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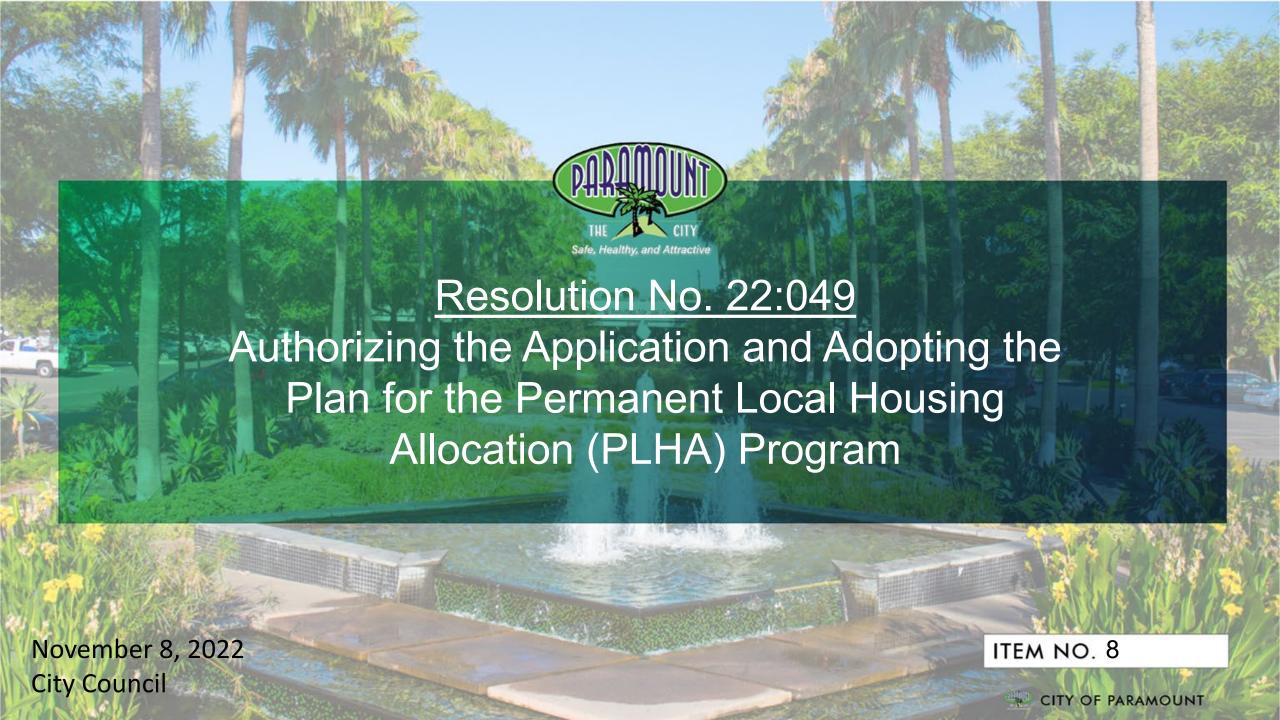
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Consent Calendar





 Permanent Local Housing Allocation (PLHA) program is funded by a \$75 recording fee on real estate transactions







 PLHA provides funding to local governments in California for projects and programs that assist in addressing the unmet housing needs

Funding



Paramount is eligible to receive:

2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022		
\$438,197 (retro)	\$681,094 (retro)	\$749,523		

- PHLA funding will vary year to year
- Based on HCD's estimate, this would leave Paramount with \$760,368 for the subsequent timeframe
- HCD estimates Paramount will receive \$2,626,182 over the 5-year period ending in 2023





 A City's 5-year plan is submitted in response to the funding notice



 Details how allocated funds will be used for eligible activities



 Authorized and adopted by resolution by the local government

Eligible Activities

The draft plan includes the following two proposed activities:



1. Rehabilitation and preservation of multifamily rental housing



2. Assisting persons who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness

Amendment

- HCD gives flexibility to amend the PLHA plan
- Changes can be made with proper notice to the community and approval by the City Council and HCD
- Staff will propose amendment in 2023 to include Home Improvement Program Supplemental funding



Fiscal Impact

None. However, upon HCD approval of the grant, funding may be available as soon as February 2023. The Midyear Budget will be adjusted accordingly.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Council read by title only and adopt Resolution No: 22:049

This item aligns with Strategic

Outcomes No: 1: Safe Community

and No. 3: Economic Health







Circuit Reliability Review

Paramount

2022

7/26/2022



Who We Are

- Southern California Edison (SCE) is an Edison International company
- One of the nation's largest electric utilities
- More than 130 years of history
- Headquartered in Rosemead, California
- Regulated by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)
- 50,000 square miles of SCE service area across Central, Coastal, and Southern California
- 15 million residents through 5 million customer accounts
- 15 counties, 185 cities and 13 Native American tribes



Our Grid

To deliver safe, reliable, and affordable power, we monitor and maintain a vast electricity system

