

## INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMISSION

### **MINUTES FROM JULY 21, 2021**

Huntington Beach City Hall ZOOM

Call to Order at 4:06 PM

#### Roll Call

- Council Liaisons: (Present) Mayor Carr and Mayor Pro-Tem Delgleize
- Staff Liaisons: (Present) Hopkins, Jun, Mac Kenzie, Frakes, Luna-Reynosa.
- Townsend: Cori Takkinen, Eric O'Donnell.

Public Comments (2 minutes per speaker)

NONE

Approve Minutes from June 16, 2021 meeting.

APPROVED.

#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

#### 1. State

- a. <u>Legislative Calendar and Budget Update</u>: Cori Takkinen reported. Legislators currently in recess until August 16, and will be in session from then until September 10<sup>th</sup>. The State Budget includes a \$262.6 spending bill from the Governor, which includes \$6 billion for broadband, and two trailer bills on Homelessness which will include \$800 million available to Cities and Counties through continuum of care. Townsend is drafting a Housing & Homelessness programming memo to City Staff, and is also working with our representatives for line items in bills for \$258 million in fire prevention, and \$440 million for climate resiliency, both of which are priority projects. Carr inquired about the \$240 million the County will be receiving, and the timelines for application to receive some of those funds, and Townsend is including this in the memo to staff mentioned above. The due date for the application is September 15.
- b. <u>City Bill Positions and Status</u>: Eric O'Donnell reviewed the matrix of the City's bill position history. Delgleize inquired about AB 34 relating to Broadband for all, and it was reported that there will be 46 million in that bill divided equally between rural communities, urban communities, and the Broadband Czar.
- c. Specific Legislative Positions: Review of bills that will be under consideration:
  - I. AB 1201 (Ting): SUPPORT
  - II. SB 1 (Atkins): WATCH and put on City Council Agenda to discuss for possible position vote.

#### 2. Federal

- a. <u>FAA Meeting Update</u>: FAA is finalizing conversation with Southwest and Long Beach Airport, and has made a decision, but will deliver decision in person to City Officials only, and separate from meeting with Southwest and Long Beach Airport. Working on meeting date now.
- b. Surfside Sunset Sand Replenishment: \$15.5 mil Included as earmark in appropriations bill.

#### 3. County and State Redistricting Process

Townsend asking for letters to County and State reps requesting to be included with other like coastal cities in District 2 with one representative. The census data won't be received



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until September of this year, and will only have until December to make any changes, so things will move fast. SUPPORT of bringing letter to City Council for vote.

Adjournment - 5:22pm

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be on August 18, 2021 at 4:00PM.