

MOTION

BUDGET & FINANCE

I MOVE that the City Council REQUEST the City Attorney to appear before the City Council in Closed Session, within 15 days of the adoption of this Motion, to report on the following matters related to the June 17, 2026 Lineage Logistics warehouse fire in Boyle Heights:

- The City Attorney's assessment of the legal basis and recommended strategy for the City to pursue civil action against Lineage Logistics and any other responsible parties, including potential claims related to public nuisance, negligence, and violations of applicable fire and safety codes;
- The City Attorney's assessment of the legal basis and recommended strategy for the City to pursue a reimbursement action against Lineage Logistics and any other responsible parties to recover costs incurred by the City from responding to and recovering from the fire;
- An accounting of available legal mechanisms, beyond civil litigation, through which the City may recover costs it has incurred or committed related to the fire, including emergency response, remediation, staffing, public health interventions, and resident and business assistance;
- A preliminary estimate of the City's anticipated total spending related to fire response, recovery, and cost-recovery efforts, including legal costs associated with pursuing the actions described above;
- The City Attorney's assessment of anticipated legal, procedural, or evidentiary challenges the City may encounter in pursuing the above actions, and the strategies proposed to address them; and
- The status and availability of funding tied to the State emergency declarations issued in connection with the fire, and the steps necessary to incorporate or activate such funding in support of the City's recovery and cost-recovery efforts.

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