OFFICIAL
PROCEEDINGS
OF THE COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF NEW ORLEANS
REGULAR SESSION
CITY HALL: AUGUST 20, 2026

The Council of the City of New Orleans met this day in Regular Session, at 10:09 A.M., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Council President, JP Morrell, presiding.

On calling the roll, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT:
MORRELL (PRESIDENT)
WILLARD (VICE PRESIDENT)
MCCARRON
HARRIS
KING
GREEN
HUGHES

SEVEN MEMBERS PRESENT, CONSTITUTING A QUORUM.

ROLL CALL
AISHA R. COLLIER
CLERK OF COUNCIL

INVOCATION
DR. TORIN T. SANDERS, PASTOR
SIXTH BAPTIST CHURCH

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
JASON HUGHES
COUNCILMEMBER DISTRICT "E"

AMENDMENT

AMENDMENT TO CAL. NO. 35,520 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON - An amendment to Cal. 35,520 to remove a legally impermissible parking proviso, and otherwise to provide in respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE AMENDENT WAS ADOPTED.

ORDINANCES ON FINAL PASSAGE

CAL. NO. 35,504 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **145 Roosevelt Way**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,505 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **1525 Prytania Street**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,506 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **1010 Girod Street**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,507 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **2816 Saint Louis Street**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,508 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **6 Newcomb Boulevard**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,509 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **10 Newcomb Boulevard**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,510 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER GREEN (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **1660 North Roman Street**; to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,511 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER KING (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor of the City of New Orleans to enter into an agreement to grant a servitude to an adjacent property owner for encroachments on/over portions of public right-of-way located at the municipal address **221 Royal Street;** to fix the minimum price and terms of said servitude agreement; to declare that such use as granted in the servitude agreement will incorporate space that is neither needed for public purposes nor shall such use interfere with the use of the public right-of-way; to set forth the reasons for said servitude agreement; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,512 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORRELL AND HUGHES - An Ordinance to amend and reordain Article 19 of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance (Ordinance No. 4264 M.C.S., as amended by Ordinance No. 26,413 M.C.S. and subsequent amendments) to create a new Interim Zoning District to be named the Data Center Interim Zoning District, the intent of which is prohibit the issuance of an occupational license or otherwise permit the operation of data centers citywide; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 37/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,513 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS KING AND HARRIS - An Ordinance to amend and reordain Articles 20 and 26 of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance (Ordinance No. 4264 M.C.S., as amended by Ordinance No. 26,413 M.C.S. and subsequent amendments) to add a new definition "Park Concession Facility" and to add new on-site development standards for "Park Concession Facilities"; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 48/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,514 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS - An Ordinance to establish a conditional use to permit a standard restaurant in an HU-B1 Historic Urban Neighborhood Business District, the CPC Character Preservation Corridor Design Overlay District and the Magazine Street Use Restriction Overlay District, on Square 236, Lot 14 and part of Lot 15, in the Sixth Municipal District, bounded by Magazine Street, Bordeaux Street, Camp Street, and Lyons Street **(Municipal Address: 4807 Magazine Street)**; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 52/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,515 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS - An Ordinance to establish a conditional use to permit a commercial short term rental in a C-2 Auto-Oriented Commercial District and the Transient Lodging Interim Zoning District, on Square 359, Lot C, in the First Municipal District, bounded by Reverend John Raphael Jr. Way, Clio Street, Earhart Boulevard, and Freret Street **(Municipal Addresses: 1131-1133 Reverend John Raphael Jr. Way)**; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NIO. 53/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Willard - 6
NAYS: Morrell - 1
