

City of Long Beach

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and City Council

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Title: Recommendation to consider and receive comments from the community regarding the following

proposed amendment to the Long Beach City Charter: City of Long Beach Ethics Commission Measure. A charter amendment and ordinance to require the creation of an ethics commission comprised of Long Beach residents for the purpose of monitoring, administering, and enforcing

governmental ethics laws in the City of Long Beach.

Sponsors: MAYOR ROBERT GARCIA

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| 7/17/2018 | 2 | Joint Meeting of the Charter Amendment Committee and City Council | approve recommendation | Pass |
| 6/12/2018 | 1 | Joint Meeting of the Charter Amendment Committee and City Council | received and filed | Pass |

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City Charter Amendment Process

Under State law, a majority of Long Beach voters must approve any City Charter Amendment. The next available date to place this Charter amendment on the ballot will be November 6, 2018. To consider this amendment for the November 6, 2018 election, State law requires that there be three public hearings/meetings over the next 60 days. At each of these hearings/meetings there will be opportunities for discussion, receiving community input, and making changes to the Charter amendment language. The hearing/meeting dates are as follows:

- June 12, 2018 First public healing: Receive staff presentation, hear public comment, direct staff to gather any further information or implement changes.
- July 17, 2018 Second public hearing: Receive any updated information, hear public

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comment, direct staff to gather any information or make amendment changes.

• August 7, 2018 - Final meeting: Receive any updated information, hear public comment, make any final amendment changes, and if the City Council so chooses, adopt the required resolutions to place the Chatter amendment on the November 6, 2018 General Election ballot.

Discussion of proposed amendments has no fiscal impact.

Consider proposed amendment to the Long Beach City Charter, receive comments from the community, and refer for final hearing on August 7.

MAYOR ROBERT GARCIA