

City of Arts & Innovation

City Council Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL **DATE: MAY 14, 2019**

FROM: CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE **WARDS: ALL**

SUBJECT: OVERVIEW PRESENTATION ON THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA RIVERSIDE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

ISSUE:

Receive an overview presentation on the University of California – Riverside School of Medicine.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the City Council receive and file this report.

BACKGROUND:

In 2008, the University of California (UC) Regents approved a proposal by UC Riverside to establish a four-year medical school on its campus. Four years later, in October 2012, the School of Medicine (SOM) was accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME), which allowed the SOM to begin recruiting for its inaugural class in 2013. In June 2017, the school graduated its first class of medical students and secured full accreditation from the LCME.

The mission of the UC Riverside SOM is to improve the health of the people of California and, especially, to serve Inland Southern California by training a diverse workforce of physicians and by developing innovative research and health care delivery programs that will improve the health of the medically underserved in the region and become models to be emulated throughout the state and nation.

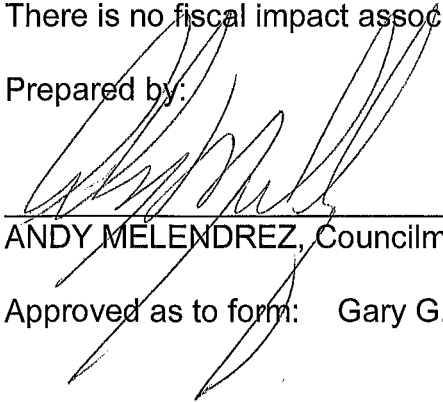
Deborah Deas, M.D., M.P.H., was appointed the Mark and Pam Rubin Dean of the School of Medicine and chief executive officer for Clinical Affairs in May 2016.

To learn more about the UCR School of Medicine, please visit <https://medschool.ucr.edu/>.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

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