

ARTS, PARKS, LIBRARIES, AND COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to authorizing the execution the proposed agreement between the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) and CultivaLA, Inc. for the operation and maintenance of the Pico-Union Cesar Chavez Community Garden, located at 1554 West 11th Place.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. AUTHORIZE the Board of Recreation and Parks Commissioners (Board), or designee, to execute the proposed agreement between RAP and CultivaLA, Inc. for the operation and maintenance of the Pico-Union Cesar Chavez Community Garden, located at 1554 West 11th Place, Los Angeles, CA 90015, for a term of five years upon the execution of the agreement, with one five-year option to renew, subject to review and approval of the City Attorney as to form.
2. REQUEST the Board, or designee, attach the Standard Provisions for City Contracts (Rev. 1/25)[v.2] to the proposed agreement before execution.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer (CAO) reports that the agreement will have no adverse fiscal impact on the General Fund or the Recreation and Parks Fund 302, as the CultivaLA Inc. is a self-sustaining program, and events and activities are funded through CultivaLA Inc. dues, grants, and private donations, at no cost to the Department.

Financial Policies Statement: The CAO reports that the action recommended in this report complies with the City's Financial Policies as there is no cost to the City associated with the proposed agreement.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

TIME LIMIT FILE – SEPTEMBER 8, 2025

(LAST DAY FOR COUNCIL ACTION – SEPTEMBER 5, 2025)

Summary:

On August 12, 2025, your Committee considered a City Administrative Officer report, dated June 12, 2025, relative to authorizing the execution the proposed agreement between the Department of Recreation and Parks and CultivaLA, Inc. for the operation and maintenance of the Pico-Union Cesar Chavez Community Garden, located at 1554 West 11th Place.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to approve the recommendations in the report. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,
ARTS, PARKS, LIBRARIES, AND COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
JURADO:	YES
HERNANDEZ:	ABSENT
NAZARIAN:	YES

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