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,516 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON - An Ordinance to establish a conditional use to permit a commercial use (office) over 5,000 square feet in floor area in an S-LB2 Lake Area Neighborhood Business District, on Square 22, Lots 11 through 13, Homedale Park Annex, in the Second Municipal District, bounded by Canal Street, Greenwood Street, Vicksburg Street, and Weiblen Street **(Municipal Address: 5325 Canal Boulevard)**; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 54/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,517 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS KING AND HARRIS - An Ordinance to establish a conditional use to permit a reception facility in an HU-B1 Historic Urban Neighborhood Business District, on Square 766, Lot 1, in the Third Municipal District, bounded by Saint Bernard Avenue, North Derbigny Street, London Avenue, New Orleans Street, and North Roman Street **(Municipal Address: 1701 St. Bernard Avenue)**; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 55/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,518 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HARRIS - An Ordinance to establish a conditional use to permit a commercial short term rental in a CBD-2 Historic Commercial and Mixed-Use District and the Transient Lodging Interim Zoning District, on Square 130, Lots 14 and 15, in the First Municipal District, bounded by Natchez Street, Magazine Street, Poydras Street, and Tchoupitoulas Street **(Municipal Address: 422 Natchez Street)**; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 56/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Willard - 5
NAYS: Morrell - 1
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,519 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS KING AND HARRIS - An Ordinance to amend and reordain Article 24, Section 24.13.G.3.d Retail Facilities in the VCS and VCS-1 Districts of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance (Ordinance No. 4264 M.C.S., as amended by Ordinance No. 26,413 M.C.S. and subsequent amendments) to alter the signage regulations for retail centers owned or controlled by a single entity, not anchored by a major department store, unified by a specific architectural theme and consisting of a major public or private space, with more than 55,000 square feet of enclosed gross leasable area devoted primarily to diverse retail, food, and entertainment facilities; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 57/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,520 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON - An Ordinance to effect a zoning change from an HU-RD2 Historic Urban Two-Family Residential District to an HU-B1A Historic Urban Neighborhood Business District and to grant a conditional use to permit a "Standard Restaurant" as defined in Section 26.6 of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance of the City of New Orleans in the HU-B1A Use Restriction Overlay District, on Square 187, Lots 1, 2, and 3, in the Sixth Municipal District, bounded by Octavia Street, Laurel Street, Constance Street, and Jefferson Avenue **(Municipal Addresses: 5433 Laurel Street and 509-515 Octavia Street)**; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto. **(ZONING DOCKET NO. 30/26)**
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,528 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORRELL, WILLARD, MCCARRON, HARRIS, KING, GREEN AND HUGHES - An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 30530 M.C.S., as amended, entitled "An Ordinance Providing an Operating Budget of Revenues for the City of New Orleans for the Year 2026", to appropriate funds to the Office of Community Development for the Right to Counsel program to provide legal counsel to residential tenants facing eviction proceedings within the City of New Orleans and to provide housing-related advocacy for tenants in New Orleans; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,529 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORRELL, WILLARD, MCCARRON, HARRIS, KING, GREEN AND HUGHES - An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 30531 M.C.S., as amended, entitled "An Ordinance Providing an Operating Budget of Expenditures for the City of New Orleans for the Year 2026", to appropriate funds to the Office of Community Development for the Right to Counsel program to provide legal counsel to residential tenants facing eviction proceedings within the City of New Orleans and to provide housing-related advocacy for tenants in New Orleans; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, King, McCarron, Morrell, Willard – 7
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,531 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS HARRIS, MORRELL, MCCARRON AND HUGHES (BY REQUEST) - An Ordinance to amend and re-ordain Ordinance No. 30,532 M.C.S., entitled "An Ordinance Providing a Capital Budget for the Year 2026", to effect the following change to the 2026 Capital Budget: to de-appropriate funds to the Department of Parks and Parkways, the Department of Property Management, the Department of Public Works, the New Orleans Fire Department, the New Orleans Main Library, the New Orleans Recreation Development Commission, the Office of Sustainability; to appropriate funds to the Chief Administrative Office, the Department of Property Management, the Department of Public Works, the New Orleans Museum of Art, the New Orleans Recreation Development Commission, and the Office of Sustainability; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 5
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: Hughes, King - 2
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,532 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER MCCARRON - An Ordinance to amend and reordain Ordinance No. 30,396 MC.S., regarding energy benchmarking for nonresidential and multi-family buildings pursuant to Article XIV of Chapter 26 of the Code of the City of New Orleans, to extend the effective date thereof for certain covered properties; to expand the application of the effective date to additional covered properties; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,534 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORRELL, HARRIS, WILLARD, MCCARRON, GREEN AND HUGHES - An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 30530 M.C.S., as amended, entitled "An Ordinance Providing an Operating Budget of Revenues for the City of New Orleans for the Year 2026", to appropriate funds from each Council office's operating budget back to the General Fund; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

