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The Skatepark Project, a nonprofit organization, was founded by Tony Hawk in 2002 and is dedicated to increasing access to outdoor recreation and free play in underserved communities by creating safe and inclusive skateparks. The Skatepark Project has helped build nearly 700 skateparks across all 50 states, has provided thousands of kids with skating equipment, and has facilitated local contests in which kids have participated. The Skatepark Project would like to work with the City to develop temporary improvements at the West Los Angeles Municipal Complex (Complex) that would allow for skating to safely take place at this site.

Although the Complex is slated for redevelopment, the Bureau of Engineering would work with the Skatepark Project to deliver these temporary improvements in the interim. These proposed improvements include: four skate obstacles, handrails, ledges, wedge spine, signage, and replicated courthouse monuments. The Skatepark Project will oversee the design/building of these improvements and will work with professional builders to develop the improvements. Additionally, the Skateboard Project will pay for any costs associated with the proposed improvements.

The value of the donation is approximately \$70,000. Action is needed to accept this donation and to authorize the donor to perform the work.

I THEREFORE MOVE that Council accept the donation by the Skatepark Project of labor, material and equipment for four skate obstacles, handrails, ledges, wedge spine, signage, and replicated courthouse monuments at the West Los Angeles Municipal Complex, with an estimated value of \$70,000, and to thank the donor on behalf of the City.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Skatepark Project be authorized to perform the improvements described above, and that the City Attorney be requested, with the assistance of the Bureau of Engineering and the General Services Department, to negotiate the necessary agreement(s) with the Skatepark Project relative to this donation.

I FURTHER MOVE that the General Services Department be directed to grant reasonable access to the Skatepark Project to enter the West Los Angeles Municipal Complex to perform the work.

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Councilmember, 11th District

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