CITY OF LONG BEACH FEDERAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

Rex Richardson, Chair Daryl Supernaw, Vice Chair Suely Saro, Member



FINISHED AGENDA & DRAFT MINUTES

FEDERAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE MEETING VIA TELECONFERENCE PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER N-29-20 ISSUED BY GOVERNOR GAVIN NEWSOM

The Federal Legislation Committee minutes are prepared and ordered to correspond to the Agenda.

Agenda Items can be taken out of order during the meeting. The Agenda Items were considered in the order presented except for Agenda Item No. 5, which was considered before Agenda Item No. 2.

CALL TO ORDER (3:05 PM)

At 3:05 PM, Chair Richardson called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (3:05 PM)

Councilmembers Saro, Supernaw and Richardson Present:

Also Present: Amy Webber, Deputy City Attorney; Tyler Curley, Manager of Government Affairs; Tamela Austin, City Clerk Specialist.

REGULAR AGENDA (3:06 PM)

1. 21-0210 Recommendation to approve the minutes for the Federal Legislation Committee meeting held Monday, August 31, 2020.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Supernaw, seconded by Member Saro, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Saro, Supernaw and Richardson

 21-0211 Recommendation to receive and file staff recommendations for the City's 2021 Federal Legislative agenda, and forward the Federal Legislation Committee's recommendations to the City Council for adoption.

Tyler Curley, Manager of Government Affairs, spoke; and presented the staff report.

Chair Richardson spoke.

Vice Chair Supernaw spoke.

Councilwoman Saro spoke.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Supernaw, seconded by Member Saro, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Saro, Supernaw and Richardson

 21-0212 Recommendation to review and consider a resolution in support of H.R. 1384, following City Council's motion on December 8, 2020 to refer support for H.R. 1384 to the Federal Legislation Committee, and forward the recommendation to the City Council for adoption.

Tyler Curley, Manager of Government Affairs, spoke; and presented the staff report.

Chair Richardson spoke.

A motion was made by Chair Richardson, seconded by Vice Chair Supernaw, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Saro, Supernaw and Richardson

4. 21-0213 Recommendation to review and consider support for legislative proposals; the American Rescue Plan Act, the Equality Act, the U.S. Citizenship Act, and the For the People Act and forward the recommendation to the City Council for adoption.

Tyler Curley, Manager of Government Affairs, spoke; and presented the staff report.

Chair Richardson spoke.

Councilwoman Saro spoke.

Vice Chair Supernaw spoke.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Supernaw, seconded by Member Saro, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Saro, Supernaw and Richardson

5. 21-0214 Recommendation to receive and file a presentation on the Long Beach Recovery Act proposal.

Chair Richardson spoke.

Mayor Garcia spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Mayor Garcia and Chair Richardson.

Thomas Modica, City Manager, spoke; and provided a PowerPoint presentation.

Chair Richardson spoke.

Vice Chair Supernaw spoke.

Thomas Modica, City Manager, spoke.
Councilwoman Saro spoke.
Abraham Zavala spoke.
Aleece Hanson spoke.
Billa Bar-Zion spoke.
Calvin Brumbaugh spoke.
Chelsea Velez spoke.
Heather spoke.
James Suazo spoke.
Harriette Ellis spoke.
Jamilet Ochoa spoke.
Katia Vergara spoke.
Maria Lopez spoke.
Mercy Solorzano spoke.
Steven Estrada spoke.
Susanne Browne spoke.
James Marks spoke.
Victor Sanchez spoke.
Timothy James spoke.
Betty Ruiz spoke.

Elizabeth Gonzalez spoke.

Jose Quezada spoke.

Chair Richardson spoke.

A motion was made by Chair Richardson, seconded by Member Saro, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Saro, Supernaw and Richardson

6. 21-0238 eComments received for the Federal Legislative Committee meeting of Thursday, March 11, 2021.

This Agenda Item was received and filed.

PUBLIC COMMENT (4:43 PM)

No members of the public addressed the committee.

ADJOURNMENT (4:43 PM)

At 4:43 PM, there being no objection, Chair Richardson declared the meeting adjourned.

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