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Date: February 12, 2019
To: Patrick H. West, City Manager *T. All*
From: Robert Dowell, Director of Energy Resources *R. Dowell*
For: Mayor and Members of the City Council
Subject: **Long Beach Community Choice Aggregation Feasibility Study Status Report**

At its October 23, 2018 meeting, the City Council approved a recommendation by the Long Beach Energy Resources Department to award contracts for conducting a comprehensive Community Choice Aggregation (CCA) feasibility study. The CCA feasibility study will be among the most comprehensive studies of CCA risks and benefits to date and will incorporate analysis of the recent Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) Chapter 11 bankruptcy filings, the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) decisions on Power Charge Indifference Adjustment (PCIA), and proposed expansions of the CPUC's Direct Access program.

At the time of contract approval, the City Council requested that staff report back in four months to provide an update on the status of the Long Beach CCA feasibility study. Staff has been working closely with the team of contracted consultants to ensure the study is moving forward, and will provide an update to the City Council in April 2019.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (562) 570-2001.

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