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**GOVERNMENT LIAISON COMMITTEE**

**MEETING AGENDA**

**Los Angeles Central Library, Meeting Room A**

**630 W 5th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90071**

**Tuesday, May 28, 2024 – 6:30 PM**

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#### **I. WELCOMING REMARKS:**

**A. Call to order 6:32pm**

**B. Roll Call**

**Leonel Aguilar (Chair) x Pablo Fontoura x**

**Lawrence Carrol (Co-Chair) Teresa Hillery x**

**“Russian” Rick Young x Christopher Michael x**

**Claudia Oliveira (ex-officio)**

#### **II. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**A. Comments from the public on non-agenda items within the Committee's jurisdiction**

#### **III. COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE REFERRALS (All items subject to discussion and possible action)**

**A. Discussion and possible action to submit a letter requesting a formal resolution be submitted to city council requesting an immediate and permanent ceasefire in Gaza Pablo motions. Christopher seconds. Discussed steps needed to ensure proper protocols are followed. Reviewed letter draft. Made changes to include formal request wording. Theresa wants to review it further before voting.**

**(Y) 4 (N) 0 (A) 1**

**B. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File: 23-0056- Mental Evaluation Unit (MEU) / Domestic Abuse Response Team (DART) / Los Angeles Police Department / Capacity and Response Times Christopher motions. Pablo seconds. Pablo skeptical of effectiveness of program due LAPD being in charge of it and request for more money. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**C. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File: 23-1354- Emergency Calls / Police Service Representative (PSR) Recruitment / Pablo motions in support if amended to include details on fiscal impact. Christopher seconds. (Y) 5 (N) 0**

**Non-English Speaker Outreach / Top 10 Languages**

**D. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File: 24-0549- George Floyd / Silver Lake Reservoir / Art Installation /In Memory of Black Americans Pablo motions. Christopher seconds. Pablo states that he is against police brutality. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**E. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council**

**File:23-0002-S134 - Child Care Subsidy / Reimbursement Rate / Alternative Methodology Christopher motions. Theresa seconds. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**F. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File:24-0579 - City Charter Section 409 / Special Election / Filling Vacancies / Elected Officials / Amend Christopher motions. Theresa seconds. (Y) 3 (N) 1 (A) 1**

**G. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File:23-0002-S133 - Temporary Protected Status (TPS) / Guatemala / TPS Benefits / Guatemalan Immigrants Pablo motions. Christopher seconds. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**H. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File:24-0002-S8 - SB 1201 (Durazo)/ Transparency in the Ownership of LLCs Christopher motions. Theresa seconds. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**I. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council File:24-0537 - College Campus Protests / USC / UCLA / April 24 - May 6, 2024 / After Action Report / Los Angeles Police Department Leo motions. Christopher seconds. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**J. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In favor of Council**

**File:23-0002-S129 - ACA 16 (Bryan) / State Constitution Amendment / Clean Air and Water Right / Healthy Environment Pablo motions. Christopher seconds. (Y) 5 (N) 0 (A) 0**

**K. Discussion and possible action to submit a CIS In opposition of Council File:24-6000 - Budget Proposal Fiscal Year 2024-25 Pablo motions. Christopher seconds. Pablo says budget is similar year after year and points to three council members who voted no on the budget. Christopher and Rick agree.**

**(Y) 3 (N) 1 (A) 1**

L. Discussion and possible action regarding DLANC providing funding for “Los Angeles Sister City Conference” to be held at Ronald F Deaton Auditorium **Leo makes motion. Christopher seconds. Pablo clarified it will be a better agenda item for budget and outreach committee. Rick understands and wants to start the discussion.**

IV. NEXT MEETING IS JUNE 25, 2024

V. REQUESTS/MOTIONS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS **None**

VI. ADJOURNMENT **Meeting ended at 8:00pm**

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