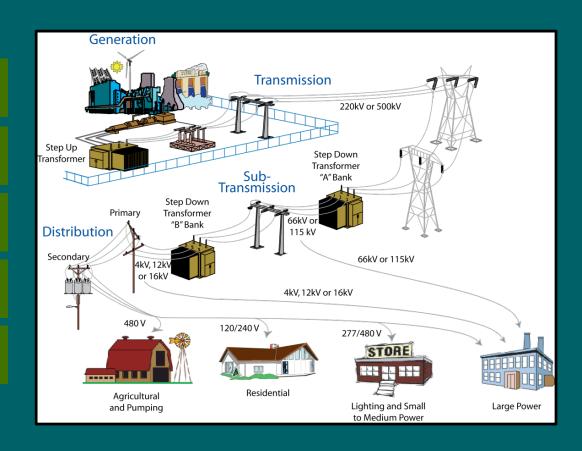
50,000 Square Miles

4,600 Circuits

1.7 Million Poles

126,000 Miles of Transmission and Distribution Lines

730,000 Transformers



Creating a Clean Energy Future

Pathway 2045:

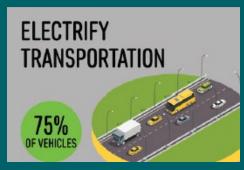
Key steps California must take to reach carbon neutrality



100% of grid sales with carbon-free electricity

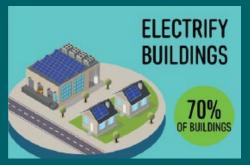
80 GW of utility-scale clean generation

30 GW of utility-scale energy storage



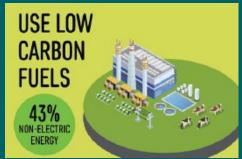
26 million electric vehicles

Over 1 million electrified medium and heavy duty vehicles



70% of all buildings will use efficient electric space and water heating

90% fewer GHG emissions from all-electric homes



50% reduction in natural gas consumption

40% of the remaining natural gas is biomethane and hydrogen

Creating a Clean Energy Future: Mind the Gap



Reliability Overview



What is Reliability?

- In simplest terms:

 Having dependable electricity when you need it.
- Outages:
 - Maintenance outages (aka planned outages)
 - Repair outages (aka unplanned outages)
 - Sustained Outage = An outage lasting > 5
 minutes
 - Momentary Outage = An outage lasting ≤ 5 minutes
 - Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS)
 - Major Event Day (MED)



Major Event Day (MED): A day in which the daily system SAIDI exceeds a threshold value. For the purposes of calculating daily system SAIDI, any interruption that spans multiple calendar days is accrued to the day on which the interruption began. Statistically, days having a daily system SAIDI greater than a threshold value are days on which the energy delivery system experienced stresses beyond that normally expected (such as severe weather). MEDs are sometimes excluded in reporting; in those reports the exclusions will be noted.

Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS): An operational protocol that SCE implements under extreme weather conditions in order to minimize the threat of wildfires and keep communities safe from potentially dangerous situations. These types of sustained outages are temporary and usually involve situations where high fire areas are experiencing adverse weather or public safety is at risk.

Overview of Paramount

Note: The number of customers listed represents the total number of customers on each circuit (not the local jurisdiction).

There are 22 circuits that serve Paramount

Circuit Type	Customers	Circuit Type	Customers	Circuit Type	Customers	Circuit Type	Customers
ALAMEDA(12KV)	2,149						
BLAINE(12KV)	1,095						
CARO(12KV)	1,660						
FLASK(12KV)	3,428						
FLEMING(12KV)	1,116						
GARDENDALE(4.16KV)	955						
HATTER(12KV)	1,253						
HONDO(4.16KV)	551						
IRISH(12KV)	646						
KELBER(12KV)	956						
LAREDO(12KV)	1,037						
LOBBY(12KV)	3,402						
LUXOR(12KV)	1,615						
MAPLEWOOD(12KV)	2,851						
MOTZ(12KV)	862						
NEGEL(4.16KV)	832						
QUEBEC(4.16KV)	950						
REX(4.16KV)	677						
RICHUSON(4.16KV)	164						
RONNIE(4.16KV)	215						
SAWYER(12KV)	2,923						
STITZER(12KV)	2,777						

