

The SONC board is in support of the council motion directing the Department of Recreation and Parks to report on a strategy and timeline for a pilot program to evaluate the use of zero-emission maintenance equipment at parks and golf courses.

SONC recommends that American Green Zone Alliance (AGZA), be the organization that helps the City of Los Angeles with their zero emissions maintenance equipment pilot project, in order to avoid common problems that may arise in transitioning untrained staff. AGZA is the certification organization that helped the City of South Pasadena achieve their ground breaking zero emission operations for all city properties, and is the most qualified and experienced consultancy to ensure the City's program success. The SONC supports the City's pilot program and urges to implement AGZA's Green Zone certification throughout its parks and golf courses.