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GARCETTI UNVEILS PLAN FOR SILVER LAKE MEADOW

SILVER LAKE – Los Angeles Council President Eric Garcetti today announced his plan to make the north east area of the Silver Lake Reservoir known as the Meadow accessible to the public for daytime use. The plan includes landscaping, benches, a path for walking, and a fence that would allow the space to be secured after dark.

“The Silver Lake Reservoir is a treasured asset in this neighborhood, which will be enhanced by the addition of the new, safer walking path along Silver Lake Boulevard and the opening of the Meadow as a tranquil space for contemplation, strolling, and bird-watching,” said Council President Garcetti.

Council President Garcetti worked with hundreds of Silver Lake residents during the last year to develop the proposal and has created a Meadow Advisory Board comprised of Silver Lake residents and other community stakeholders to finalize the details of this plan.

“This is a very fair compromise that considers a community discussion that has been going on for nearly a decade and a huge amount of recent input from local residents. It addresses the concerns of people who have questions about security, access and habitat,” said Shelley Marks, President of the Committee to Save Silver Lake’s Reservoirs.

Garcetti will co-host a meeting to discuss his plan for the Meadow and get feedback from community stakeholders on Saturday, January 26, at 2 p.m. at Micheltorena Street Elementary School.

A rendering of Garcetti’s proposal is available at www.ericgarcetti.com.

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