SAIDI & SAIFI Cause Definitions

Equipment Failure In-service failure of transformer, switch, or conductors

Vegetation/Animal A tree branch, rodent, or bird causing a short circuit

between conductors

Other The circuit was patrolled but no cause found

Operations SCE performed urgent maintenance without the

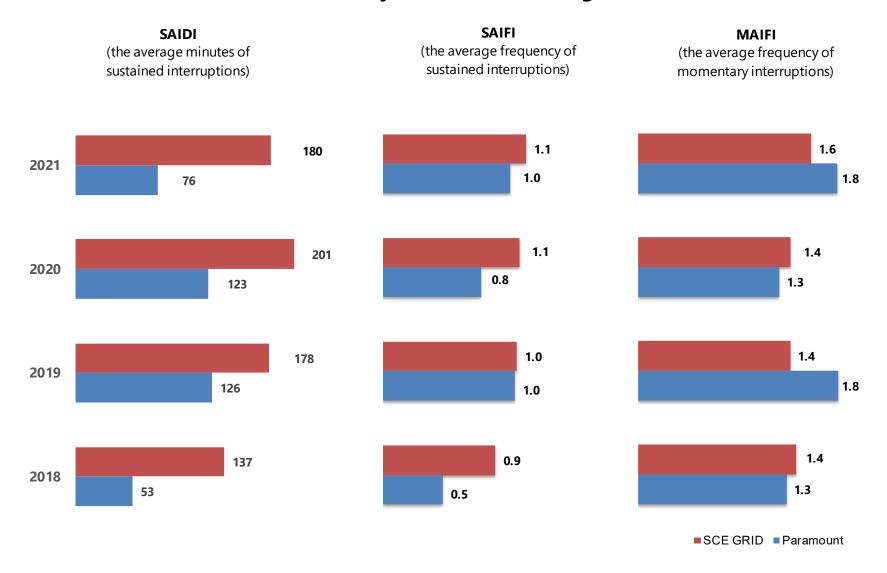
standard 3-day notice

3rd Party Outage caused by a balloon, car hit pole or dig-in

PSPS Public Safety Power Shutoff

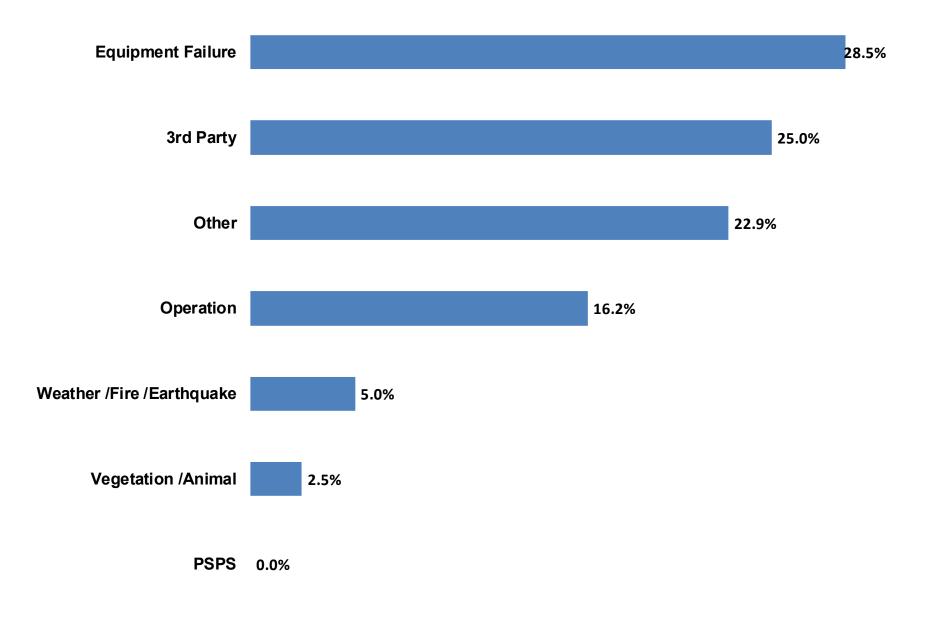
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Historical Reliability of Circuits Serving Paramount

