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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(6) Nay(2) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 05/20/2019

Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

Date: 05/28/2019

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 16-0243

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: Community Impact Statement in support of a 100% clean, renewable energy transition for LA by 2030 Los Angeles' leading contribution to carbon emissions is the electricity sector representing 73% of total carbon dioxide emissions in 2017 among the waste and transportation sectors. In February 2019, Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti announced that the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power would not re-power three coastal natural-gas power plants, and would instead invest in the development of renewable energy alternatives for the city. The pollution created by biomass and biogas burning facilities perpetuates the release of greenhouse gas emissions such as carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, while prolonging LADWP's dependency on fossil fuel infrastructure. The presence of such facilities threatens the health and safety of their surrounding communities, through the release of particulate matter, airborne chemicals, and other volatile organic compounds; along with the risk of toxic chemical spills, methane leaks, and water contamination. The West Adams Neighborhood Council resolves to call on Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti, the Los Angeles City Council, and the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) to study a 100% real, clean energy by 2030 scenario that excludes methane, biomass, biogas, nuclear energy, and unbundled renewable energy credits. The West Adams Neighborhood Council resolves to submit a community impact statement to Council File 16-0243 and to communicate support to our City Council member expressing support for this position. The West Adams Neighborhood Council resolves to submit a community impact statement to LADWP to communicate support for this position.