



City of San Marcos

Meeting Minutes

Ethics Review Commission

Monday, February 8, 2021

12:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

I. Call To Order

With a quorum present, the special meeting of the Ethics Review Commission was called to order by Chair Garcia at 12:02 p.m. on Monday, February 8, 2021.

II. Roll Call

Present: 5 - Chair Garcia, Commissioner Lollar, Commissioner Taylor, Commissioner Teehan, and Commissioner Rice (Rice arrived at 12:04 p.m.).

Absent: 1 - Commissioner Walden

Others Present: Jacqueline Cullom, Jordan Buckley, Loy Locke, Naomi Narvaiz, and Terra Rivers of Corridor News

1. Consider a request for a continuance on the hearing for Ethics Complaint No. 2020-8.

A motion was made by Commissioner Teehan, seconded by Commissioner Lollar, that Mr. Buckley's request for a continuance of the hearing on Mr. Locke's ethics complaint against him, Complaint No. 2020-8 be denied and the hearing go forward on February 11th as scheduled, with the caveat that the Recording Secretary, Ms. Moreno will place an agenda item for that meeting (hearing) for the Commission to vote to waive the 21-day evidence submission requirement and we will accept the relevant evidence already submitted to the Commission by both parties as of February 4, 2021. The motion carried by the following vote:

For: 5 - Chair Garcia, Commissioner Lollar, Commissioner Rice, Commissioner Taylor, and Commissioner Teehan.

Against: 0

Absent: 1 - Commissioner Walden

2. Consider setting a new date and time for a hearing on Ethics Complaint 2020-8.

This item was discussed and no action taken.

III. Discussion and Recommendations for Future Agenda Items

ERC regular meeting on March 9, 2021:

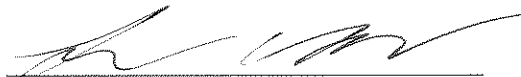
- discuss and take action, as appropriate, on amendments to the Code of Ethics, including but not limited to Sec. 2.444 – Complaints; review and hearing; sanctions for violations
- discuss and take action, as appropriate, on the Ethics Review Commission Rules of Procedure for Hearings

IV. Adjournment

The Special Meeting of the Ethics Review Commission meeting was unanimously adjourned at 12:47 p.m.



Michael Cosentino, Staff Liaison



Lee Garcia, Chair