

AD HOC COMMITTEE ON THE 2028 OLYMPICS AND PARALYMPIC GAMES REPORT relative to extending the date for executing the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games Agreement.

Recommendation for Council action:

AUTHORIZE the Mayor and Council President to execute the Third Amendment to Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) C-129859 between the City of Los Angeles, the Los Angeles Organizing Committee for the Olympic and Paralympic Games 2028 (LA 2028), formerly referred to as the Los Angeles 2024 Exploratory Committee, and the United States Olympic and Paralympic Committee (USOC), in order to extend the date for executing the Games Agreement from March 14, 2021, to October 1, 2021.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Administrative Officer (CAO) and the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) report that this action will not impact the General Fund.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

#### SUMMARY

In a report to the Ad Hoc Committee on the 2028 Olympics and Paralympic Games dated February 17, 2021, the CAO and CLA recommend that Council authorize the Mayor and Council President to execute the Third Amendment to the MOU between the City of Los Angeles, LA 2028, and the USOC in order to extend the date for executing the Games Agreement from March 14, 2021, to October 1, 2021. According to the CAO and the CLA, the MOU currently requires the parties to negotiate and execute a Games Agreement by March 14, 2021, to identify various obligations and actions between the parties regarding the hosting of the 2028 Games. To continue negotiations in good faith, and as a result of the continued impacts of COVID-19, additional time is needed to develop the Games Agreement.

At its special meeting held February 23, 2021, the Ad Hoc Committee on the 2028 Olympics and Paralympic Games discussed this matter with representatives of the CLA and LA 2028. It was stated that the City and its partner agencies are ahead of schedule for planning the Olympic and Paralympic Games, and that the extended deadline to execute the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games Agreement still falls well within the seven-year planning timeframe. Additional time is needed to resolve technical issues in the agreement regarding the levels of municipal services to be provided in support of the games.

During the public comment period, concerns were expressed regarding the impact of the Olympic and Paralympic Games on local policing, homeless encampments, communities of color, and the City's youth. Statements were made against unnecessary surveillance by law enforcement and the nationalization and privatization of security for the games.

The Ad Hoc Committee on the 2028 Olympics and Paralympic Games recommended that Council approve the CAO-CLA recommendation.

Respectfully Submitted,

AD HOC ON THE 2028 OLYMPICS AND PARALYMPIC GAMES COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
O'FARRELL:	YES
BUSCAINO:	YES
MARTINEZ:	ABSENT
KORETZ:	YES
RODRIGUEZ:	YES
PRICE:	ABSENT
KREKORIAN:	YES

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mike O'Farrell", is written over the right side of the table.

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