

MINUTES

**CITY COUNCIL STUDY SESSION
MARCH 9, 1987
WEST HOLLYWOOD PARK
647 N. SAN VICENTE BOULEVARD
7:00 P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Schulte called the meeting to order at 7:10 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Judy Abdo, Deputy to Councilmember Albert.

ROLL CALL: PRESENT: Albert, Heilman, Land, Viterbi,
Mayor Schulte

ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: City Manager Brotzman

POSTING OF AGENDA - REPORT BY CITY CLERK: The agenda was posted at City Hall on Tuesday, March 3, 1987, well in advance of the required 72 hours.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: The agenda was approved as submitted.

1. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT: Paul Brotzman, City Manager reported that he had personnel and litigation matters to discuss with Council in Closed session.

2. IRS "LOBBYING RULES" - RESOLUTION NO. 295: The Internal Revenue Service has proposed new rules which would redefine the role of non-profit organizations by reclassifying many of their activities as "grassroots lobbying". **ACTION:** To approve Resolution No. 295, "A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD CALLING ON THE U.S. INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE TO WITHDRAW ITS PROPOSED RULES ON LOBBYING BY PUBLIC CHARITIES" and notify the IRS, our Senators and Representatives, agencies funded by the City, and the League of Cities of the Council action. The follow-up on this item will be done by Judi Abdo and Daphne Dennis of Human Services Department.

3. ADJOURN TO STUDY SESSION ON SOCIAL SERVICES PRIORITIES 1987-1988: Jodi Curlee gave the staff report and stated that the City of West Hollywood is undergoing a three-part process to plan and implement Social Services programming priorities for fiscal year 1987-88. This session addressed the planning of priorities. A second report will follow in one week and will address the implementation of these services. A final report in May will recommend specific programming. The Human Services Commission and staff recommend that the City Council approve the

following priorities and a funding level of \$1,900,000 as planning guidelines, and direct that this information be identified in the Social Services Request for Proposals process:

Senior Services	\$435,000
AIDS/ARC Services	365,000
Homeless Adult Services	325,000
Health Services	175,000
Gay Male/Lesbian Services	160,000
Immigrant Services	150,000
Youth Services	75,000
Legal Services	75,000
Substance Abuse	40,000
Other	<u>100,000</u>
	\$1,900,000

The major items of discussion were health services, immigrant services, child day care, legal services and the homeless. The Council questioned which services and what amount were the responsibility of the County. It was the feeling of Council that we should push the County for more help on all of these social services, and the City should try to supplement what they provide. ACTION: That the Council approve the recommendations and direct staff to prepare an RFP with the categories listed and some examples under each category of the type of services that we are already funding under that category and any additional services that have been identified as needs to date, and also leaving it open for other services that might be identified by service providers who respond. Motion Heilman second Albert. Hearing no objection it was so ordered.

CLOSED SESSION: The City Council adjourned to a closed session to discuss matters pertaining to personnel and litigation at the hour of 8:40 P.M.

ADJOURNMENT: Mayor Schulte adjourned the meeting at 9:45 P.M. to a regular adjourned meeting on March 16, 1987 at 7:00 P.M. at West Hollywood Park.