV34719

The Honorable City Council City of Los Angeles Room 395, City Hall 200 N. Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

(Re: Claim No. C19-05450)

## Honorable Members:

This office recommends that discussions with, and advise from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action in this pending litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1). Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1) requires you to state publicly prior to the closed session, what subdivision of this section authorizes the closed meeting, and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation.

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This matter involves a claimed dangerous condition located on or near 741 North Vermont Avenue in Los Angeles.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Vi Thomas, Deputy City Attorney at (213) 978-6947. She or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer any questions you may have.

Very truly yours,

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