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City of Sacramento

Law and Legislation Committee

MEMBERS:

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SANDY SHEEDY (D-2)
Member

STEVE COHN (D-3)
Member

DARRELL FONG (D-7)
Member

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Deputy City Attorney

New City Hall
915 I Street, 1st Floor – Council Chambers
January 17, 2012 – 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.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

You are welcomed and encouraged to participate in this meeting. Public comment is taken (2 minutes maximum) on items listed on the agenda when they are called. Public Comment on items not listed on the agenda will be heard at the end of the meeting as noted on the agenda. Comments on controversial items may be limited and large groups are encouraged to select 3-5 speakers to represent the opinion of the group.

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Tuesday, January 17, 2012

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 – 3:02 p.m.

The meeting of the Law & Legislation committee was called to order by Chair Schenirer at 3:02 p.m., Tuesday, January 17, 2012 in the City Council Chambers.

Members Present: Sandy Sheedy, Steve Cohn, Darrell Fong, and Chair Jay Schenirer.

Consent Calendar (1 Item) Estimated Time: 1 minute

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.

1. **Approval of Minutes for January 5, 2012**

Location: (Citywide)

Recommendation: Approve Committee minutes for January 5, 2012.

Contact: Wendy Klock-Johnson, Assistant City Clerk, City Clerk's Office,
(916) 808-7200.

Action: **Moved/Seconded:** Steve Cohn/Sandy Sheedy
Yes: Members Darrell Fong, Sandy Sheedy, Steve Cohn, and Chair Jay Schenirer

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.

2. **Designated Level I Reserve Officers**

Location: Citywide.

Action: **Moved/Seconded:** Darrell Fong/Steve Cohn
Yes: Members Darrell Fong, Sandy Sheedy, Steve Cohn, and Chair Jay Schenirer

Public comment was heard from Mark Tyndale; and passed a **motion** to approve and forward an ordinance that will expand upon Chapter 2.20 of the Sacramento City Code pertaining to the Police Department to the City Council.

3. **Ordinance: Enforcement of Taxicab Regulations – Parking and Exterior Postings**

Location: Citywide.

Public comment was made by Kazan Saini and Bahamian Bariana; a motion **passed** to

approve and forward ordinance changes to City Code chapter 5.136 relating to taxicab regulations to the City Council; and direct staff to review the following: possibly amend City Code to address 90 minute parking rule, provide exceptions for taxi's to park at meters, and requiring a dress code to distinguish taxi drivers.

Action: **Moved/Seconded:** Sandy Sheedy/Steve Cohn

Yes: Members Darrell Fong, Sandy Sheedy, Steve Cohn, and Chair Jay Schenirer

4. Law and Legislation Log

Location: Citywide.

Action: **Moved/Seconded:** Sandy Sheedy/Steve Cohn

Yes: Members Darrell Fong, Sandy Sheedy, Steve Cohn, and Chair Jay Schenirer

Public Comments - Matters Not on the Agenda

5. Marc Brandes

Member Comments, Ideas and Questions

6. None

Adjournment – 3:26 p.m.

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the January 17, 2012 meeting as approved by the Sacramento Law & Legislation Committee.