



CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH
CITY COUNCIL MEETING – COUNCIL MEMBER ITEMS REPORT

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

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DATE: OCTOBER 5, 2021

SUBJECT: DEVELOPMENT OF A PLAN TO UPGRADE THE CITY FLEET TO ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLES

As auto manufacturers begin transitioning away from internal combustion engines, there is a practical need to begin preparing for the eventuality when gas and diesel cars and trucks are no longer being mass produced. Recently, General Motors announced that they plan to eliminate all gas- and diesel-powered vehicles by 2035 and Toyota by 2040.

Here in the City, we have approximately 900 vehicles in our fleet; approximately 7.5% of our vehicles are currently powered by alternative fuels. As we continue moving ahead, it would make sense for the City to have a plan developed to guide the transition of our entire fleet to alternative fuel sources.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

We recommend that the City Council direct the City Manager to prepare a plan to transition the entire City fleet to alternative fuel vehicles.