

MBE/WBE and Small Business Enterprise Procurement Program Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes Regular Meeting Tuesday, May 3, 2016

The MBE/WBE and Small Business Enterprise Procurement Program Advisory Committee convened in a regular meeting on Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 301 W. 2nd Street, Boards & Commission Room 1101, in Austin, Texas.

Chair Eliza May called the Board Meeting to order at 5:36 p.m.

Board Members in Attendance:

Eliza May, Regina Adams, Barbra Boeta, Victoria Espinoza, Marjorie Burciaga, Schiller Liao, Mark Madrid, Reginald Worlds

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes for the regular meeting of March 1, 2016 were approved on Committee Member Liao's motion, seconded by Committee Member Boeta, on a 7-0 vote. Committee Member Burciaga was not present.

2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

Carol Hadnot – *general communication*

3. NEW BUSINESS

a. Presentation from Trammell Crow and representatives of Balfour Beatty (Green Water Treatment Plant Block 1) regarding compliance with the City's Third Party Resolution (Resolution No. 20120112-058) and terms of their agreement with the City

Representatives from Trammell Crow and Balfour Beatty presented to the Committee.

The Committee requested a copy of Balfour Beatty and The Beck Group's monthly reports.

The Committee asked staff to contact representatives of Trammell Crow and the Beck Group to reconsider attending June committee meeting.

The Committee requested SMBR contact the HUB Program at The University of Texas System for information on their bonding assistance program.

b. Adoption of Bylaw Amendments to meet compliance with universal bylaw amendments approved by the Council Audit & Finance Committee and City Council

The amendment was approved on Committee Member Liao's motion, seconded by Committee Member Madrid, on an 8-0 vote.

4. OLD BUSINESS

a. Discussion and recommendations on Local Preference in Local Government Procurement **No action was taken on this item.**

5. STAFF BRIEFINGS

a. Update on the status of the Minority, Women and Veteran-Owned Business Enterprise (MBE/WBE and VBE) Disparity Study

Committee was advised ordinance revisions will be provided to Council in October; no action was taken.

b. Monthly report and update from SMBR regarding the 1) Council Awards; 2) Third Party Project; and 3) Request for Change (RFC) reports

Updates were provided; no actions were taken.

6. AGENDA ITEMS

- **c.** Presentation from Trammell Crow and representatives of The Beck Group (Green Water Treatment Plant Block 23) regarding compliance with the City's Third Party Resolution (Resolution No. 20120112-058) and terms of their agreement with the City
- a. Presentation from SMBR on goalsetting and compliance versus good faith efforts
- b. Discussion and recommendations on Local Preference in Local Government Procurement
- **c.** Update on the status of the Minority, Women and Veteran-Owned Business Enterprise (MBE/WBE and VBE) Disparity Study
- **d.** Monthly report and update from SMBR regarding the **1**) Council Awards; **2**) Third Party Project; and **3**) Request for Change (RFC) reports

7. ADJOURN

Chair May adjourned the meeting at 8:51 p.m. without objection.