

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND JOBS AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEES' REPORT and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to amending the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC) to consolidate and update the existing Local Business Programs.

Recommendation for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE dated April 28, 2021 to amend Article 4 of Chapter 1, Division 10 of the LAAC to consolidate and update the existing Local Business Programs, and repealing Articles 5 and 21.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On May 25, 2021, the Economic Development and Jobs (EDJ) Committee considered April 28, 2021 City Attorney and May 12, 2021 Bureau of Contract Administration (ConAd) reports and Ordinance relative to amending the LAAC to consolidate and update the existing Local Business Programs. According to City Attorney, the Ordinance amends Article 4 of Chapter 1, Division 10 of the LAAC, repeals Articles 5 and 21, and makes other technical changes. The amended Article 4 will consolidate and update the Local Business Preference Program, the Small Local Business Program, and the Transitional Job Opportunities Program. The Ordinance increases the maximum bid and proposal preferences, increases the maximum contract threshold for the Local Small and Local Transitional Employer preference, and allows a preference for products and services produced in the County of Los Angeles. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the EDJ Committee moved to recommend approval of the Ordinance. Subsequently, on June 9, 2021, the Public Works also considered this matter and after consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, moved to concur with the EDJ Committee. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Economic Development and Jobs Committee

PRICE: YES  
KREKORIAN: YES  
BLUMENFIELD: YES  
RAMAN: YES  
HARRIS-DAWSON: YES

## Public Works Committee

BLUMENFIELD: YES  
LEE: YES  
DE LEON: YES  
O'FARRELL: YES  
KORETZ: YES

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