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JOINT GOVERNMENT RELATIONS COMMITTEE/BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Monday June 15, 2020

Approved October 19, 2020

Committee Members in attendance: Zach Volet, Aida Abkarians, Saif Mogri, Steve Randall, Joan Trent, Joanne Yvanek-Garb (8:15pm).

Committee Co-Chair Zach called the meeting, held via Zoom Webinar, to order at 7:47pm. A quorum was established.

Numbers refer to agenda items.

- 2. Minutes from January 2020, January 2020 Special, and February 2020 meetings were approved without objection.
- 5. Printing budget for Government Relations Committee: Co-Chair Joanne Yvanek-Garb explained the need for \$175.00 to print Agendas and Supporting Documents for the Committee.

Yes -7, No -0, Abstain -0The Budget Request will be sent to the Budget Committee

6. Resolution by GHSNC to LACEC regarding John Lee: Members of the GHSNC called in to explain their Resolution. Members of the Committee, non-Committee Board members, and members of the public provided their opinion on the matter. Steve Randall introduced a Motion to not ask for an ethics investigation into John Lee at this time, and the motion was seconded.

Yes – 4, No – 2, Abstain – 1 No request for an Ethics investigation will be made at this time

Tony Scearce Introduced a Motion to ask the LACEC to conduct an ethics investigation into John Lee, and the Motion was seconded.

Yes – 2, No – 4, Abstain – 1 No request for an Ethics investigation will be made at this time

- 7. Response to COVID-19 was tabled.
- 8. Protests against Police Brutality: Discussion by Committee members, non-Committee Board members, and members of the public regarding the Protest over the George Floyd murder. Zach Volet showed a presentation detailing the damage done by "rubber bullets."
- 9. Co-Chair Zach Volet adjourned the meeting at 9:35pm