

**MEMORANDUM FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY  
CONCERNING A CLOSED SESSION BEFORE  
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRENTWOOD**

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM: Katherine Wisinski, City Attorney

SUBJECT: Closed Session

**CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - PENDING LITIGATION**

Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to Government Code § 54956.9(d)(2)  
One Potential Case.

A closed session will be held on September 24, 2024, for the purpose of conferring with and/or receiving advice from your legal counsel concerning pending litigation. Based on existing facts and circumstances and the advice of its legal counsel, a point has been reached where there is significant exposure to litigation against the City. *[Gov't. Code § 54956.9(d)(2)].*

If the City Council authorizes the City Attorney to defend, or seek or refrain from seeking appellate review or relief, this determination shall be disclosed immediately following this closed session. If the City Council authorizes initiation or intervention, such authorization shall be disclosed immediately following this closed session and the public advised that the action, defendants and other particulars may be disclosed upon request after the action is formally commenced. *[Gov't. Code § 54957.1(a)(2)].*

If the City Council accepts a settlement offer signed by the opposing party, the substance of the settlement shall be disclosed immediately following this closed session. *[Gov't. Code § 54957.1(a)(3)(A)].*

Any disclosures shall include the vote or abstention of each member.

Dated: September 19, 2024.



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Katherine Wisinski  
City Attorney