

TO CITY CLERK FOR PLACEMENT ON NEXT
REGULAR COUNCIL AGENDA TO BE POSTED

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MOTION

The rising cost of pet ownership, including food, veterinary care, and other essential supplies can create significant financial hardship for families and contribute to pet owners having to surrender their beloved animals to shelters. It can also deter Angelenos from adopting animals who are looking for their forever homes.

Providing access to pet food and other essential resources helps families care for their pets during difficult times, prevents avoidable surrenders, and supports the goal of keeping animals in loving homes.

The Department of Animal Services (DAS) operates three community pet food pantries that provide critical assistance to pet owners experiencing financial hardship. Additional funding will help meet the growing need for pet food assistance across Los Angeles, including the San Fernando Valley, while reducing the need to divert resources from the Department's general shelter animal food budget.

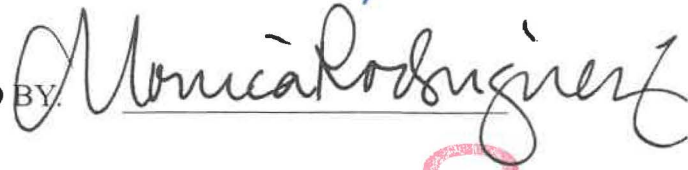
I THEREFORE MOVE that \$25,000 from the AB1290 Fund No. 53P, Account No. 281203 (CD 3 Redevelopment Projects – Services) be transferred / appropriated to the Animal Welfare Trust Fund No. 859-06, Account No. 060052 (Food Pantry Program) to provide supplemental funding for the community pet food pantry in the San Fernando Valley.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Department of Animal Services be authorized to make any corrections, clarifications or revisions to the above fund transfer instructions, including any new instructions, in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion, and including any corrections and changes to fund or account numbers; said corrections / clarifications / changes may be made orally, electronically or by any other means.

PRESENTED BY:


BOB BLUMENFELD
Councilmember, 3rd District

SECONDED BY:




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