PUBLIC UTILITIES
REVENUE BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
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Public Utilities Commission Building
525 Golden Gate Ave., 2nd Floor
Yosemite Conference Room
San Francisco, CA 94102

December 14, 2015 - 9:00 AM

Regular Meeting

Purpose: The purpose of the RBOC is to monitor the expenditure of revenue bond proceeds related to the repair, replacement, upgrading, and expansion of the City’s water collection, power generation, water distribution, and wastewater treatment facilities.

Mission: The goal of the RBOC is to make certain public dollars are spent according to authorization and applicable laws. Its purpose is to facilitate transparency and accountability in connection with the expenditure of revenue bond proceeds. The General Public is invited and welcomed to attend RBOC meetings and to provide input.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

   Seat 1  Holly Kaufman
   Seat 2  Kevin Cheng, Co-Chair (Holdover status)
   Seat 3  Vacant
   Seat 4  Marina Pelosi
   Seat 5  Vacant
   Seat 6  Christina Tang, Vice Chair
   Seat 7  Joshua Low, Co-Chair

   Chair Joshua Low called the meeting to order at 9:15 a.m. On the call of the roll, Members Kaufman, Tang, and Low were noted present. There was not a quorum. The meeting convened for informational purposes only.

   Chair Cheng was noted present at 9:16 a.m., constituting a quorum of the Committee.

2. Agenda Changes

   There were no agenda changes.

3. Public Comment: Members of the public may address the Revenue Bond Oversight Committee (RBOC) on matters that are within the RBOC’s jurisdiction but are not on today’s agenda.
Public Comment: Speakers: None.

4. **San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) Staff Report:** Sewer System Improvement Program (SSIP) Update

Karen Kubick, Sewer System Improvement Program Director (SFPUC); provided an update on the SSIP, including program status, recent accomplishments, and construction updates. Richard Morales, Debt Manager (SFPUC), provided information and answered questions raised throughout the hearing.

Public Comment: Speakers: None.


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Public Comment: Speakers: None.

6. **Comparison of the Revenue Bond Oversight Committee with Other Oversight Committees Follow Up**

Chair Cheng provided an overview of his outreach to the Citizen’s General Obligation Bond Oversight Committee. Mark Blake, Deputy City Attorney, provided information on the Municipal Transportation Agency Bond Oversight Committee, and suggested the Controller’s Office as a conduit.

Public Comment: Speakers: None.

7. **Public Outreach and Accountability to Appointing Agencies (Discussion)**

Richard Morales, Debt Manager (SFPUC), provided information and answered questions raised throughout the hearing.

Public Comment: Speakers: None.

8. **RBOC Member Vacancy**

Member Kaufman provided a brief overview of outreach efforts. Member Pelosi spoke briefly about another potential applicant.

Public Comment: Speakers: None.

9. **RBOC Strategic Planning Preparations**

Member Kaufman provided an overview of strategic planning preparations.

Public Comment: Speakers: None.
10. **Announcements, Comments, Questions, and Future Agenda Items**

   The Committee discussed upcoming items for the strategic planning session as well additional items for future meetings, including the following: hiring facilitator Carmen Clark and approving contract at the January 2016 meeting; agenda items for February 2016 meeting; staff input for potential audit reviews; upcoming staff presentations; and staff presentation on finances to be held at the February 2016 meeting.

   *Public Comment: Speakers: None.*

11. **Adjournment**

   There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:08 a.m.

   *N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Revenue Bond Oversight Committee on the matters stated but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.*
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