

# San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Citizens' Advisory Committee

## MEETING AGENDA Tuesday, April 17, 2018 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. 525 Golden Gate Ave., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Tuolumne Conference Room

**Mission:** The purpose of the SFPUC CAC is to provide recommendations to the SFPUC General Manager, the SFPUC Commission, and the Board of Supervisors regarding the agency's long-term strategic, financial, and capital improvement plans (Admin Code 5.140-142).

*Members:* Amy Zock (D3) Wendy Aragon, Chair (D1) Suki Kott (D2) Jim McHugh (D4) Ted Loewenberg (D5) Matthew Steen (D6)

Jasmine Conrad (D7) Amy Nagengast (D8) Ernesto Martinez (D9) Anietie Ekanem (D10) Jennifer Clary (D11) Maggie Thomas (M-Env.Group) Nicole Sandkulla (M-Reg'l Water Customers) Mark Tang (M-Eng./Financial) Nathaniel Kinsey (M-Lg Water User) Owen O'Donnell (B-Small Business) Misty McKinney (B-Env Justice)

M = Mayoral appointment, B = Board President Appointment

Staff Liaisons: Tracy Zhu, Alexandra Johnson

# **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

- 1. Call to order and roll call
- 2. Approve March 20, 2018 Meeting Minutes (5 minutes)
- 3. Report from the Chair Chair (5 minutes)
  - Welcome members of the public and staff
- 4. **Public Comment:** members of the public may address the Committee on matters that are within the Committee's jurisdiction and are not on today's agenda (*2 minutes per speaker*)
- 5. **Presentation and Discussion:** <u>Ratepayer Affordability</u>, Simone Hudson, Budget and Contract Analyst, Community Benefits and John Scarpulla, Local Policy Manager, Policy and Government Affairs (15 minute presentation, 10-15 minute discussion)
- 6. **Presentation and Discussion: California Policy Challenges and Opportunities on Water Affordability,** Laura Feinstein, Senior Research Associate, Pacific Institute (15 minute presentation, 10-15 minute discussion)
- 7. Discussion: CAC Member Backgrounds and Interests, Chair Amy Zock (20 minute discussion)

**OUR MISSION:** To provide our customers with high-quality, efficient and reliable water, power and sewer services in a manner that values environmental and community interests and sustains the resources entrusted to our care.

Mark Farrell Mayor

> Ike Kwon President

Vince Courtney Vice President

Ann Moller Caen Commissioner

Francesca Vietor Commissioner

> Anson Moran Commissioner

Harlan L. Kelly, Jr. General Manager



## 8. Staff Report (5 minutes)

- Hetch Hetchy Tour dates
  - i. Option 1: May 16-17
  - ii. Option 2: May 30-31 [FILLED]
  - iii. Option 3: August 15-16

# 9. Future Agenda Items and Resolutions (5 minutes)

- Education Initiatives (tentative May)
- Human Resources
- Strategic Plan Update
- Contracting Process
- Communications/Customer Experience on Website
- Water Equity and Water Access for Homeless
- Workforce Programs
- Climate Change and Agency-wide Planning
- Water Rights and Raker Act
- Water Use and Parks
- 10. **Announcements/Comments** The next meeting for the Full CAC will be on May 15, 2018. Check <u>www.sfwater.org/cac</u> for the next scheduled meeting.

## 11. Adjournment

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