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Comments for Public Posting: This is an ill thought out motion with far ranging implications far beyond simply making it easier to utilize surplus and unneeded City Property. It is a recipe for corruption, which has been no stranger to this city council for decades now. It will give the green light to unscrupulous operators and city council members to rape and plunder the assets of minority and disadvantaged lower class communities to enrich themselves and their cronies, and leave these communities with denser populations, less amenities, and a lower quality of life. Stop this travesty in its tracks and vote NO on this, and send it back to committee to be reworked into something that the working class communities of this city can have input on, unlike this, which was rushed through so quickly even those of us paying attention to these issues only just found out about it. The MOU may be causing some issues, but this motion goes FAR beyond simply eliminating the MOU, which is all that needs to happen. It over-reaches and gives the city and the City Councilmembers too much power to hand out public assets like so many sweet treats. The decision of what to do with PUBLIC assets should be decided by the local PUBLIC, not downtown LA, where it seems their only interest is in furthering their political careers by catering to the demands of crony developers and special interest lobbyists. Vote NO and rework this motion to return the power of what to do with Public Assets to the local stakeholders who best know how they should be used. Or vote yes and show us all just how corrupt you are.