

PROPOSITION K:
L.A. FOR KIDS STEERING COMMITTEE
Minutes from the Meeting of May 28, 2026

MEMBERS: Yolanda Chavez, City Administrative Officer, Chair (CAO)
Matias Farfan, Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA)
Shannon Lawrence, Office of the Mayor (Mayor)

The meeting was called to order at 9:29 A.M.

General Public Comment, Multiple Agenda Item Comment.

General Public Comment, Multiple Agenda Item Comment, comment period closed.

Item 1 Minutes of the May 28, 2026 Regular Meeting.

DISPOSITION Approved on consent.

Item 2 Report from the Department of Recreation and Parks on Measure A - authorization to submit work plans for Ernest E. Debs Park (Measure A; Council District 1), Lincoln Park (Measure A; Council District 14), and North Valley Trails Master Plan (Measure A; Council District 12) projects, and the Mount Carmel Recreation Center Improvements project (Measure A; Council District 8) and to accept grant funds, if awarded. Action by Committee. Direction to staff and related actions.

DISPOSITION Approved.

Item 3 Report from the Bureau of Engineering (BOE) requesting approval of the request of the Los Angeles Boys and Girls Club to extend the deadline for completion of the design and construction from December 31, 2025 to December 31, 2026, for the Athletic Field and Basketball Court Lighting Project (Grant Agreement No. C-133387), and to authorize the City Engineer to negotiate and execute Amendment No. 2 to Proposition K Grant Agreement (Proposition K; CD 1). Action by Committee. Direction to staff and related actions

DISPOSITION Approved.

Ohaji Abdallah, BOE, provided a verbal amendment to the report at the table as follows:

1. Added the word: ***Project*** in Recommendation 1. changes shown in bold/italics as follows: Approve the Los Angeles Boys and Girls Club

(LABGC) request to extend the term for design and construction for the Athletic Field and Basketball Court Lighting **Project...**

2. In the DISCUSSION/BACKGROUND section, added (**Grant Agreement**) as shown below: The Los Angeles Boys and Girls Club (LABGC) (Grantee) submitted a proposal for Proposition K competitive funding in the 9th funding cycle, and was awarded \$449,483 for the Athletic Field & Basketball Court Lighting Project (Proposition K Grant Agreement No. C-133387, CF #16-0428), The project is located at 2635 Pasadena Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90031. Proposition K Grant Agreement No. C-133387 (**Grant Agreement**)...
3. Page 2: Added an additional sentence, as follows, the following paragraph, added language shown in bold/italics: Due to funding constraints, LABGC was not able to complete the project in a timely manner, and in August 2024, requested an extension for the completion and design of the project under the Grant Agreement from June 27, 2021, to December 31, 2025. ***That request was approved by the LAFKSC and City Council (CF #24-1057), and pursuant thereto, Amendment No. 1 to the Grant Agreement was executed on January 7, 2025.***
4. Replaced/reorganized the entire following four (4) paragraphs on page 2, to simplify and as a part of reorganizing this section of the report, however, the information provided is essentially the same, just reorganized. The requested extension dates in both versions are the same, e.g. December 31, 2026, and the justification provided remains the same, including requiring a status update by July 31, 2026 and monthly construction project updates until the contract ends. In the fourth paragraph, note that the word ***“amended”***...
5. Revise the following section to:

Currently, LABGC is also managing two other Proposition K funded projects; the Aquatic Center project (C-119011) and Gymnasium project (C-119026). These other projects are progressing on schedule and are slated for a grand opening on June 20, 2026. LABGC states that managing three extensive physical improvement projects simultaneously while maintaining full-time youth programming during the school year and summer sessions is proving to be an operational challenge.

Extending the deadline for completion of this Athletic Field & Basketball Court Lighting project will give LAGBC time to successfully complete this project while prioritizing the completion of the other two Proposition K projects which involve high-utilization facilities. Therefore, LABGC is requesting this project be extended from **December 31, 2025, to December 31, 2026 (See Attachment 1).**

This will allow the LABGC's team to transition resources directly from the successful completion of the current renovations for the Gymnasium

and Aquatic Center in June 2026 to the LABGC Athletic Field and Court Lighting contract # C-133387.

For the Athletic Field & Basketball Court Lighting project, the proposed **amended** timeline and milestones are as follows:

6. Top of Page 3, 4th bullet point revised to provide BOE, rather than the Prop K Program Management Team, authority to require LABGC to rescind their project, as follows: If *BOE* determines at any time that the project completion deadline of December 31, 2026 cannot be met, LABGC will submit a memo to rescind their award of the funds awarded under the Grant Agreement, and/or BOE, in its sole discretion, may terminate and rescind such grant award.
7. Page 3, final paragraph, shortened to remove unnecessary additional provided information, language in bold/italics below deleted: BOE believes that it is in the best interest of the City and LABGC that the deadline for completion of design, construction and all closeout activities be extended for the Athletic and Outdoor Basketball Court Lighting project to December 31, 2026.

Yolanda Chavez, Office of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), asked if there are no amendments to Amendment No. 2. Mr. Abdallah confirmed there are no amendments.

The LAFKSC Chair adjourned the meeting at 9:36 A.M.