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Los Angeles has taken the Olympic torch from Paris, and will serve as the host of the next Olympic and Paralympic Summer Games in 2028. The 2028 Games, independently operated by the Olympic Organizing Committee (LA28), are expected to bring tens of thousands of athletes, and millions of visitors, to the City to experience these world-class events, and with it great opportunity for the businesses and workforce of Los Angeles

As part of the Games Agreement, the City Council approved the creation of three working groups to aid in Olympic and Paralympic Games Planning, including the Local Hire Working Group (LHWG). The LHWG is tasked with developing and implementing a program to ensure that the 2028 Games workforce is fully representative of the diversity of Los Angeles, including programs for youth and transitional workers, and a volunteer program to maximize public benefit in connection with the 2028 Games

The LHWG is actively developing recommendations to ensure employment opportunities are available to the local workforce. The City should provide information to the LHWG relative to resources currently available to engage with the employment system in Los Angeles and ensure the LHWG's recommendations are robust and achievable for the 2028 Games.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Council request the City Administrative Officer, the Chief Legislative Analyst, and the City Attorney to work with LA28 to establish and document employment opportunities available for the local workforce in the City of Los Angeles and provide a report to Council detailing how opportunities will be promoted to the City workers;

I FURTHER MOVE that the Council request the Bureau of Contract Administration and the Economic and Workforce Development Department, with the assistance of the City Administrative Officer, to provide LA28 recommendations on incorporating local hiring best practices in their employment strategy; and

I FURTHER MOVE that the Council request LA28 to provide estimates of local hiring by category and work with the Bureau of Contract Administration and the Economic Workforce Development Department to develop an outreach, education and training program leveraging current programs.

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