

CITY COUNCIL INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMISSION

MINUTES FROM AUGUST 18, 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, Papa.
- Townsend: Cori Takkinen.

Public Comments (2 minutes per speaker)

NONE

Approve Minutes from July 21, 2021 meeting.

APPROVED.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. State

- a. <u>State Legislative Update</u>: Cori Takkinen reported. Legislature is back in session until September 10, then the Governor will have until October 10 to approve or veto bills. There are currently 300+ bills in appropriations. Few changes in Housing bills, but they remain consistent with City opposition positions. There is some new homelessness funding sources that Townsend is working on security for the City.
- b. Redistricting: Townsend has drafted two letters from the City regarding redistricting. There is a HB resident who is one of the 14 person commission that Townsend recommends reaching out to.
- c. <u>SB 1</u>: Ursula Luna-Reynosa gave update on meetings with Coastal Commission regarding the City's recommended amendments to SB 1. Townsend recommends opposing unless amended. Since the next Council meeting isn't until September 7, the IRC decided to draft two letters to bring to next Council meeting:
 - i. OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED
 - ii. ASK GOVERNOR TO VETO if the bill has already passed in Legislature

2. Federal

- a. <u>Federal Infrastructure Update</u>: Senate passed Infrastructure package, but the bill is not final, and members of the House would like to see changes to it. Pelosi is asking to hold the bill until the Budget Reconciliation Package passes. Earmarks overlay this whole process.
- b. <u>HR 3684 INVEST in America Act</u>: Orange County Water District reached out to the City for an official opposition to this bill, but the opposed items have since been removed. Townsend is recommending a WATCH.
- c. <u>FAA Update</u>: The meeting with FAA is scheduled for 8/25/2021. Mayor Pro-Tem Delgleize will be attending.
- d. <u>Surfside Sunset Project Update</u>: Steel has included this project on her House funding requests. There is concern related to State Department of Parks & Recreation, and is asking for help from the County (District 2).

3. Other

a. <u>Global Hope 365 Resolution</u>: Carr reviewed. Local group requesting the City to pass a resolution. One of Cottie Petrie-Norris' projects. Resolutions have been passed by several



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Orange County cities. IRC votes to SUPPORT drafting a resolution, and requests staff to have City Attorney review the provided resolution.

Adjournment – 4:46pm

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be on September 15, 2021 at 4:00PM.