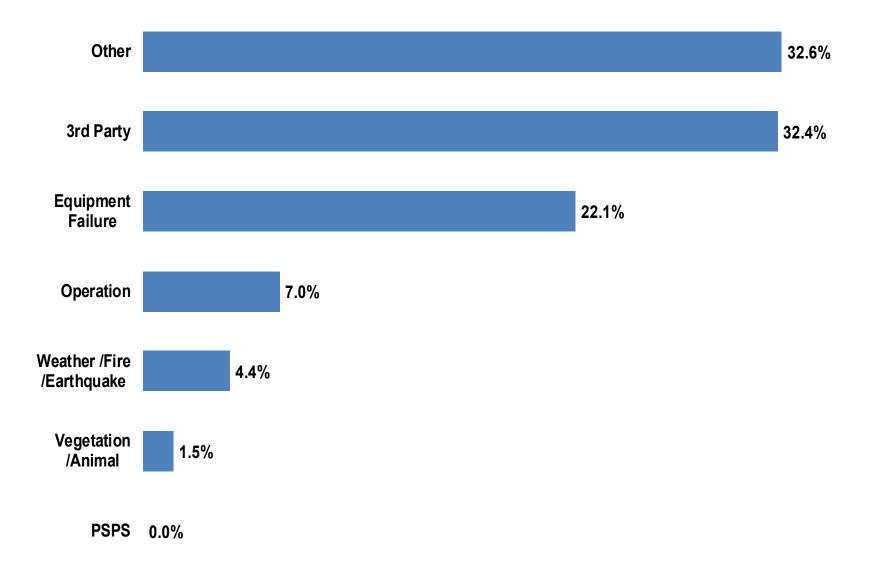


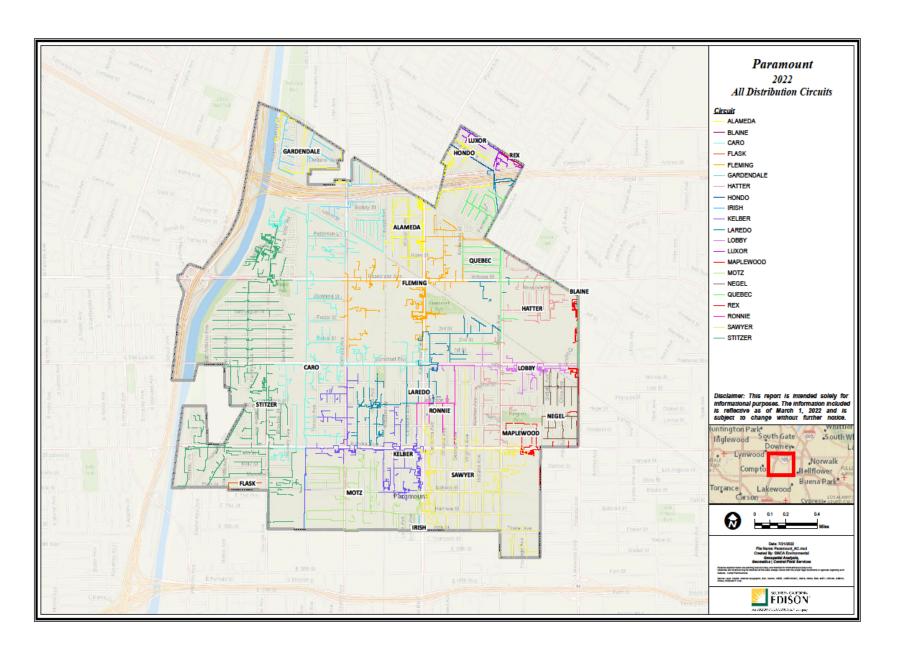
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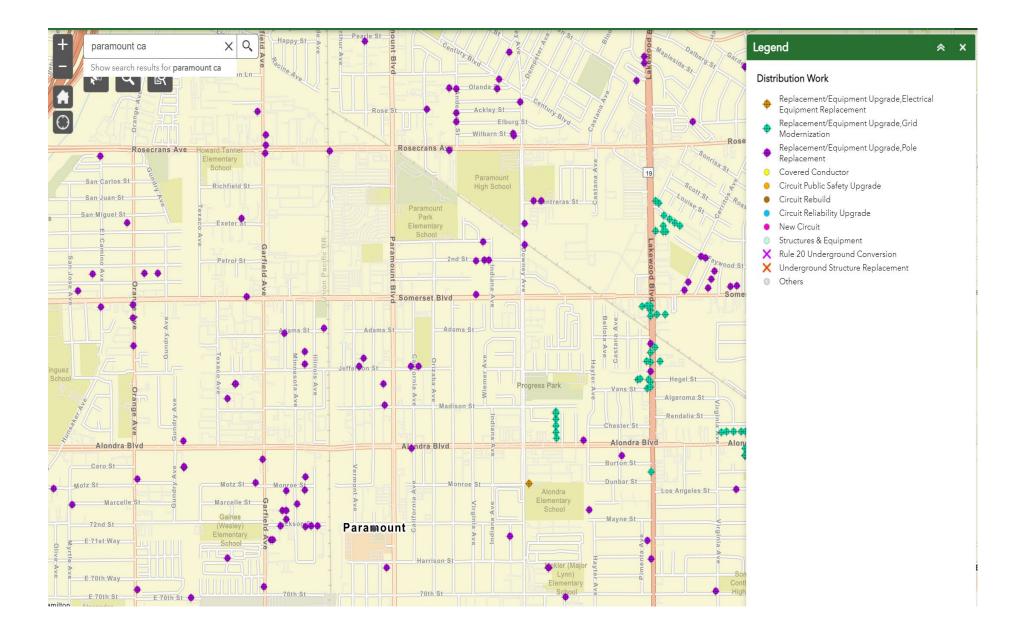
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2021 SAIFI Outage Causes for Paramount





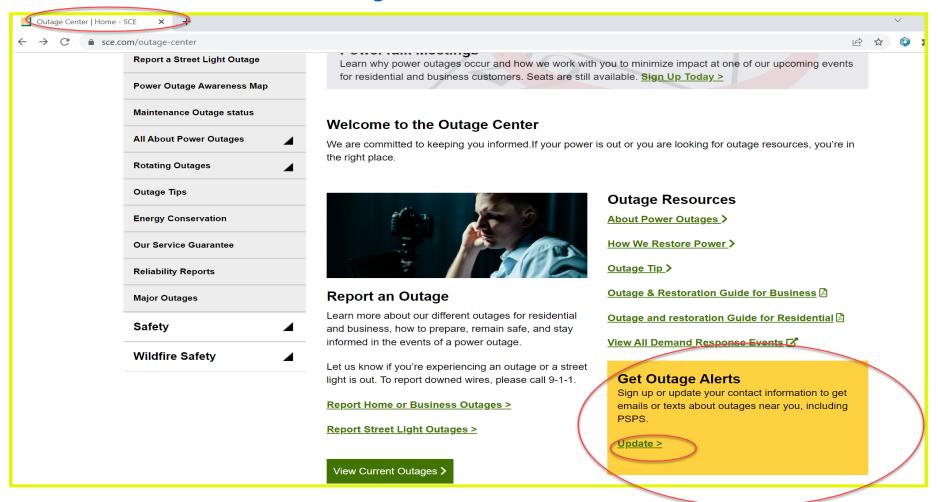


The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, (IIJA)

