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The City purchases electric and hybrid vehicles in an effort to reduce the amount of carbon pollution that impacts air quality. The infrastructure required to operate electric vehicles is an important factor in the City's future planning efforts to promote eco-friendly transportation solutions. The City has deployed electric vehicle charging stations at various facilities for City employees and the public.

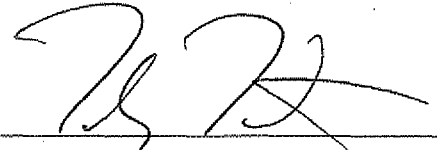
The City should ensure that its electric vehicle fleet has access to adequate charging stations. Currently, departments can purchase and install charging stations at facilities (e.g. recreation center, City parking lot/garage, etc.) that are available for use by the public. In addition, the number of employee-owned electric vehicles continues to increase which requires an adequate number of charging stations at various parking/garage structures to accommodate the vehicles.

However, the City does not have a policy for the procurement, installation and maintenance of these charging stations. The City does not have a process/system for allocating the charging stations, determining the manner in which they will be utilized (i.e. hours of use) and determining the department that will be responsible for maintenance/repair of the charging stations and associated costs.

I THEREFORE MOVE that City Council direct the Department of General Services to work with the Department of Water and Power, Department of Recreation and Parks, Department of Transportation, and any other departments as necessary, to draft a City policy for the purchase, installation and maintenance of electric vehicle charging stations.

I FURTHER MOVE that City Council request the Harbor Department and Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA) to report on their procurement and deployment processes for electric vehicle charging stations.

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