REPORT OF GENERAL MANAGER

DATE January 5, 2005

BOARD OF RECREATION AND PARK COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT: VARIOUS COMMUNICATIONS

Approved ______ Disapproved ______ Withdrawn ______

The following communications have been received by the Board and recommended action thereon is presented.

From:

1) City Clerk, relative to declaring the week of November 14-20, 2004, as Hunger and Homeless Awareness Week in the City of Los Angeles.

Recommendation:

Note and file.

2) City Clerk, relative to various recommendations by the L.A. for Kids Steering Committee regarding the proposed designation of Proposition 12 and Proposition 40 grant funds.

Recommendation:

Note and file.

3) City Clerk, relative to declaring the ninth annual Griffith Park Festival of Lights on November 26, 2004 through January 2, 2005 a Special Event.

Recommendation:

Note and file.

4) City Clerk, relative to contracting with American Landscape Management, Inc., for grounds keeping services for five Youth and Family Centers and the Robert Pitts Community Center.

Recommendation:

Refer to General Manager.
5) Michael H. Stafford, Del Rey Neighborhood Council, relative to proposing park and recreational facilities in the Del Rey neighborhood.

Refer to General Manager for response.

6) Richard Glair, relative to alleged gross, if not criminal, malfeasance of a Sr. Recreation Director I at Queen Anne Park.

Refer to General Manager for response.

7) Rob Perez, relative to placing a wireless cell site in Temescal Canyon Park.

Refer to General Manager.

8) Various Communicants (9) relative to opposition to a private organization's, Southern California Aquatics Masters Swimming Club, request for greater use of Westwood Pool.

Refer to General Manager.

9) Craig Buck, relative to the situation between the Aquatics Section, Southern California Aquatics and members of the community.

Refer to General Manager.

10) D. Blythe, requesting information on the procedure for getting a park in their community.

Refer to General Manager for response.

11) Jack Babbitt, Vice-Chair, Wilmington Neighborhood Council, to Councilmember Hahn, relative to the proposed fencing around the Banning Residence Museum.

Note and file.

12) Errol Graham, President, West Hollywood Aquatics, relative to the use of City pools by community groups.

Refer to General Manager.
13) Jayne Singer, ME, relative to the situation between Southern California Aquatics and the Aquatics Section.

Refer to General Manager.

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