



City of Oakland

Office of the City Clerk
Oakland City Hall,
1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza,
Room 201
Oakland, California 94612

Meeting Minutes - DRAFT *Life Enrichment Committee

Monday, September 21, 2020

1:30 PM

Tele-Conference

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Roll Call / Call To Order

Present 4 - Loren Taylor, Lynette McElhane, Rebecca Kaplan, and Dan Kalb

1 PUBLIC COMMENT

**COMMENT ON ALL ACTION ITEMS WILL BE TAKEN AT AT THIS TIME.
COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA WILL BE TAKEN DURING
OPEN FORUM.**

60 speakers spoke during Public Comment.

- 3 Subject: 2020 Supplemental Encampment Management Policy
From: The Life Enrichment Committee
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Adopting The Administration's Proposed
Encampment Management Policy, To Be Implemented Upon Adoption By The
Administration [TITLE CHANGE]
20-0239

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Due To The Presence Of Councilmember Bas, A Quorum Of The City Council Was Noted, And A Motion Was Made By Pro Tem Kalb And Seconded By President Kaplan To Adjourn The Meeting Of The Life Enrichment Committee, And To Convene As A Special Meeting Of The Full Council At 2:20 PM

A motion was made by Councilmember McElhane, seconded by Chair Taylor, to Approve Staff's recommendation and forward to the Non Consent calendar of the October 20, 2020 City Council Agenda with request for a Supplemental Report to address the following;

-From Council President Kaplan

- *A request from Alameda County to open regulated allowable locations including but not limited to County fairgrounds, vacant property, abandoned property or County owned property for RVs and tents;*
- *For City properties look at sliding scale parking rates charged to RVs in safe parking program;*
- *A map of the lowest and highest sensitivity/risk homeless encampments;*
- *Provision of safe dumping station for waste and sewage;*
- *Designating Daryel Dunston as the liaison/POC between Alameda County and the City on homelessness matters/policies/programs*
- *Options for Cogoverned encampments;*
- *Update on the illegal dumping rewards program, including how this program may be improved/strengthened to assist the population;*
- *Status of the installation of Portland Loos;*
- *Status report on upkeep of porta pottys at encampments, and whether the service provider(s) is complying with the terms of the portable toilet contract;*
- *Provide a map show the allowable areas for encampments under the proposed policy; and*
- *Request for the legal opinion on the what can and cannot be done as proposed in the encampment management policy to discuss in context with Martin v. Boise*

-From Councilmember McElhane

- *Prioritization immediate alternative options of public land or buildings in freeing up sidewalks occupied by unsheltered;*
- *Prioritization of housing "Native" Oaklanders who have been displaced from their homes and are now unsheltered first;*
- *Discuss potential for leveraging low-sensitivity encampments for possible consolidation of encampments;*
- *Clarifying Daryel has interdepartmental decision-making authority; and*
- *Requesting the body go into Closed Session concerning the legal issues.*

-From Pro Tem Kalb

- *Clarify the implementation plan, from whom enforcement will be directed, and how for clarity for the Council and Community;*
- *Make a commitment to keep a constant Sanitation plan; and*
- *The number of encampments, with and without services, the descriptions of the services, and the frequency of maintenance of the services*

-Comments from Councilmember Bas also accepted into the motion

- *Including The Report and recommendation on co-governed encampments in*

alignment with the \$600k allocated in the budget for co-governed encampments to work with stakeholders and org for a pilot for mediation;

- *The City to look at a list of our public and private locations for encampments, and include the County's lands as well;*
- *Look into mental health and public health services to support the encampments.*

Hearing no objections, the motion passed by with the following vote: 4 Ayes: Kalb, McElhane, Taylor, and Council President Kaplan

*This City Resolution be Approved as Amended the Recommendation of Staff, and Forward to go before the * Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Successor Agency and the City Council to be heard 10/20/2020*

Aye 4 - Taylor McElhane Kaplan, Kalb

NO VOTE 0

2 Approval Of The Draft Minutes From The Committee Meeting Of July 6, 2020
20-0629

Attachments: [View Report](#)

A motion was made by Rebecca Kaplan, seconded by Dan Kalb, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 4 - Taylor McElhane Kaplan, Kalb

NO VOTE 0

Open Forum (TOTAL TIME AVAILABLE: 15 MINUTES)

7 speakers spoke during Open Forum.

Adjournment

There being no further business, and upon the motion duly made, the Oakland City Council Life Enrichment Committee adjourned the meeting at 5:20 p.m.

* In the event of a quorum of the City Council participates on this Committee, the meeting is noticed as a Special Meeting of the City Council; however no final City Council action can be taken.

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