

Fair Campaign Practices Commission

MINUTES

Civic Center 2180 Milvia Street Cypress Room (1st Floor)

Regular Meeting June 20, 2019

Members Present: Jessica Blome (Acting Chair), Janis Ching, Patrick O'Donnell, Daniel Saver, Jedidiah Tsang, Brad Smith

Members Absent: Mark McLean (excused), Dean Metzger (excused)

Also Present: Emmanuelle Soichet, Staff Secretary/Deputy City Attorney

1. Call to Order

Chair called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Roll call taken.

3. Public Comment (items not on agenda)

Two speakers for public comment on matters not on agenda.

4. Reports

- a. Report from Chair.
- b. Report from Staff.

Staff notified Commissions of number of pending complaints and forthcoming response to Commission's request regarding loan disclosures adopted at its March 21, 2019 meeting.

5. Approval of Minutes for the May 16, 2019 Regular Meeting

- a. Public comment: 1 speaker.
- b. Commission discussion and action.

Motion to approve minutes (M/S/C: Saver/O'Donnell; Ayes: Blome, Ching, O'Donnell, Saver, Smith, Tsang; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: McLean (excused), Metzger (excused)).

6. Draft negotiated stipulation with Greg Magofna for City Council 2018; discussion and possible action.

- a. Public comment: 1 speaker.
- b. Commission discussion and action.

Motion to adopt stipulation (M/S/C: Smith/Tsang; Ayes: Blome, Ching, O'Donnell, Saver, Smith, Tsang; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: McLean (excused), Metzger (excused)).

7. <u>Amendments to the Berkeley Election Reform Act to prohibit Officeholder</u> <u>Accounts; discussion and possible action.</u>

- a. Public comment: 3 speakers.
- b. Commission discussion and action.

—— Meeting temporarily adjourned at 8:00 p.m., reconvened at 8:42 p.m. —

Motion to create a subcommittee that will look into differences between regulation and abolishment of officeholder accounts. (M/S/C: Tsang/Smith; Ayes: Blome, Ching, O'Donnell, Saver, Smith, Tsang; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: McLean (excused), Metzger (excused)).

8. <u>Recommendations for Implementation of Proposals Submitted by the Ad Hoc</u> <u>Subcommittee on Independent Expenditures and Discussed by the Commission</u> <u>on March 21, 2019; discussion and possible action.</u>

- a. Public comment: No speakers.
- b. Commission discussion and action.

Motion to postpone item to a future meeting when Commissioner Metzger will be in attendance (M/S/C: Smith/Saver; Ayes: Blome, Ching, O'Donnell, Saver, Smith, Tsang; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: McLean (excused), Metzger (excused)).

9. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn (M/S/C: Saver/O'Donnell; Ayes: Blome, Ching, O'Donnell, Saver, Smith, Tsang; Noes: None; Abstain: None; Absent: McLean (excused), Metzger (excused)).

The meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.