

### **City of Carson Report to Mayor and City Council**

September 18, 2012 **Unfinished Business** 

CONSIDER APPOINTMENTS TO THE CITY OF CARSON 45TH ANNIVERSARY

**COMMITTEE** 

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City Manager

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#### I. **SUMMARY**

On September 4, 2012 Mayor Dear requested this item be continued to this evening's agenda.

The City of Carson will be celebrating its 45th anniversary of its incorporation on February 20, 2013. In order to commence planning a celebration, an organizing committee will be established by appointing members to a committee.

#### II. **RECOMMENDATION**

CONSIDER appointing individuals to serve as members of the 45th Anniversary Committee, by Mayor Dear with the approval of a majority of the entire City Council present.

#### III. **ALTERNATIVES**

CONTINUE this discussion for a later date.

#### IV. **BACKGROUND**

On February 6, 1968, more than half of 17,351 registered voters of what would ultimately be the City of Carson turned out to vote for incorporation. Approximately, 64% voted in favor of establishing its own city, and 51% selected the name Carson. Two weeks later, on February 20, 1968, at ceremonies in the auditorium of Carson High School, the City of Carson was officially incorporated.

Beginning in 1969, the City Council appointed the members of the committee that plan each anniversary celebration. However, since Carson has a directly-elected Mayor, appointments are made by the Mayor, with the approval of a majority of the entire City Council present, including the Mayor.

#### V. **FISCAL IMPACT**

None at this time.

#### VI. **EXHIBITS**

None.

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