CAL. NO. 35,535 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MORRELL, HARRIS, WILLARD, MCCARRON, GREEN AND HUGHES - An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 30531 M.C.S., as amended, entitled "An Ordinance Providing an Operating Budget of Expenditures for the City of New Orleans for the Year 2026", to appropriate funds from each Council office's operating budget back to the General Fund; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.
ROLL CALL:
YEAS: Green, Harris, Hughes, McCarron, Morrell, Willard - 6
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: King - 1
RECUSED: 0
AND THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED.

RESOLUTION
(LYING OVER)

NO. R-26-275
CITY HALL: July 9, 2026
BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MCCARRON, MORRELL, HARRIS AND GREEN
IN RE: RULEMAKING PROCEEDING TO ESTABLISH RULES FOR COMMUNITY SOLAR PROJECTS
DOCKET NO. UD-18-03
RESOLUTION AND ORDER DIRECTING ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, LLC TO IMPLEMENT A CONSOLIDATED BILLING PROGRAM FOR THE COMMUNITY SOLAR PROGRAM
WITHDRAWN.

MOTIONS/RESOLUTIONS

SUBSTITUTE NO. R-26-275
(AS CORRECTED)
BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MCCARRON, MORRELL, HARRIS, GREEN AND WILLARD
IN RE: RULEMAKING PROCEEDING TO ESTABLISH RULES FOR COMMUNITY SOLAR PROJECTS
DOCKET NO. UD-18-03
RESOLUTION AND ORDER DIRECTING ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, LLC TO IMPLEMENT A CONSOLIDATED BILLING PROGRAM FOR THE COMMUNITY SOLAR PROGRAM

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Home Rule Charter of the City of New Orleans ("Charter"), the Council of the City of New Orleans ("Council") is the governmental body with the power of supervision, regulation and control over public utilities providing service within the City of New Orleans; and
WHEREAS, pursuant to its powers of supervision, regulation, and control over public utilities, the Council is responsible for fixing and changing rates and charges of public utilities and making all necessary rules and regulations governing the terms and conditions of service, and to govern applications for the fixing and changing of rates and charges for public utilities; and
WHEREAS, Entergy New Orleans, LLC ("ENO") is a public utility providing electric service to all of New Orleans; and
WHEREAS, to expand access to renewable energy resources for New Orleans, especially for those unable to install rooftop solar systems, the Council established rules for a community solar program ("Community Solar Rules") in Resolution R-19-111; and
WHEREAS, with extensive stakeholder participation, the Council has amended, clarified, and refined the Community Solar Rules through multiple resolutions, including R-19-390, R-22-76, R-23-130, R-23-507, R-24-137, R-24-310, and R-24-571, to ensure that the program remains consistent with the public interest and protects non-participating ratepayers while avoiding undue financial harm or risk to the utility; and
WHEREAS, the Council has established certain guiding principles for the Community Solar Rules including:
1. The rules should be designed to allow customers to offset their own electric consumption, they should not be designed to allow customers to generate electricity for profit at the expense of their fellow ratepayers;
2. The rules should leave as much flexibility as possible for developers to design the community solar programs that they believe will be attractive to New Orleans citizens, consistent with the Council's responsibility to protect New Orleans citizens and to ensure the continued provision of safe, reliable, electric power to New Orleans at just and reasonable rates;
3. The rules should protect non-participating ratepayers from risks associated with the program. The risks borne by ratepayers participating in community solar projects should be limited to loss of funds that they commit to invest in a community solar project. All other risks (such as liability for accidental damage, risk of under subscription, etc.) should be borne by the developers; and
WHEREAS, consolidated billing is a service offered to electric customers whereby the customer is able to pay their subscription fee to a subscriber organization ("SO") through their electric bill. Under consolidated billing, the bill sent to the customer by the utility reflects both the credit the customer receives for the power put onto the grid by the SO and the customer's subscription fee, as well as the regular utility charges. The purpose of consolidated billing is to simplify customer participation, improve program transparency, reduce administrative costs for SOs, and enable developers to obtain financing through predictable revenue collection; and
WHEREAS, "Net Crediting Consolidated Billing" refers to the process by which the utility calculates allocated and net credits on a monthly basis for each subscriber, renders the net credit on the electric bill of the subscriber, and renders payment to the SO for its share of each allocated credit less the utility administrative fees. Under the Net Crediting Consolidated Billing option, a "Guaranteed Savings Rate" is the percentage of the total allocated Credit that will be used to calculate the monthly net credit for each subscriber and applied to their monthly electric bill; and
WHEREAS, the issue of implementing consolidated billing in the context of the Community Solar Rules in New Orleans was raised at the Council more than three years ago and the Council has provided numerous opportunities for the parties to participate and express their respective positions in support of, or in opposition to, consolidated billing; and
WHEREAS, many parties, including ENO, participated in the Council's procedural process by filing comments and reply comments on at least ten separate occasions, exchanging information through discovery, filing sworn testimony and post-testimony briefs, and participating in a Council-established technical conference for the purpose of gathering input from the parties on the issue of consolidated billing; and
WHEREAS, consolidated billing can be structured to protect non-participating electric customers from rate impacts associated with implementation and shield the utility from undue financial harm and risk; and
WHEREAS, with the appropriate protections and safeguards in place, consolidated billing can provide benefits to electric customers and can be adopted in a manner that is in the public interest; and
WHEREAS, in Resolution No. R-24-310, the Council directed ENO to submit a proposal for implementing a consolidated billing program for community solar generating facilities ("CSG Facilities"), allowing subscribers to receive bill credits and pay subscription fees through a single ENO bill; and
WHEREAS, after multiple procedural deadline extensions and stakeholder comments, on October 24, 2025, the utility advisors to the Council ("Advisors") filed their Advisors' report regarding consolidated billing ("Advisors' Report") recommending a net crediting consolidated billing structure and providing a redline of the changes the Advisors recommended the Council make to the Community Solar Rules if the Council decided to adopt net crediting consolidated billing; and
WHEREAS, the Advisors noted that consolidated billing could be adopted in a manner that is consistent with the public interest and implemented in accordance with decades of legally established Council utility regulatory practice and applicable law when properly structured; and
WHEREAS, on November 25, 2025, after receiving numerous rounds of written comments spanning several years on whether consolidated billing