



Office of the Los Angeles City Attorney
Hydee Feldstein Soto

REPORT NO. R 23 - 0397
OCT 23 2023

**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(2) and (e)(2)**

The Honorable City Council
of the City of Los Angeles
Room 395, City Hall
200 North Spring Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

Honorable Members:

This Office recommends that discussion with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Sections 54956.9(d)(2) and (e)(2) (one case).

Government Code Section 54956.9(g) requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, what subdivision of this section authorizes the closed meeting, and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding significant exposure to litigation.

Government Code Section 54956.9(e)(2) requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, the facts and circumstances that might result in such litigation against the City. The facts and circumstances here involve the flooding event at the Hyperion Water Reclamation Plant on July 11, 2021.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Deputy City Attorney Adena Hopenstand at (213) 978-8130. She or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

HYDEE FELDSTEIN SOTO, City Attorney

By



VALERIE L. FLORES
Chief Assistant City Attorney

VLF:MD:pj