ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to adding Subsection (e) to Section 22.362 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC) to designate the director of the Climate Emergency Mobilization Office (CEMO) within the Department of Public Works as the Chief Heat Officer for the City.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

- 1. NOTE and FILE the July 29, 2022 Emergency Management Department report relative to opportunities to improve the network of cooling centers in the City.
- 2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE dated August 19, 2022 adding Subsection (e) to Section 22.362 of the LAAC to designate the director of the CEMO within the Department of Public Works as the Chief Heat Officer for the City.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the City Attorney. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For:

Echo Park Neighborhood Council

## Summary:

On September 1, 2022, your Committee considered the July 29, 2022 Emergency Management Department report, August 19, 2022 City Attorney and Ordinance relative to adding Subsection (e) to Section 22.362 of the LAMC to designate the director of the CEMO within the Department of Public Works as the Chief Heat Officer for the City. The report attached to the Council file includes some background on the matter. After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to approve the recommendations reflected above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE

 MEMBER
 VOTE

 O'FARRELL:
 YES

 KORETZ:
 ABSENT

 CEDILLO:
 YES

 DE LEON:
 YES

 KREKORIAN:
 YES

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