- What is IIJA funding?
- The Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) provides significant new funding to improve the condition of infrastructure systems across the country.
- SCE is excited to share that the federal government recently released three grant opportunities for transportation electrification projects with applications due in May 2022:
- <u>2022 Port Infrastructure Development Program</u> (\$450 million, application due May 16, 2022)
- Low or No Emission Grant Program (\$1.1 billion, application due May 31, 2022)
- <u>Buses and Bus Facilities Competitive Program</u> (\$372 million, application due May 31, 2022)

How to sign up for Outage Alerts

• Go to www.sce.com/outage



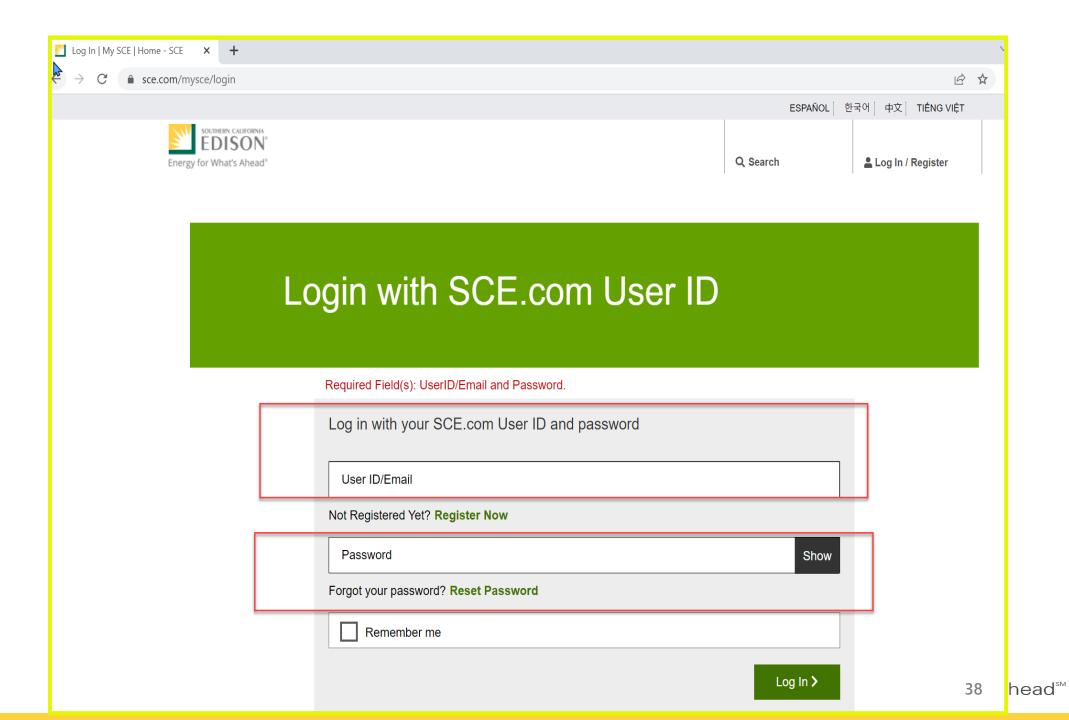
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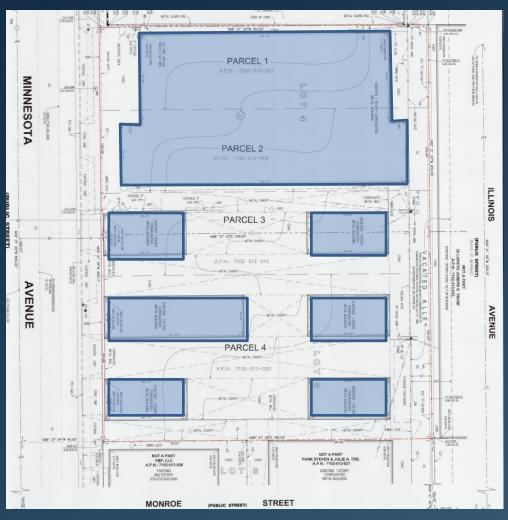




- Request by Adam Lentz/Madison Capital Group Management, LLC to change the official Zoning Map from M-2 (Heavy Manufacturing) to PD-PS (Planned Development with Performance Standards) at 15932-15942 Minnesota Avenue to allow a 104,630 square foot self-storage facility
- Planning Commission recommended approval 10/11/22
- Development Review Board approved design 10/11/22 (pending City Council approval of zone change)













Proposal

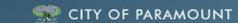
- 104,630 square foot self-storage facility
- Height
 - 55 feet to primary roofline
 - 62 feet to peak of 2 decorative arches

Floor	Floor Area	No. of
	(Square Feet)	Storage Units
1	17,400	93
2	21,000	161
3	22,610	188
4	22,610	221
5	21,010	201
TOTAL	104,630	864



