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## NEEC Support for Council File #14-1478, Existing Building Energy and Water Efficiency Ordinance (EBEWE)

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To: sharon.dickinson@lacity.org

Hello Ms. Dickinson,

Please find the attached letter below from the Northwest Energy Efficiency Council (NEEC) in support of Council File #14-1478, Existing Building Energy and Water Efficiency Ordinance (EBEWE).

Thank you on behalf of the City Energy Project

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Hilary Firestone, MPA, LEED AP  
Senior Project Manager, Energy Efficiency  
Office of Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti  
Los Angeles, CA

Dear Ms. Firestone,

I would like to express the Northwest Energy Efficiency Council's (NEEC) support for the City's proposed new existing building ordinance to reduce energy and water consumption in existing buildings through benchmarking, transparency, audit, and retro-commissioning practices. NEEC is a non-profit trade association of the energy efficiency industry working to promote policies and programs that enhance market opportunities for energy efficiency. We believe that energy benchmarking and transparency of building energy performance offers benefit to consumers by providing easy and immediate access to building data for informed decision making. It also provides owners of efficient buildings and industry service providers with increased market demand for their properties and services. By adopting these practical solutions, Los Angeles will be on the right path to cut energy and water waste, boost the local economy, reduce harmful pollution, and promote equity across the city.

As the city embarks on this endeavor, we would like to offer the resources of NEEC's statewide Building Operator Certification (BOC) program to provide training and credentialing in energy efficient building operation practices to help the City achieve its efficiency goals. Our partnership with the City and with Los Angeles Department of Water and Power and Southern California Gas to support the growing demand for trained operators has only just begun. We look forward to continuing our work together to make Los Angeles as efficient as possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stan Price", with a stylized, flowing script.

Stan Price  
Executive Director

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