

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT relative to preparing for a complete and accurate count for the 2030 Decennial Census.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Soto-Martinez – Rodriguez):

1. INSTRUCT the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA), with the assistance of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), City Attorney, and Mayor, to coordinate the City’s preparations for the 2030 Decennial Census.
2. INSTRUCT the Planning Department, Information Technology Agency, Housing Department, Police Department, Fire Department, City Clerk, Economic Workforce and Development Department, Department of Building and Safety, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Water and Power, and Department of Neighborhood Empowerment, to identify a departmental point person on Census 2030 issues and to develop a work program to address technical matters related to the 2030 Decennial Census, including funding requirements.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the CAO nor the CLA has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Summary:

On February 6, 2026, your Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Committee considered a January 28, 2026 Motion (Soto-Martinez – Rodriguez) relative to preparing for a complete and accurate count for the 2030 Decennial Census. According to the Motion, ensuring complete and accurate address data is available to the U.S. Census Bureau will require integrating datasets located across all City departments that collect and manage address information. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee moved to recommend approving the Motion recommendations. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee

COUNCILMEMBER	VOTE
HARRIS-DAWSON:	YES
RAMAN:	ABSENT
YAROSLAVSKY:	YES
SOTO-MARTINEZ:	YES
LEE:	ABSENT

RM  
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