Architect: MCG Architecture

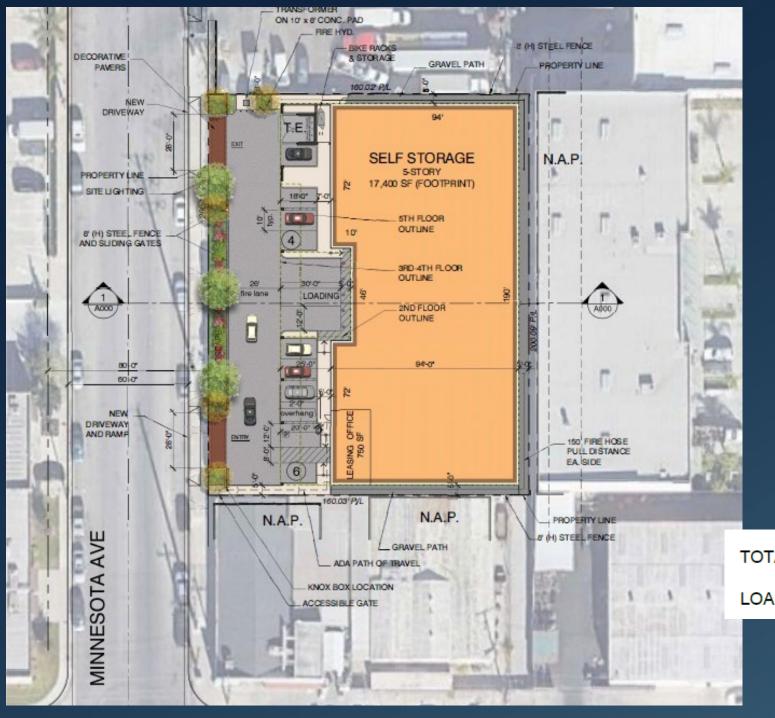
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TOTAL PARKING PROVIDED: STANDARD - 9 (10'X18')

ADA - 1 (12'X20')

LOADING PROVIDED 3 (12'X30')



Existing Zoning

M-1 (Light Manufacturing)

M-2 (Heavy Manufacturing)

PD-PS (Planned Development with Performance Standards)





Proposed Zoning

M-1 (Light Manufacturing)

M-2 (Heavy Manufacturing)

PD-PS (Planned Development with Performance Standards)





Land Use

Single-Family Residential

Industrial





Proposed Land Use Designation

Central Industrial District





Operations



- Staffing 8:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- Building accessible 5:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
- 3 employees; up to 2 employees per shift



- Prohibitions
 - Vehicle storage
 - Housing
 - Hazardous materials
 - Customer businesses
 - Noise





Community Benefits Agreement

- City and applicant have agreed upon CBA with onetime payment of \$200,000 to City
- Condition of Development Review Application
- City Council will determine specific expenditures at future date





Environmental Assessment

- California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)
- CAJA Environmental Services prepared Initial Study
- Initial Study determined project with mitigations will not result in any significant impacts on the environment
- Mitigations
 - Cultural Resources
 - Geology and Soils
 - Tribal Cultural Resources
- Mitigated Negative Declaration is recommended

INITIAL STUDY & MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

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MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Go Store It Self-Storage
15932 Minnesota Avenue

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Zone Change, Development Review, and Merger of Parcels



LEAD AGENCY:

CITY OF PARAMOUNT PLANNING DEPARTMENT 16400 COLORADO BOULEVARD PARAMOUNT, CALIFORNIA 90723

REPORT PREPARED BY

CAJA Environmental Services, LLC 9410 Topanga Canyon Blvd., Suite 101 Chatsworth, CA 91311

September 2022

Summary

- Project will not be out of character
- Significant improvement to physical conditions of site
- Contemporary design that supports environmental sustainability
- Eliminates blight
- Community Benefits Agreement assures the Paramount community that the applicant is cooperative and willing to share in the long-term business investment
- Integrates with the Paramount General Plan



Recommended Action

- Adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration and the Mitigation Monitoring Program relative to **Zone Change No. 241**
- 2) Read by title only, waive further reading, introduce Ordinance No. 1166, and place it on the next regular agenda for adoption

VISION, MISSION, VALUES
This item aligns with Strategic Outcomes No. 1: Safe Community and No. 3: Economic Health



