



DRAFT MINUTES

City of Sacramento

Law and Legislation Committee

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Member

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New City Hall
915 I Street, 1st Floor – Council Chambers

February 16, 2010 – 3:00 P.M.

The Law and Legislation Committee is a Standing Committee, a permanent committee of the City Council established to consider subjects of a particular class. Its purpose is to review state and federal legislation affecting the City and proposed changes to municipal ordinances in order to make recommendations to the full City Council.

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Tuesday, February 16, 2010

City Hall

915 I Street - First Floor Council Chamber

All items listed are heard and acted upon by the Law and Legislation Committee unless otherwise noted.

Call to Order – 3:00 p.m.

Roll Call- called to order by Chair Lauren Hammond at 3:03 p.m. Tuesday, February 16, 2010 at the Sacramento City Hall Council Chamber.

Members Present: Sandy Sheedy, Robbie Waters, and Chair Lauren Hammond. Member Cohn arrived at 3:05 p.m.

Consent Calendar

All items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered and acted upon by one motion. Anyone may request an item be removed for separate consideration.

Action: Moved/Seconded: Member Sheedy/Member Waters

Yes: Members Sandy Sheedy, Robbie Waters, and Chair Lauren Hammond

Absent: Member Steve Cohn

A motion **passed** to approve the Consent Calendar in one motion except where noted.

1. **Approval of Minutes for February 2, 2010.**

Location: (Citywide)

Action: Approved Committee minutes for February 2, 2010.

Contact: Jennifer Carlino, Senior Deputy City Clerk, City Clerk's Office, (916) 808-7200.

2. **Law and Legislation Log**

Location: (Citywide)

Action: Approved legislative log.

Contact: Lori Gay, Administrative Assistant, City Manager's Office, (916) 808-5393.

Discussion Calendar

Discussion or action reports include oral presentations including those recommending receive and file. Each speaker is limited to a maximum of 2 minutes.

3. **Ordinance Amending Sections 17.178.020, 17.178.055, and 17.178.060 of the Sacramento City Code Relating to the Applicability of the Transit Overlay (TO) Zone.**

Location: (Citywide)

Action: Withdrawn by staff

Contact: Fedolia “Sparky” Harris, Senior Planner, Department of Transportation, (916) 808-2996.

4. **Investment of Pooled Treasury Funds in Banks Providing Mortgage Modification and Community Banking**

Location: (Citywide)

Action: Moved/Seconded: Member Hammond/Member Sheedy

Yes: Chair Lauren Hammond, Members Sandy Sheedy, Robbie Waters, and Steve Cohn

A motion **passed** 1) providing policy direction to the City Treasurer regarding giving preference in making investments in financial institutions to those assisting distressed mortgage holders and to those expanding community banking services; and 2) directing the City Treasurer to present to the City Council amendments to the City Investment Policy expanding local concerns in investing to assisting distressed mortgage holders and expanding community banking with the report back to include standards and procedures for the implementation of the policy.

Contact: Russ Fehr, City Treasurer, (916) 808-5832.

Public Comments - Matters Not on the Agenda

5. **None**

Member Comments, Ideas and Questions

6. **Council Member Cohn requested that staff bring an update the federal “Jobs Bill” to the next Law and Legislation Committee meeting.**

Adjournment- 3:12 p.m.