

## MICHAEL N. FEUER CITY ATTORNEY

Holly Wolcott, City Clerk 200 North Spring St., Room 395 Los Angeles, CA 90012

November 22, 2021

Dear Ms. Wolcott:

Please find attached a written threat of litigation relating to Council Files 17-0447 and 17-0447-S1. Please place this letter and the attachment into those Council Files. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Strefan Fauble

Deputy City Attorney IV



## Threat of Litigation RE: CF 17-0447-S1 - Oil and Gas Extraction

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**Matthew Hale** <matt.hale@lacity.org>
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Tue, Dec 1, 2020 at 4:33 PM

On December 1, 2020 at 12:35pm, I spoke by phone to Jennifer Rivera representing the California Independent Petroleum Association.

Over the course of our conversation, she indicated that if the Council were going to contemplate any policy to deprive oil producers of their extraction rights at any time in the future, essentially anything other than proceeding with an amortization analysis, that the industry would certainly file suit to challenge the policy. This includes the 20 year period that was contemplated in LAMC 12.23(C)4(b) from 1946.



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