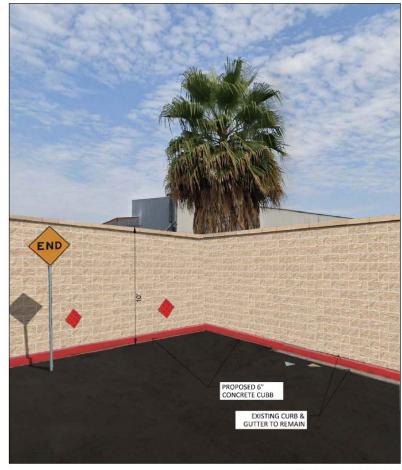
70th Street cul-de-sac





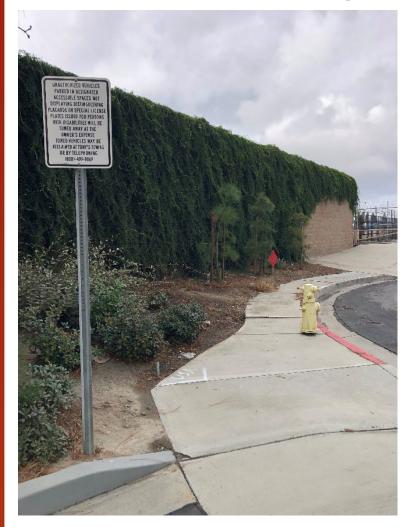
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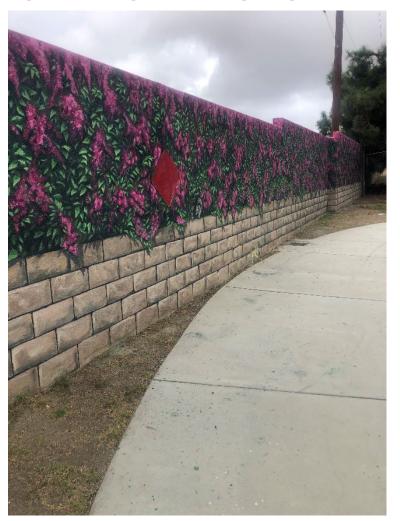




PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

Other Perimeter Walls







Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Council

- 1) authorize a new capital improvement project; and
- 2) appropriate an additional \$152,000 from the available General Fund Balance

Revised: General Fund Capital Improvement Reserves

This item aligns with Strategic Outcome No. 1: Safe Community









- City of Paramount Legislative Platform guiding principle
 - PRESERVE LOCAL CONTROL
- Local control is a city's land use and zoning regulatory authority
 - Part of a city's police power guaranteed by the State Constitution



- State continues to erode local control with legislation that takes away land use decisions from cities
 - Much of the loss of local control comes in the form of housing legislation
- There is agreement that more housing is needed in California
- California is extremely diverse and "one size" legislation does not fit all
- Housing legislation also does not account for the cost of infrastructure, services, and lack of parking

- SB 9 from 2021 is an example of the State taking away local zoning control
 - Allows single-family properties to be subdivided into 2 parcels as small as 1,200 square feet
 - Must be approved, and must be approved administratively

2022 Legislation

 The next slides will summarize housing legislation that was passed in 2022 and will take affect on January 1, 2023

SB 6 and AB 2011

- These bills allow developers to construct housing in commercial zones through a administrative process
 - City can not require a discretionary review

AB 2221

- This bill allows a property owner to build an ADU in the front setback of a property if there is no other location on the property to do so
- In Paramount, with high density and relatively smaller residential lots, there is a greater chance we will have to allow this

SB 897

- Allows detached ADUs to be constructed to a height of 18 feet on lots with an existing duplex or attached housing units
 - Up from a maximum height of 16 feet
 - 16 foot height limit essentially limited ADUs to a single story
- Also allows attached ADUs to have 2 stories (height limit of 25 feet)

AB 2097

- Prohibits a city from imposing a minimum parking requirement if the project is located within ½ mile of a major transit stop
 - Paramount has no major transit stops
 - The WSAB light rail station at Rosecrans and Paramount, and the I-105 and C Line station will be major transit stops

SB 1425

- This bill requires a city to update its general plan open space element by January 1, 2026
 - Element must consider equity and climate resilience

AB 2653

- Every year, cities must submit to HCD and the Governor's Office of Planning and Research a progress report on housing production
- This bill allows HCD to reject a report and request a new report for the Housing Element portion of the report
 - Would happen if report is not in substantial compliance with State law

ITEM NO. 15

Recommendation

Receive and file

ITEM NO. 15





City of Paramount Hexavalent Chromium Monitoring Program

Presented by

Kenneth Underwood, Ph.D., C.C.M. T&B Systems, Inc. Santa Clarita, California

City of Paramount - City Council Meeting November 8, 2022





Overview

- Monitoring Objectives
- Network & Operations
- Monitoring Results & Analysis
- Summary







Monitoring Objectives

- In November 2021, the City of Paramount retained T&B Systems to perform routine hexavalent chromium (Cr6+) monitoring throughout the City of Paramount
- Since 2016, similar monitoring had been conducted by the SCAQMD
- T&B Systems is using the same equipment and techniques that were used and established by the SCAQMD
- The monitoring objectives remain the same: To identify and investigate potential sources of Cr6+ in the adjacent communities within the City of Paramount and to provide results on the Paramount Environmental Portal: https://paramountenvironment.org/air-reports-test-results/
- The SCAQMD has noted that Cr6+ concentrations above 1.0 ng/m³ over three consecutive days is of concern and that readings below 1.0 ng/m³ are considered as relatively normal "background" levels.





