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A First-Principles Study on Atomic-Scale Pore Design of Microporous Carbon Electrodes for Lithium-Ion Batteries[†]

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Fig. S1 (a) Average coordination numbers of carbon atoms (CN_{C-C}) and (b–d) proportions of $CN_{C-C} = 2$, 3, and 4 in lithiated microporous carbon structures with Li atoms removed. $CN_{\alpha-\beta}$ represents the number of β atoms around an α atom. The atomic bond is connected when the C–C distance is within 1.9 Å.



Fig. S2 Average Bader populations of Li in lithiated MC-15, MC-20, and MC-25 structures.



Fig. S3 Distribution histograms of the Bader populations of Li in lithiated MC-15, MC-20, and MC-25 structures.



Fig. S4 Mean-square displacements (d_{ms}) of Li atoms in the partially lithiated MC-15, MC-20, and MC-25 (Li_{2.4}C₆) structures.



Fig. S5 Mean-square displacements (d_{ms}) of Li atoms in the fully lithiated MC-15 (Li_{8.4}C₆), MC-20 (Li_{7.8}C₆), and MC-25 (Li_{8.4}C₆) structures.