

Construction Advisory Committee MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING Tuesday, September 15, 2015

The Construction Advisory Committee convened in a regular meeting on Tuesday, September 15, 2015 One Texas Center, 505 Barton Springs Road, Public Works Conference Room, 13th Floor.

- ___P__ Carson Fisk Chair ___P ___ Suzanne Litz
- ____P___Howard Lazarus Ex-Officio Member
- P Gregory Sindelar
- ____P ___ Martin Prisant

- _P ___ Thomas Dodd Vice Chair
- ___P ___ Jeremy Hendricks
- ___P__ Stephanie Gharakhanian

City Staff in Attendance:

Jennifer Pierce, Staff Liaison- Public Works Department Rosie Truelove, Director- Contract Management Department Rolando Fernandez, Assistant Director- Contract Management Department Cynthia Gonzales, Division Manager- Contract Management Department Rick Wilson, Program Consultant- Contract Management Department Matthew Noriega, Senior Inspector - Austin CODE Department Michael Zeniecki, Code Inspector- Austin CODE Department Todd Wilcox, Division Manager- Austin CODE Department

Chair Fisk called the meeting to order at 10:11 a.m.

1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: None

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from the meeting of 06/23/2015 were approved on a 7-0 vote.

3. DIRECTOR'S REPORT

None

4. NEW BUSINESS

a. Email Set-up

IT assisted new Committee members with setting up their BC Email to allow them to access on their phones.

b. CAC Bylaws

The Committee reviewed and approved the bylaws. They were approved with a 7-0 vote.

c. Code Compliance Overview and Update

Matthew Noriega, from Austin CODE, gave an update to the Committee on the Rest Break Ordinance. He also provided an overview on areas the department is currently focusing on. This includes outreach in the community and residential workers education. CODE is also attending the Workers Defense Outreach meetings and monthly check-ins with workers.

- d. Prevailing Wage Program Overview Rolando Fernandez, Assistant Director, introduced Cynthia Gonzales and Rick Wilson to the Committee. Rick Wilson, Program Consultant, then gave an overview to the Committee of the Prevailing Wage Program. He reviewed the processes and stats of the current program.
- e. 2015 Workplan Updates The Committee reviewed the completed workplan from last year and determined they will hold a workplan session at the next meeting.

5. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. 2015 Workplan Updates (October)
- 6. NEXT MEETING (November 17, 2015)

7. ADJOURN

Meeting was motioned to adjourn at 11:31 a.m. by Chair Fisk.