



Office of the Los Angeles City Attorney
Hydee Feldstein Soto

REPORT NO. R24-0037
Jan. 30 2024

**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(2) & (d)(4)**

REPORT RE:

RECOMMENDATION REGARDING SETTLEMENT

**SIGNIFICANT EXPOSURE TO LITIGATION BASED ON
EXISTING FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES REGARDING
JULY 2021 HYPERION WATER RECLAMATION PLANT
DISCHARGE INCIDENT– ONE CASE**

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 with respect to a potential settlement for the above-referenced exposure to litigation and/or consideration of affirmative litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government code Section 54956.9(d)(2) and (d)(4). Government Code Section 54956.9 requires you to state publicly prior to the closed session which division of that 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 exposure to litigation.

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We ask that the matter be placed on the closed session agendas of the Claims Board, Budget, Finance & Innovation Committee, and City Council as soon as practicable.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact DCA Adena Hopenstand at (213) 978-8130. A member of this Office will be available when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

HYDEE FELDSTEIN SOTO, City Attorney

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