

# **AGENDA**

### Legislative and Communications Committee Meeting

**Committee Members** 

Laurie Davies, Chair
Lisa A. Bartlett, Vice Chairwoman
Barbara Delgleize
Michael Hennessey
Gene Hernandez
Tim Shaw
Gregory T. Winterbottom

Orange County Transportation Authority
Headquarters
550 South Main Street
Board Room - Conf. Room 07
Orange, California
Thursday, November 21, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.

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#### Call to Order

## Pledge of Allegiance

**Director Hennessey** 

#### 1. Public Comments

## **Special Calendar**

There are no Special Calendar matters.





## Consent Calendar (Item 2)

All items on the Consent Calendar are to be approved in one motion unless a Committee Member or a member of the public requests separate action or discussion on a specific item.

### 2. Approval of Minutes

Approve the minutes of the Legislative and Communications Committee meeting of October 17, 2019.

## Regular Calendar

## 3. Status Report of State Legislation Enacted in 2019

Alexis Leicht/Lance M. Larson

#### Overview

At the conclusion of the 2019 legislative session, 870 bills were signed and chaptered by the Governor, while 172 bills were vetoed. A report containing an analysis of legislation relevant to the Orange County Transportation Authority is provided.

#### Recommendation

Receive and file as an information item.

# 4. Orange County Transportation Authority 2019-20 State and Federal Legislative Platforms

Dustin J. Sifford/Lance M. Larson

#### Overview

The final drafts of the revised 2019-20 Orange County Transportation Authority State and Federal Legislative Platforms are submitted for consideration and adoption by the Orange County Transportation Authority Board of Directors.

#### Recommendations

- A. Adopt the revised 2019-20 State and Federal Legislative Platforms.
- B. Direct staff to distribute the adopted platforms to elected officials, advisory committees, local governments, affected agencies, the business community, and other interested parties.



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# 5. Performance Evaluation of Federal Legislative Advocate, Potomac Partners, DC

Kristin Jacinto/Lance M. Larson

#### Overview

The firm Potomac Partners, DC provides federal legislative advocacy services for the Orange County Transportation Authority in Washington, DC. A staff evaluation of the services provided this session is presented to the Board of Directors for consideration and further comment.

#### Recommendation

Receive and file the staff evaluation as an information item and provide any additional comments.

# 6. Performance Evaluation of Sacramento Legislative Advocate, Platinum Advisors, LLC

Kristin Jacinto/Lance M. Larson

#### Overview

The firm Platinum Advisors, LLC provides state legislative advocacy services for the Orange County Transportation Authority in Sacramento. A staff evaluation of the services provided this session is presented to the Board of Directors for consideration and further comment.

#### Recommendation

Receive and file the staff evaluation as an information item and provide any additional comments.

#### **Discussion Items**

- 7. Chief Executive Officer's Report
- 8. Committee Members' Reports
- 9. Closed Session

There are no Closed Session items scheduled.



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### 10. Adjournment

The **9:00 a.m. Thursday, December 19, 2019**, meeting of the Legislative and Communications Committee has been <u>cancelled</u>.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of this Committee will be held at **9:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 16, 2020**, at the Orange County Transportation Authority Headquarters, 550 South Main Street, Board Room – Conference Room 07, Orange, California.