OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY OF THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

AGENDA

West Covina City Hall
City Hall Council Chambers
1444 West Garvey Avenue, West Covina, CA 91790

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2015 4:00 p.m.

Carrie A. Sutkin, Chairperson
Luzmaria Chavez, Board Member
Robert R. Coghlan, Board Member
Mike Gregoryk, Board Member
Gerry Hertzberg, Board Member
Kelly McDonald, Board Member
David Stewart, Board Member

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REGULAR MEETING

AGENDA

Thursday, March 19, 2015 4:00 p.m.

I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Roll Call

Carrie A. Sutkin, Chairperson Luzmaria Chavez, Board member Robert R. Coghlan, Board Member Mike Gregoryk, Board member Gerry Hertzberg, Board Member Kelly McDonald, Board Member David Stewart, Board Member

B. Pledge of Allegiance

II. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

This is the time set aside for public comments. Please step forward to the podium and state your name and city of residence for the record when recognized by the Chairperson. Comments are limited to five (5) minutes per speaker.

IV. BUSINESS ITEM(S)

All matters listed on the CONSENT CALENDAR are considered to be routine and can be acted on by one roll call vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless members of the Oversight Board request a specific item to be removed from the Consent Calendar for separate discussion or action.

A. Election for the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson and Designate New Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Oversight Board adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION NO. OB-0033 — A RESOLUTION OF THE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY OF THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. OB-0010, DESIGNATING A CHAIRPERSON, VICE-CHAIRPERSON AND IDENTIFYING ADDITIONAL OVERSIGHT BOARD MEMBERS AND PROVIDING NOTICE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE ("DOF") AS REQUIRED BY HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE SECTION 34179

B. Request from Board Member Hertzberg for an Update on Litigation with the California Department of Transportation

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Oversight Board receive and file this report.

V. BOARD MEMBERS' COMMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

Copies of staff reports or other written documentation, *if any*, relating to each item of business described above are on file in the West Covina City Hall, City Clerk's Office, 1444 West Garvey Avenue, West Covina CA 91790, and are available for public inspection upon request during regular business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

Should any person have a question concerning any of the above agenda items prior to the meeting described herein, he or she may contact Christopher J. Chung, City Manager, either in person in the City Manager's Office at West Covina City Hall, 1444 West Garvey Avenue, West Covina, CA 91790, or by calling via telephone at (626) 939-8401 during regular business hours.

OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY OF THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

AGENDA REPORT

Item No. IV-A
Date: March 19, 2015

TO:

Chairperson and Board Members of the Oversight Board to the Successor

Agency of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency

FROM:

Tom Mauk, Interim Executive Director

BY:

Paulina Morales, Senior Project Manager

SUBJECT:

ELECTION FOR THE CHAIRPERSON AND VICE-CHAIRPERSON AND

DESIGNATE NEW CHAIRPERSON AND VICE-CHAIRPERSON

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

It is recommended that the Oversight Board to the Successor Agency of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION NO. OB-____ - A RESOLUTION OF THE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY OF THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. OB-0010, DESIGNATING A CHAIRPERSON, VICE-CHAIRPERSON AND IDENTIFYING ADDITIONAL OVERSIGHT BOARD MEMBERS AND PROVIDING NOTICE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE ("DOF") AS REQUIRED BY HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE SECTION 34179

DISCUSSION:

On December 4, 2014, the Oversight Board voted to amend the Oversight Board's Bylaws to incorporate an annual election process for the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson.

Pursuant to the adopted Resolution OB-0029, the annual election is to be held in January of each year. The January 2015 meeting was cancelled and the Board at the February 2015 Oversight Board meeting decided to postpone the election to have more Board members present for the election.

The Rules and Procedures of the Oversight Board states that any action or motion of the board shall require four affirmative votes. The current Chairperson shall open nominations for the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson positions. Once a new Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson are designated, a resolution will need to be adopted to reflect the newly appointed officers.

Prepared By:

Paulina Morales

Senior Project Manager

Attachment:

1. Resolution No. OB-00__ - Designation of Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson

ATTACHMENT NO. 1

RESOLUTION NO. OB-00_

A RESOLUTION OF THE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY OF THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. OB-0010, DESIGNATING A CHAIRPERSON, VICE-CHAIRPERSON AND IDENTIFYING ADDITIONAL OVERSIGHT BOARD MEMBERS AND PROVIDING NOTICE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE ("DOF") AS REQUIRED BY HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE SECTION 34179

WHEREAS, California Health and Safety Code Section 34179 requires that each Successor Agency have an Oversight Board: and

WHEREAS, Section 34179 further requires that the members of the Oversight Board elect one of their members as the chairperson. In the event that the Chairperson is not available to attend a meeting or perform an obligation required of the Chairperson, it is prudent to also elect a Vice Chairperson who is authorized to act in the absence of the Chairperson; and

WHEREAS, Section 34179 also requires that an Oversight Board transmit the names of its Chairperson and members to the Department of Finance; and

WHEREAS, the Oversight Board has previously adopted Resolution No. OB 0001 identifying the names of the Oversight Board Members and the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson; and

WHEREAS, since the adoption of Resolution No. OB-0010, the Oversight Board has voted to incorporate a rotation process for the Chairperson and the Vice Chairperson. In addition, since then the Vice-Chairperson Michael Touhey and Mike Lee have resigned; and,

WHEREAS, the following appointments have therefore been made:
Robert R. Coghlan, Representative for the County Superintendent of Education
David Stewart, member appointed by the Mayor
Kelly McDonald, member appointed by the Mayor

NOW THEREFORE, THE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY HEREBY RESOLVES:

SECTION 1.	The Chairperson	of the Oversight	Board shall b	e
The Vice Chairperson	shall be			

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The Successor Agency staff is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution identifying the replacement appointees and Chairperson and Vice Chairperson to the State Department of Finance.

SECTION 3. The Oversight Board Secretary shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution.

Chairperson Oversight Board to the Successor Agency of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency

ATTEST

Rosalia Conde, Secretary
Oversight Board to the Successor Agency
of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Oversight Board to the Successor Agency of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency at a special meeting held on the 19th day of March by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Rosalia Conde, Secretary Oversight Board to the Successor Agency of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency

OVERSIGHT BOARD TO THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY OF THE WEST COVINA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

AGENDA REPORT
Item No.____IV-B

Date: March 19, 2015

TO:

Chairperson and Board Members of the Oversight Board to the Successor

Agency of the West Covina Redevelopment Agency

FROM:

Tom Mauk, Interim Executive Director

BY:

Paulina Morales, Senior Project Manager

SUBJECT:

REQUEST FROM BOARD MEMBER HERTZBERG FOR AN UPDATE ON

LITIGATION WITH THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF

TRANSPORTATION

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

It is recommended that the Oversight Board receive and file this report.

DISCUSSION:

Pursuant to the Oversight Board's Rules of Procedure, Board member Hertzberg is requesting to agendize an update on the litigation between the City of West Covina/Successor Agency v. California Department of Transportation (Caltrans). Oversight Board Counsel will provide an update at the Board meeting.

Prepared By:

Paulina Morales

Senior Project Manager