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**INNOVATION FUND COMMITTEE /INNOVATION AND PERFORMANCE COMMISSION\***  
**MEETING AGENDA**

Wednesday, May 15, 2024 – 11:00 a.m.

City Hall East – Office of the City Administrative Officer (CAO)  
 200 North Main Street – 15<sup>th</sup> Floor Large Conference Room

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#	Agenda Item	Duration	Presenter(s)
1.	<b>Call to Order</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
2.	<b>Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes</b>	5 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
3.	<b>Public Comment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Up to one minute per agenda item. Up to two minutes for two or more agenda items</li> <li>one minute for general public comment on any matter within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open Floor</li> </ul>
<b>Reports, Communications, Announcements</b>			
4.	<b>Innovation Fund Report</b>	5 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
<b>Old Business</b>			
5.	<b>Review and Discussion of the Committee Chair Innovation Fund Submission Log</b>	5 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
6.	<b>Review, Discussion of, and Action on Advancing Previously Reviewed Submissions to Full Innovation and Performance Commission</b>	15 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
<b>New Business</b>			
7.	<b>Review and Discussion of Submissions Assigned for Review by Committee</b>	5 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full Committee</li> </ul>
8.	<b>Review, Discussion of, and Action on Advancing New Submissions to Full Innovation and Performance Commission</b>	20 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
9.	<b>Review, Discussion of, and Action on 2024-25 Innovation Fund Budget</b>	10 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
10.	<b>Other Committee Business</b>	5 min	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>
<b>Closing Agenda Items</b>			
11.	<b>Adjournment</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commissioner Villa</li> <li>Commissioner Walker</li> </ul>

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**Next Innovation Fund Committee Meeting:**

**TBD**

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Members of the public who wish to speak on one or multiple items shall have an opportunity to speak up to one minute per item up to a total of two minutes for two or more agenda items. At regular meetings, members of the public shall also have an opportunity to speak up to one minute for general public comment on any matter within the subject-matter jurisdiction of the Commission. The Commission is not required to take general public comment at special meetings. The Commission may limit the total amount of time for public comment on any specific agenda item, on all agenda-items collectively, and/or on general public comment, based on the anticipated time required to hear from public speakers on any given or all agenda items, on the availability of Commission members and the need to maintain quorum, and on any other relevant factor. The Commission shall not discuss or take action relative to any general public comment except as explicitly permitted under the Brown Act.

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What forms of TRS are available? There are several forms of TRS, depending on the particular needs of the user and the equipment available: TRS includes: Text to Voice TIY-Based TRS; Speech-to-Speech Relay Service; Shared Non-English Language Relay Service; Captioned Telephone Relay Service; Internet Protocol Relay Service; and Video Relay Service. Please visit this site for detail descriptions:

<https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/telecommunications-relay-service-trs>.

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- 2 – Potential Funding Opportunity – Request More Information from GM
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	Innovation Fund Submission to Be Reviewed By Committee	Submitter's Name	Source (e.g. Google sub; Email; Post)	Row Number	Department	Recommended Award
1.						



	Innovation Fund Submission ( <b>Current Status Three</b> )		Source (e.g. Google sub; Email; Post)			
1.	Watts Towers Virtual Accessibility Experience ( <b>Report Awaiting Approval for Transmittal</b> )	Andy Horwitz	Adobe	447	Department of Cultural Affairs	\$100,000
2.	Wildlife Education ( <b>Report Awaiting Approval for Transmittal</b> )	Steven Lewis	Google Form	78	Department of Animal Services	\$65,000
3.	A Pet's Journey ( <b>Report Awaiting Approval for Transmittal</b> )	Robert Rios	Google Form	113	Department of Animal Services	\$100,000
4.	Use-Of-Force Dashboard ( <b>Report Transmitted and Pending Council Committee Approval</b> )	Sergio Perez	Email		Office of the City Controller	\$125,000
5.	City's End-to-End Procurement System ( <b>Report Transmitted and Pending Council Committee Approval</b> )	Leah Chu	Email		Office of the City Administrative Officer	\$400,000
6.	Bid Creation and Management Module ( <b>Report Transmitted and Pending Council Committee Approval</b> )	Leah Chu	Email		CAO/ITA	\$300,000
7.	Community Safety Partnership- Reimagined ( <b>Report Transmitted and Pending Council Committee Approval</b> )	Deputy Chief Emada Tingerides	Google Form	123	LAPD	\$250,000
8.	City Attorney Open Data and Visualization Transparency Project ( <b>Report in Progress</b> )	Kyle Kirkpatrick	Google Doc	126	City Attorney	\$250,000
9.	Medical Supply Inventory Management System ( <b>Report in Progress</b> )	Assistant Chief Amir Caspian	Google Doc	137	LAFD	\$350,000



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	Innovation Fund Submission ( <b>Current Status Two</b> )		Source (e.g. Google sub; Email; Post)		Department	Notes
1.	Institutional Knowledge Bank		Google Form	119	General Service Department (GSD)	Connected Submitter with Commission Liasion
2.	Pilot Program – Meditation as an Option for City Planning Appeal Cases for Single Family Homes		Google Form	59	City Planning Department	Submitter requested to have this item tabled until further notice
3.	Complimentary material disposal for rebate program applicants	miguel.grajeda	Google Form	125	Public Works	
4.	LADOT	jackson@jacksonleung.com	Google Form	135	LADOT	
5.	City Hall East Parking Permits	ethan.greene	Google Form	141	City Attorney	
6.	Library of Things	E. Rodarte	Google Form	143	Library	
7.	3D City	Milanal.palanker	Google Form	146	DOT	
8.	Forks-to-Fuel Initiative	Trina.lai	Google Form	147	Public Works	\$182,400
9.	Digitization of Fire Reports and Electronic Payments	Drew Steinberg	Google Form	148	LAFD	\$310,000
10.	Enforcement of Recycling at Events and Venues	Leah Zahner	Google Form	149	Mayor’s Office	
11.	Public WiFi at RAP Bandshells & Pershing Square	Cesar Valera	Google Form	150	Rec and Parks	\$120,000
12.	Turning Waste into Wealth: Investing in the Circular Economy with Innovative Business Seed Funding	sanrmdz	Google Form	151	Public Works	\$300,000