

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to a technical assistance program to provide concierge-like service, education about impactful energy conservation measures, financing and data-informed outreach strategy, and consideration of available funds to subsidize the cost of running the program, and related matters.

Recommendation for Council action, as initiated by Motion (Krekorian – Yaroslavsky – Harris-Dawson):

REQUEST the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) in consultation with the Los Angeles Department of Building and Safety, to report within 90 days on potential option for both an in-house and external technical assistance program that considers the Climate Emergency Mobilization Office's equitable building decarbonization reports to provide direct concierge-like service to large and medium sized building decision makers, provide education about impactful energy conservation measures that helps decision makers navigate local, state, and federal rebates, tax incentives, and financing strategies, data-informed outreach strategy with differentiated plans for commercial property, affordable housing, and small "mom-and-pop" multifamily residential buildings, consideration of available federal and state grant funds that could subsidize the cost of running the program, as well as available LADWP funds to scale and coordinate existing initiatives.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On May 19, 2023, your Committee considered Motion (Krekorian – Yaroslavsky – Harris-Dawson) relative to the request for the LADWP, in consultation with the Department of Building and Safety, and the Climate Emergency Mobilization Office, to report on a plan to launch a technical assistance program to provide direct concierge-like service to large- and medium-sized building decision makers, provide education about impactful energy conservation measures that helps decision makers navigate local, state, and federal rebates, tax incentives, and financing strategies, data-informed outreach strategy with differentiated plans for commercial property, affordable housing, and small "mom-and-pop" multifamily residential buildings, consideration of available federal and state grant funds that could subsidize the cost of running the program, as well as available LADWP funds to scale and coordinate existing initiatives, and related matters. The Motion attached to the Council file includes some background on the matter.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to approve the recommendation as amended to add “on potential option for both an in-house and external technical assistance program that considers the Climate Emergency Mobilization Office’s equitable building decarbonization reports.” This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,



ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
YAROSLAVSKY:	YES
MCOSKER:	ABSENT
RAMAN:	YES
BLUMENFIELD:	ABSENT
HERNANDEZ:	YES

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