AMENDING MOTION

Council File: 12–1549 is a CAO recommendation for the establishment of an Asset Management Strategic Planning unit (AMSP) in the office of the CAO. The main focus of this unit will be to identify opportunities, provide the framework and perform preliminary analysis on various asset management planning needs in the City.

Given the City's post CRA economic development structure, the initial establishment of an AMSP in the Office of the CAO is needed to lay the foundation for the new entity and to identify areas of opportunity where the City can leverage its real estate assets for economic development.

CF # 11-0617-S1 instructed the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) to establish a Feed-In Tariff program to encourage local solar, create good jobs, and make strides towards our renewable energy goals and mandates. This feed-in tariff or a similar program is an excellent opportunity for the City Of Los Angeles to use its facilities for economic development and to promote clean air.

In these tough times, we must find ways to put people to work immediately, and to secure an economic foundation that will sustain us in the years ahead. A strong solar program can help us reduce our use of coal and other fossil fuels that imperil our air and water quality and the heath of our city.

Various other motions relating to solar in Los Angeles have been introduced including 11-0617-S3, Public Facilities School Sites and 11-0617-S5, Installation of Solar on City Facilities, but it is imperative that we look at all city and proprietary department facilities for solar and consolidate this effort where possible under the CAO.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the CAO and LADWP report back in 30 days on the feasibility for in-basin City facilities to participate in the existing FIT program.

I FURTHER MOVE that the CAO and LADWP report back on additional programs outside of the FIT that may be implemented including a program that can bundle various in-basin city properties together.



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