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City Council  
Room No. 395  
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**SUBJECT: ANNUAL ASSESSMENT - STREET LIGHTING MAINTENANCE AND  
OPERATION FOR 2025/26 - LOS ANGELES CITY LIGHTING DISTRICT  
(ASSESSMENTS AND DISTRICT FROZEN SINCE 1996)**

As recommended in the accompanying report of the Director of the Bureau of Street Lighting, which this Board has adopted, the Board of Public Works recommend that your Honorable Body:

1. ADOPT this report and transmittals in accordance with Section 6.98 of the Administrative Code of the City of Los Angeles, with the recommendations that:
  - a. Council ADOPT this Report and the Ordinance of Intention for the Los Angeles City Street Lighting Maintenance Assessment District (LACLD), under which individual maintenance assessments, and the composition of the district will remain substantially the same as in 2024/25, and therefore, assessments will be exempt from the "procedures and approval process" (section 4 of Proposition 218) as allowed in section 5 of Proposition 218. No assessments will be increased, and no properties will be added to this district, therefore, no ballots will be required; and
  - b. Proceedings for the maintenance of the LACLD for fiscal year 2025/26 will be conducted in conformance with Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 1 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, California Government Code Section 53753.5, and Proposition 218 (Articles XIII C and XIII D of the California State Constitution). At the conclusion of the Council Public Hearing, the assessments will be confirmed and an ordinance levying the assessments will be adopted. Confirmation of the assessments by July 31, 2025, is necessary to meet the County deadline for inclusion of the assessments on the 2025/26 Property Tax Bills.



**Fiscal Impact:**

Approval will result in assessment revenue of about \$40,500,000 to the Street Lighting Assessment Fund for 2025/26 street lighting operations, slightly less than in 2024/25. An amount of \$2,600,000 is budgeted from the Water and Electricity Fund for the City's share of the Public Property assessments. About 510,000 parcels are included in this assessment district.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Elyse Matson', written in a cursive style.

ELYSE MATSON,  
Executive Officer, Board of Public Works

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