# Economic Prosperity Commission April 20, 2016 6:30pm City Hall Bull Pen 1029 301 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Austin, TX 78702 AUSTIN, TEXAS



## **MINUTES**

# CALL TO ORDER 6:35pm

### 1. OPENING REMARKS

#### 2. Attendance:

- a. <u>City Staff:</u> Michelle Clemons-Executive Staff liaison, Jessica Armstrong-Staff liaison and Blake Smith Backup Staff liaison;
- b. <u>Commission Members Present:</u> District 7 appointee John King, District 6 appointee Eric Stratton, District 3 appointee Roberto Rondero de Mosier, District 10 appointee Holt Lackey, District 9 appointee Kevin Opp, District 1 appointee Marina Bhargava, At-Large appointee Orlando Segura, District 8 appointee Michael Joyce-
- c. Absent: District 2 appointee Kirsha Haverlah
- d. Resigned: District 4 appointee Amy Cobb; District 5 appointee Severino Sarabia

## **3. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION:** No citizens signed up to speak

#### 4. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Continue discussion on commission members research: Affordable Housing Forum: Commissioner Kevin Opp will reach out to Urban Transportation commission to get feedback about what has been done with the mobility bond within their commission and look for the Economic Impact Mobility Bond as it is in its current state, Commissioner Eric Stratton will reach out to Bond Oversite Commission to see where we are with the spending of our previous bond.
- b. Continue discussion and possible action on creation of additional Working Groups: Commission created a research working group consisting of Commissioners Kevin Opp, Holt Lackey, Orlando Segura, Marina Bhargava and Eric Stratton who will collect data on the economic impact analysis for proposed Mobility Bonds.
- c. Approve the minutes from 02.17.2016, 03.16.2016, 03.31.2016:
  - i. Approval of 02.17.16 minutes: Eric Stratton moves, Roberto Rondero de Mosier seconds- vote was unanimous.

- ii. Approval of 03.16.16 minutes: Roberto Rondero de Mosier moves, Marina Bhargava seconds- vote was unanimous.
- iii. Approval of 03.31.16 minutes: Roberto Rondero de Mosier moves, Holt Lackey seconds, Mike Joyce abstains- vote was unanimous
- d. Decisions regarding who will be invited to the May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting and special called meetings for the next quarter:
  - i. Jim Robertson Planning and Zoning Department/CodeNEXT Project Manager will present to the Commission on May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting.
  - ii. There was a Special Called meeting for May 26<sup>th</sup> more details to come from May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting.

## 5. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. Approve minutes from 04.20.2016 meeting.
- b. Solidifying the groups that will be invited to the Special Called Meetings for May  $26^{th}$  and for the June  $22^{nd}$  meeting.

### 6. ADJOURNMENT

At 8:45pm Holt Lackey moved to adjourn, Orlando Segura seconds- vote was unanimous. Meeting was adjourned.

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