

MOTION

RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Measure ULA established the House LA Citizens Oversight Committee (“COC”) to review implementation of the program, provide recommendations regarding expenditures and program guidelines, and promote transparency and accountability in the administration of House LA funds. Since implementation of Measure ULA, concerns have been raised regarding the operational structure of the COC, including difficulties associated with timely appointments due to restrictive eligibility requirements, prolonged vacancies, and governance provisions that may unnecessarily complicate the City Council’s consideration of potential amendments to the Measure. The City should implement reforms that preserve transparency and public oversight while improving administrative efficiency, appointment flexibility, and the ability of the elected City Council to respond to changing housing and economic conditions.

**I THEREFORE MOVE** that the City Council instruct the City Attorney, in consultation with the Chief Legislative Analyst, Los Angeles Housing Department, and any other relevant departments, to prepare and present within 15 days the documents necessary to place before the voters in the next feasible municipal election a measure that would amend Measure ULA to remove the requirement that the City Council make written findings in order to proceed with a potential amendment to the Measure ULA ordinance in the event of an opposing recommendation or opinion issued by the House LA Citizens Oversight Committee.

**I FURTHER MOVE** that the City Council instruct the City Attorney, in consultation with the Chief Legislative Analyst, Los Angeles Housing Department, and any other relevant departments, to prepare and present within 15 days the documents necessary to place before the voters in the next feasible municipal election a measure that would amend Measure ULA to revise eligibility requirements for Citizens Oversight Committee members by reducing the required number of years of experience from at least 5 years to at least 2 years across the 13 voting member seats, in order to broaden the pool of eligible applicants, reduce prolonged vacancies, and improve operational continuity, while maintaining the Committee’s oversight and representative functions.

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