Teleconference/Public Participation Information to Mitigate the Spread of COVID-19

This meeting will be held entirely by teleconference. All Board members, staff, and the public will only participate via the Zoom platform using the process described below. The meeting is being conducted in compliance with the recent amendments to the Ralph M. Brown Act suspending certain teleconference rules due to the ongoing state of emergency and state and local health officials recommendations to maintain social distancing. The purpose of these amendments was to provide the safest environment for the public, elected officials, and staff while allowing for continued operation of the government and public participation during the COVID-19 pandemic. Board members will receive a separate unique email invite. Staff and members of the public may attend and participate in the meeting by:

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AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL OF ATTENDANCE

III. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY PRESIDENTS - (Members are asked to please advise the board or the council if you might need to leave before action items are completed)

IV. OPEN PUBLIC DISCUSSION FROM THE FLOOR
An opportunity is provided for any member of the public wishing to speak on any matter within the jurisdiction of the board or council, but not listed on the agenda. Total time limit of 30 minutes with each speaker limited to three minutes unless a shorter period of time is set by the President.

V. CONSENT CALENDAR - The Consent Calendar contains routine items of business. Items in this section will be acted on in one motion for both the WMA and EC, unless removed by a member of either Board. Members of the WMA who are not members of the EC will vote as part of the consent calendar vote, but their votes will not be considered in connection with any EC items. Any member of the public may speak on an item on the Consent Calendar at this time. Public Speakers are limited to three (3) minutes.

   1. Approval of the Draft WMA & EC Minutes of January 26, 2022
   2. Resolution regarding meeting via teleconference to promote social distancing, pursuant to AB 361
      Adopt Resolution WMA# 2022-02.
   3. Resolution regarding meeting via teleconference to promote social distancing, pursuant to AB 361
      Adopt Resolution EC# 2022-03.

VI. REGULAR CALENDAR

   1. Update on Equity and Empowerment Initiatives (Karen Kho & Candis Mary-Dauphin)
      This item is for information only.
   2. Interim appointment(s) to the Recycling Board for WMA appointee unable to attend future Board Meeting(s) (Arliss Dunn)
      (Planning Committee and Recycling Board meeting, Thursday, March 10, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.
      Meeting will be held via teleconference)
   3. Overview of Bay Area Healthy Homes Initiative and Energy Equity for Renters Initiative (Candis Mary-Dauphin & Ben Cooper)
      This item is for information only.

VII. MEMBER COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

IX. UPCOMING WMA & EC MEETING – MARCH 23, 2022 AT 3:00 P.M.