- There are currently five Cr6+ monitoring locations in the City of Paramount.
- The network includes two types of samplers:
 - BGI PQ100 (three locations)
 - BGI Omni (two locations, solar-powered)



BGI PQ100



BGI Omni





T&B Systems started their monitoring effort on 11/18/21 at City Hall

Current Monitoring Locations and Start Dates

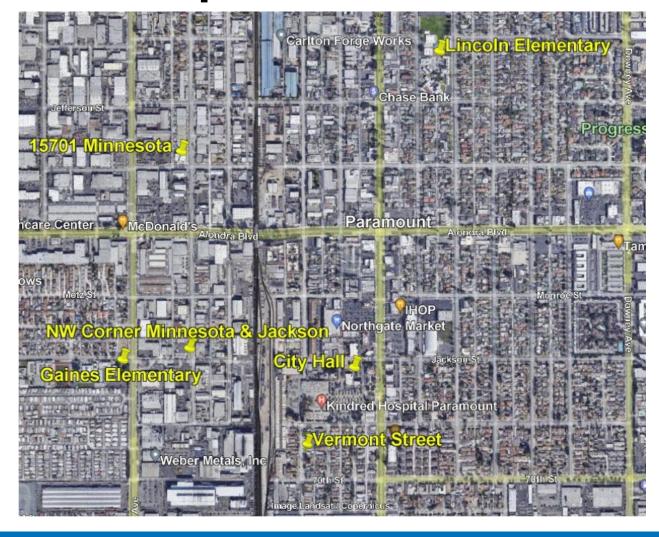
- 1. City Hall (11/18/21)
- 2. Adjacent to 15701 Minnesota (12/18/21)
- 3. Wesley Gaines Elementary School (1/11/22)
- 4. Lincoln Elementary School (1/11/22)
- Vermont Street (7/22/22)

Previous Monitoring Locations

- 1. Waterwell (Garfield & Jackson) (12/18/21 2/22/22)
- 2. NW Corner Minnesota & Jackson (2/28/22 7/16/22)









- The BGI samplers collect Cr6+ compounds using 47mm Impregnated Cellulose Filters at known, calibrated sampler flowrates
- Filters are run every 1-in-6 days based upon the annual EPA Sampling Schedule
- Each of the samples are operated over a 24-hour period (midnight to midnight)
- Filters are collected the day following each sample run and are shipped to Chester LabNet for analysis
- The filters are analyzed using the following analytical protocols: Ion Chromatography – ASTM D7614-20
- In addition to the Cr6+ samplers, T&B Systems also installed a tripod-mounted weather station at City Hall. These data are also provided on the Paramount Environmental Portal. Measurements include wind speed, wind direction, temperature and relative humidity





Monitoring Results Comparison with presentation on 5/17/22

Summary statistics from 4/23/22 – 11/1/22

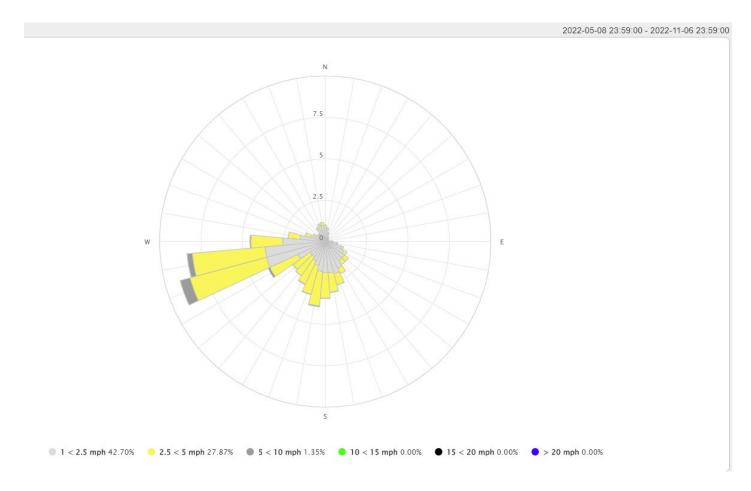
	#	Min	Max	Average
Site	Samples	(ng/m³)	(ng/m³)	(ng/m³)
Infront of 15701				
Minnesota	31	0.033	0.888	0.420
Vermont St.	17	0.093	0.635	0.238
City Hall	31	0.030	0.491	0.166
Wesley Gaines				
Elementary	23	0.034	0.193	0.084
Lincoln Elementary	9	0.024	0.205	0.087

Summary statistics from 11/18/21 – 4/29/22

	# of	Min	Max	Average
Site	Samples	(ng/m3)	(ng/m3)	(ng/m3)
City Hall	27	0.020	0.452	0.134
Waterwell	11	0.029	1.765	0.351
Mattco Forge	11	0.033	0.514	0.188
Aerocraft	22	0.033	2.096	0.488
Wesley Gains Elementary School	16	0.021	0.263	0.118
Lincoln Elementary School	15	0.016	0.265	0.118



Monitoring Results & Analysis



City Hall wind rose for the period 05/08/22 – 11/06/22





Summary:

- 1. Background concentrations appear to be approximately 0.030 ng/m³
- 2. School locations are associated with the lowest concentrations measured day-to-day
- 3. City Hall diurnal wind pattern shows low winds with no preferred wind direction (variable) from midnight until 10 am
- 4. From 10 am until 10 pm preferred wind direction is from WSW
- 5. Wind directions from 260° to 300° appear to be associated with highest turbulence and thereby mixing
- 6. Lowest average measured concentrations are observed on Sunday. Saturday concentrations are the next lowest measured concentrations
- 7. Highest concentrations observed adjacent to 15701 Minnesota
- 8. City Hall Hexavalent Chromium concentration measurements slightly higher for the period 4/23/2022 through 11/01/2022 when compared to the first six months of monitoring





QUESTIONS?

environmental research associates

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Adjournment