MOTION

Adrienne Omansky, born on March 19, 1948 in Los Angeles, grew up in multiple neighborhoods throughout the City including East Los Angeles, Boyle Heights, and the Fairfax District. In 1970 she graduated from the University of California, Los Angeles with a degree in Social Welfare before earning her Master's in Recreational Therapy from California State University, Northridge in 1975.

Adrienne worked for 38 years as a teacher-adviser in Programs for Older Adults within the Los Angeles Unified School District before her retirement in 2015. As part of her work with older residents, Adrienne addressed the issue of scams targeting this community.

In 2009, Adrienne, along with fellow educators and a group of friends, formed the Stop Senior Scams Acting Program, which promotes awareness of the scams targeting older adults and provides education in a peer-to-peer format to prevent senior fraud. The program was acknowledged for its work in 2018 by the U.S. Senate Special Committee on Aging and has become a model for serving and empowering this vulnerable population.

A long-time resident of Council District 5, Adrienne lived with her husband, Arthur Omansky, in Century City for 47 years. Following her retirement in 2015, Adrienne continued her advocacy work and collaborated with the City in her work to empower and protect older adults. Adrienne passed away on November 27, 2024.

In recognition of Adrienne Omansky's legacy of service, especially to the senior citizen community of Los Angeles, it is appropriate that the City name the intersection of La Cienaga Boulevard and 18th Street as "Adrienne Omansky Square."

I THEREFORE MOVE that the intersection of La Cienega Boulevard and 18th Street be named as "Adrienne Omansky Square" and that the Department of Transportation be directed to erect permanent ceremonial signage to this effect at this location.

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