At the January 8, 2021 Audit and Finance Committee Liaison meeting, the Liaisons supported auditing traffic enforcement, in lieu of parking enforcement; and take-home vehicles. Also, direction was provided to survey management and residents concerning their viewpoints on City teleworking employees and operating a virtual City Hall. The liaisons indicated that they would like to see diverse type of audits that fall under either operational and/or cost savings.

Based on this direction, the City Auditor would like to commence the following audits:

- Survey City management regarding their perspective on teleworking within their respective departments and residents regarding their overall sentiments on customer service delivery, especially during the time of the pandemic. In both cases, we also want to inquire about ideas for improvements to City operations and services.

- Traffic enforcement and safety of drivers and pedestrians. Prior to the pandemic there were higher number of accidents and a lower number of traffic enforcements, and currently even though there are less miles being driven speeding accidents have increased.

- Review of the Agreement Between the City of Beverly Hills and MV Public Transportation, Inc. for the Management, Operation, and Maintenance of the City’s Transit Services for contract compliance and opportunities for cost savings.

To avoid creating an undue burden on the Police department, the City Auditor will initiate the audit of take-home vehicles after the completion of the traffic and safety audit.

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