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SUBJECT: WESTCHESTER GOLF COURSE DONATIONS TO THE JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM

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RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board accept the following donations and that appropriate recognition be given to the donors.

SUMMARY:

With private donations facilitated by Los Angeles World Airports and with the cooperation of the American Golf Corporation, Department of Recreation and Parks Staff developed and implemented an eight-week junior golf program, which commenced on July 9, 2007.

A budget of approximately \$51,000 was proposed to provide a comprehensive junior golf experience for up to 140 under-served or at-risk youth.

The program was funded by private donations raised by Los Angeles World Airports. Donations of \$30,000 from Los Angeles World Airport sponsors were accepted by the Board on September 5, 2007 (Board Report No. 07-208). Since that time, the following additional donations have been made to support the junior golf program at Westchester Golf Course:

- \$5,000 – Parsons
- \$3,000 – ARS, Inc., of Maryland
- \$2,500 – Smart Carte, Inc.
- \$1,500 – El Paseo Café – LAX - LLC

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Total additional donations received in the amount of \$12,000 will be placed in Fund 302, Department 89, Account 838M-PM to help reimburse junior golf programming expenses incurred at Westchester Golf Course during the eight-week summer 2007 program.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

There is no fiscal impact to the Department's General Fund, but additional costs have been recovered for reimbursement of expenditures from the Westchester Golf Course Junior Golf Program fund.

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