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COUNCIL PRESIDENT WESSON TO ADDRESS GLAAACC TOWN HALL LUNCHEON

- [LOS ANGELES] Los Angeles City Council President Herb J. Wesson, Jr., will address Chamber members and associates regarding economic development in the African American community; City of Los Angeles procurement spending with local small businesses; the proposed increase in hourly wages; and new small business programs to assist minorities in an open Town Hall Luncheon. The luncheon will be hosted by the Greater Los Angeles African American Chamber of Commerce (GLAAACC) on Thursday, November 20, 2014, 11:30 a.m., at the Omni Los Angeles Hotel at California Plaza, 251 S. Olive Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012.

Gene Hale, chairman of GLAAACC said "this is a fantastic opportunity for the African-American business community to come out and get the latest on business opportunities within the city and public policies that affect the African-American community overall."

In the City Council, Council President Wesson has made economic development his priority. His membership of the Housing, Community and Economic Development (HCED) Committee – with jurisdiction over the city's economic development, housing, workforce investment and community development policies – provides him with a platform to shape the economic development not just for the 10th Council District but for the whole City of Los Angeles.

For more information about the open Town Hall Luncheon, contact the GLAAACC office at 323-292-1297 or visit http://www.glaaacc.org/programs.