



Office of the Los Angeles City Attorney  
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**REPORT NO.** R23-0353.  
Sept 14, 2023

**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO  
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(4)**

REPORT RE:

***IN RE: AQUEOUS FILM-FORMING FOAM PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION  
CASE NO. 2:18-mn-2873-RMG***

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

Honorable Members:

This Office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action in this pending litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(4). 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 In Re: Aqueous Film-Forming Foams Products Liability Litigation, 2:18-mn-2873-RMG.

This Office also recommends that the City Council approve the retention of Keller Rohrback, LLP on a contingency fee basis in connection with this matter.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Senior Assistant City Attorney Michael J. Bostrom at (213) 978-1867. He, or another member of this Office, will be present when you consider this matter to answer any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

HYDEE FELDSTEIN SOTO, City Attorney

By   
ANNE HALEY  
Assistant City Attorney