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REPORT OF GENERAL MANAGER

NO. 14-024

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SUBJECT: EXPO CENTER – DONATION FROM THE FRIENDS OF EXPO CENTER FOR YOUTH ORCHESTRA AFTERSCHOOL ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

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RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board accept the donation as noted in the Summary of this Report and that appropriate recognition be given to the donor.

SUMMARY:

EXPO Center has received the following donations valued at \$4,783.00 from The Friends of EXPO Center to be used as educational tools specifically for the EXPO Center Youth Orchestra Afterschool Academic Enrichment Program. The items will be used solely for this program and will be stored in a locked cabinet in its office:

- Eight (8) iPads with a total value of \$3,200.00;
- Eight (8) Logitech iPad Keyboards with a total value of \$677.00;
- Native Instruments Traktor Kontrol Z1 DJ Interface valued at \$200.00;
- Two (2) KRK Rokit Monitors with a total value of \$300.00;
- Four (4) Line 6 Midi Interface for iOS with a total value of \$280.00;
- Eight (8) pairs of JVC Headphones with a total value of \$104.00; and
- Two (2) Monster Cables with a total value of \$22.00.

EXPO Center's Afterschool Academic Enrichment Program provides an interactive, fun, and safe environment for over 300 youth, ages 7 to 18, who are members of the EXPO Center Youth Orchestra. Offered Monday through Friday, from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm, this free program supported by The Friends of EXPO Center, provides academic and recreational activities with a focus on homework assistance. Over the past three (3) years, The Friends of EXPO Center has provided over \$300,000.00 to support this program.

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The Friends of EXPO Center was established as a 501 (c)(3) organization in 1998 to develop the site of the 1932 Los Angeles Swim Stadium and to construct a state-of-the-art recreational and community center. Today, a 31-member volunteer Board comprised of community and business leaders continues to provide strategic support and financial assistance to EXPO Center. Since EXPO's opening in 2004, The Friends of EXPO Center has raised over \$10 million to support EXPO Center programs and activities.

### FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

Acceptance of this donation results in no fiscal impact to the Department's General Fund, except for unknown savings, as donations may offset some expenditures.

This report was prepared by Belinda Jackson, Executive Director, EXPO Center.