



# CITY OF LONG BEACH

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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
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## RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the City Manager to execute Facility Use Permits for Goodwill Industries of Long Beach and Southbay and Catholic Charities to provide services at the Multi-Service Center for the Homeless for a period of three years. (District 1)

## DISCUSSION

The Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) is the lead operator of the Multi-Service Center for the Homeless (MSC), located at 1301 and 1327 West 12<sup>th</sup> Street. The City of Long Beach operates the facility and provides core services to the homeless, including case management, outreach, intake, and assessment. Additional services at the MSC are provided by several local agencies that occupy office space at the MSC site. The agencies must execute Facility Use Permits with the City. The Facility Use Permits are valid for a period of three years. The DHHS is requesting Facility Use Permits for Goodwill Industries of Long Beach and Southbay to provide job placement assistance for homeless individuals and for Catholic Charities to provide case management and street outreach.

This matter was reviewed by Senior Deputy City Attorney Donna Gwin on June 23, 2005 and by Budget Management Officer David Wodynski on July 6, 2005.

## TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action is requested on July 19, 2005 to allow the facility use permits to begin as of July 1, 2005 and continue through June 30, 2008.

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FISCAL IMPACT

There is no cost associated with this request. The Facility Use Permits are granted at no charge to the agencies. The agencies at the MSC are funded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development Continuum of Care grants, private funds and State funding to provide direct services to the City's homeless population. As lead operator of the MSC, the DHHS is responsible for utilities and facility costs which are already budgeted. The MSC provides direct services utilizing a range of other funding streams.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



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APPROVED:

  
  
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