

(Construction Advisory Committee MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING (December 8, 2020)

CALL TO ORDER

The Construction Advisory Committee convened in a Regular meeting on December 8th via Video Conference.

Chair Lyn Nance-Hendricks called the Committee Meeting to order at 1:07 PM

LIAISONS

Eric Bailey – Executive Liaison Shelley Franklin – Staff Liaison

CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS:

- (A) Mayoral Jolsna Thomas, Committee Member
- (P) District 1 Calvin Williams, Committee Member
- (P) District 2 Juan Pedro Munoz, Committee Member
- (P) District 3 Bob Batlan, Vice Chair
- (P) District 4 Lyn Nance-Hendricks, Chair
- (P) District 5 Candelario Vazquez, Committee Member
- (A) District 6 vacant
- (A) District 7 Bobby Smith, Committee Member
- (A) District 8 Sean Forkner, Committee Member
- (P) District 9 Anna Bocchini, Committee Member
- (A) District 10 Carson Fisk, Committee Member

City Staff

Eric Bailey, Assistant Director, Public Works Department
Shelley Franklin, Executive Assistant, Public Works Department
Susan Delgado, Administrative Manager, Public Works Department
Edward Campos, Interim Director, Small and Minority Business Resource Department
Xavier Zarate, Acting Division Manager, Economic Development Department

CITIZENS COMMUNICATION

a. No citizen communications

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Committee Member Bob motioned to approve November 10th Minutes, Committee Member Calvin Seconds-Unanimous agreement.

2. DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- a. Update on Public Works Projects and the ongoing response to COVID-19
 - i. Public Works Assistant Director, Eric Bailey shared information on Public Works Capital Project Delivery, and active ongoing construction.

3. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Discussion and Possible Action on program updates from the Small and Minority Business Resource Department participation, outreach efforts, and effects of COVID on the program
 - Interim Director Edward Campos, Small and Minority Business Resource Department, shared a presentation including: disparity study, department organization, vendor statistics.
- b. Discussion of economic incentives provided to small business in relation to construction projects associated with Ch. 380 agreements
 - i. Acting Division Manager Xavier Zarate, Economic Development Department, shared a presentation giving an overview of the Business Expansion Incentive Program.
- c. Discussion of potential date changes and rescheduling of Work Plan for 2020
 - i. Item was not discussed.

4. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. Discussion of contractor payment process improvements
- b. Discussion and possible action on the 2016 Mobility Bond Update
- c. Discussion of the better builder program on the Mckalla Stadium (MLS) project
- 5. NEXT MEETING: January 12, 2021

6. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting ended 2:14 PM.

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