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BOARD REPORT

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NO. 18-036

DATE March 7, 2018

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SUBJECT: EXPO CENTER YOUTH ORCHESTRA – CORRECTION TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS, THE LOS ANGELES PHILHARMONIC ASSOCIATION, THE HARMONY PROJECT, AND THE FRIENDS OF EXPO CENTER

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RECOMMENDATIONS

Approve a correction to the paragraph iv of subsection E of Section 3 of the Agreement between the Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) EXPO Center, The Los Angeles Philharmonic Association (LAPA), The Harmony Project (Harmony), and The Friends of EXPO Center to ratify the coordinated efforts of bringing classical music instruction and awareness to South Los Angeles, as more fully described in this Report.

SUMMARY

On January 4, 2017, through Report No. 17-001, the Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners (Board) approved a five-year Agreement between RAP, LAPA, Harmony and The Friends of EXPO Center for the continuation of the EXPO Center Youth Orchestra Los Angeles (YOLA@EXPO Center) (Agreement).

The approved Agreement has yet to be executed, but RAP staff requests the Board to approve a correction to the Agreement prior to its execution. The correction is to delete the third sentence of paragraph iv of subsection E of Section 3, which currently reads as follows: "Upon termination of this AGREEMENT , the names "EXPO Center – Youth Orchestra Los Angeles" or "YOLA@EXPO Center" become the exclusive intellectual property of CITY, which shall hold all rights to these names." All parties to the proposed Agreement agreed to this correction change prior to the approval of Report No. 17-001 on January 4, 2017. However, in error, this sentence was not removed from the final draft as submitted to the Board.

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

There is no fiscal impact to the RAP's General Fund, except unknown savings, as the donation may offset some expenditures.

The report was prepared by Belinda Jackson, Executive Director, EXPO Center.