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Question regarding agenda item 12 (CF #17-0309) on the agenda for 12/10/19

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Committee Members,

I have a question regarding agenda item 12 (CF #17-0309) which would 'update electric vehicle ready and electric vehicle charging requirements that exceed current state standards'. The draft ordinance sets a goal of 20% EV ready spaces and 5% installed chargers. Can these percentages be increased?

Mayor Garcetti recently set a goal to make light-duty passenger electric vehicles (EVs) 30 % of all vehicles on the road and at least 80% of all vehicles sold by 2028. In order to achieve that goal, there will have to be, at the very least, a 30% increase in the availability of installed chargers. People will not be inclined to use or buy EVs unless places to charge them are readily available. I urge the Planning and Land Use Management Committee to request an increase of the percentages set for EV spaces in the draft ordinance so the 2028 transportation goals can be met.

Thank you,

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