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May 5, 1989

Transportation and Community Development Committee
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

SUBJECT: Child Care Ordinance Update

SUMMARY

This report gives an update and current status of the Child Care Ordinance Report. This report is for information only.

BACKGROUND

In October, 1987, Council directed staff to write a Child Care Ordinance Report. A Nexus Study was completed in July, 1988, after which draft reports were written and refined by staff and community task forces. The current draft is in its "final" refinement and should be to the joint committee of Transportation and Community Development/Budget and Finance in July, 1989.

The Child Care Coordinator has been meeting with various community groups for their review and refinement of the draft Child Care Ordinance Report. The following is a schedule of meeting dates with these groups:

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- April 3 City Staff: R. Thomas, A. Boyd, D. Martinez, and J. Swaback
- April 4 Local Government Committee, Metro Chamber of Commerce
- April 19 County Children's Agenda
- April 20 Child Care Coalition

- April 26 Commission on Aging, Community Services Planning Council
- April 26 Women Lawyers of Sacramento
- April 27 County Children's Commission

- May 1 City Government Task Force
- May 2 Local Government Committee, Metro Chamber of Commerce
- May 4 Sacto. Valley Association/Education of Young Children (SVAEYC)
- May 5 Public Safety Committee, Metro Chamber of Commerce

- May 9 Executive Board, Community Services Planning Council
- May 9 Commercial Builders, Building Industry Association
- May 10 SHRA and Sacramento County Government Task Force

- May 15 Child Care Coalition
- May 16 Land Use Committee, Metro Chamber of Commerce (tentative)
- May 17 State Subsidized Child Care Providers (local SDE/CDD providers)
- May 18 Land Development Committee, Building Industry Association

- May 22 Developer/Business Task Force
- May 23 Local Government Committee, Metro Chamber of Commerce
- May 24 Professional Association of Childhood Educators (PACE)
- May 25 County Children's Commission
- May 25 Commercial Builders' Exchange

- May 31 Provider Task Force

Some groups may want to schedule a second meeting in early June. If other groups wish to have a meeting, the Child Care Coordinator will try to meet with them.

So far, the feedback from the groups has been quite positive. Most believe that the need for child care needs to be addressed, and see the Report as a comprehensive plan, which tries to be fair to the various sectors of our community.

FINANCIAL DATA

None.

POLICY MATTERS

None.

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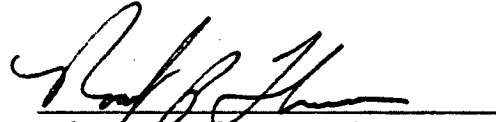
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RECOMMENDATIONS

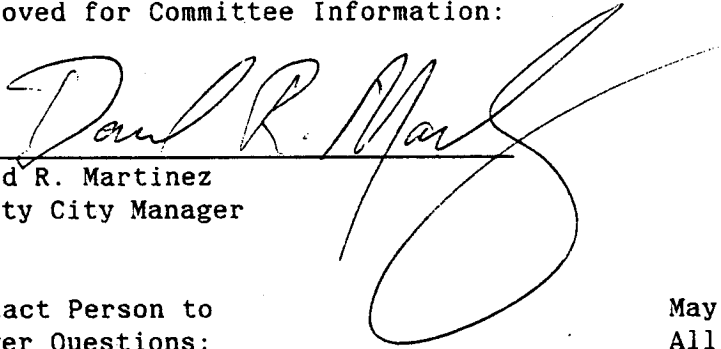
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Respectfully submitted,



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