

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

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM: Rebecca McKee-Reimbold, Interim City Attorney

SUBJECT: Closed Session – Conference with Legal Counsel - Anticipated Litigation
[Government Code §54956.9]

Significant Exposure to Litigation Pursuant to Paragraph (2) of Subdivision
(d) of Section 54956.9. Number of Potential Case(s): one

A closed session will be held on February 24, 2026, for the purpose of conferring with and/or receiving advice from your legal counsel concerning anticipated litigation. Based on existing facts and circumstances and the advice of its legal counsel, the City Council believes there is a significant exposure to litigation. *[Government Code §54956.9(d)(2)]*. On October 16, 2025, the City Attorney's Office received a verbal threat of litigation from an attorney on behalf of a City employee alleging wrongdoing by the City related to an ongoing personnel investigation. The facts and circumstances that might result in litigation against the City are not known to the potential plaintiff(s) and therefore need not be disclosed. *[Government Code § 54956.9(e)(1)]*.

Dated: February 12, 2026

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