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March 3, 2026

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Public Works Committee
Attn: Michael Espinosa

Councilmember Heather Hutt, Chair
Transportation Committee
Attn: Rita Moreno

Councilmember Curren D. Price, Jr.
Economic Development and Jobs
Committee
Attn: Jason Lopez

RE: 25-1508

On March 3, 2026, the Government Operations Committee considered a Motion (Nazarian – Hutt) relative to making all non-specialized City-owned parking lots, yards, staging areas, and civil properties available to film and television productions for a nominal fee. After consideration, the Committee moved to concur with the February 17, 2026 action of the Economic Development and Jobs Committee. A summary of the EDJ Committee recommendations is attached for reference. This file is hereby transmitted forward.

Adam R Lid

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Legislative Assistant II

VOTE:
PADILLA: YES
LEE: YES
JURADO: ABSENT

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February 17, 2026

Councilmember Imelda Padilla, Chair
Government Operations Committee
Attn: Adam Lid

Councilmember Adrin Nazarian, Chair
Energy and Environment Committee
Attn: Michael Espinosa

Councilmember Eunisses Hernandez, Chair
Public Works Committee
Attn: Michael Espinosa

Councilmember Heather Hutt, Chair
Transportation Committee
Attn: Rita Moreno

RE: COUNCIL FILE TRANSMITTAL – CF No. 25-1508

On January 16, 2026, the Economic Development and Jobs Committee considered a Motion (Nazarian – Hutt) relative to making all non-specialized City-owned parking lots, yards, staging areas, and civic properties available to film and television productions for a nominal fee.

After consideration, the Economic Development and Jobs Committee moved to approve the following recommendations, as amended:

Recommendations for Council action, as initiated by Motion (Nazarian – Hutt):

1. INSTRUCT the Department of Transportation, the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP), the Bureau of Engineering, the Bureau of Street Services, the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, and all other relevant City departments to report to Council on making all non-specialized City-owned parking lots, yards, staging areas, and civic properties available to productions for a fee of \$1 per day or a legally required nominal fee, except when:
 - a. The production requests exclusive use of a location.
 - b. The production requires City staffing such as monitors or traffic personnel; or,
 - c. The department determines a documented safety or operational conflict exists.

2. INTRUST the RAP to report to Council with recommendations for a similar \$1 fee structure for park-adjacent lots or non-sensitive facilities that can be used for staging without disrupting recreation or requiring RAP staffing. This report should include, but not be limited to, a list of:
 - a. The department's City-owned parking lots, yards, staging areas, and civic properties.
 - b. Annual revenue generated related to film and television productions.
 - c. Net loss of profit this \$1 fee structure is implemented.
3. INSTRUCT the DWP and the Library Department to identify underutilized lots or properties that could be added to FilmLA's LocoScout system and made available under this \$ 1 policy.
4. INSTRUCT all relevant departments report to Council within 120 days on usage, operational impacts, community feedback, and recommendations for permanent adoption. Further departments may prioritize scheduling and access for productions generating multi-day activity, substantial in-City spend, or operating under State tax credits, provided such prioritization is applied transparently and consistent with City policy.

This file is now transmitted to the Government Operations Committee, Energy and Environment Committee, Public Works Committee, and the Transportation Committee.



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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND JOBS COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
PRICE	YES
SOTO-MARTÍNEZ	YES
JURADO	YES
NAZARIAN	YES
PARK	YES

JL 2.17.2026