

AD HOC COMMITTEE ON THE 2028 OLYMPICS AND PARALYMPIC GAMES REPORT
relative to the development of the Games Energy Council component required under the
Games Agreement for the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Park – Price – Yaroslavsky):

NOTE and FILE the August 10, 2023 Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) report relative to the Games Energy Council component required under the Games Agreement for the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games, inasmuch as this report is for information only and no Council action is required.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Not applicable.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On October 31, 2023, your Committee considered an August 10, 2023 LADWP report relative to the development of the Games Energy Council component required under the Games Agreement for the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games. According to the LADWP, as referenced and designated in the LA28 Host City Contract, the Games Agreement of the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games, and Executive Directive 28, LADWP, Mayor's Office, LA28, the International Olympic Committee (IOC), and various other stakeholders have and continue to meet periodically to advance efforts towards the creation of the LA28 GEC. In advance of the Games Agreement timeline of March 2024, partners have been discussing and drafting a roster of key participants, potential milestones, and structure/functionality of what will become the GEC intended to evaluate, plan for, facilitate, procure and build the necessary energy and energy infrastructure needed to power the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games – in the most sustainable, resilient and efficient ways possible. These efforts will include determining and ensuring adequate power and backup power to Olympic/Paralympic event venues, athlete lodging, media/broadcast needs, support venues, and electric mobility options for athletes and staff. Along those lines, LADWP has been evaluating current and needed capacity, strategizing backup power systems and establishing baseline uses for venues to calculate any increased usage of energy by the Games. After further consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to note and file the report. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ad Hoc Committee on the 2028 Olympics and Paralympic Games

COUNCILMEMBER VOTE

PARK: YES
YAROSLAVSKY: YES
RODRIGUEZ: YES
KREKORIAN: YES
BLUMENFIELD: YES
PADILLA: YES
HARRIS-DAWSON: YES

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