



AGENDA GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING



Tuesday, March 1, 2022
6:30pm

ZOOM – MEETING ID 979 4137 2867

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS			<i>X = Present, AB = Absent, EX = Excused</i>			
__	Katherine Hatton	Co-Chair	__	Kelly Cole	__	Shawn Besharaty
__	Tess Taylor	Co-Chair	__	Reynold Blight		

1. Call to Order	Start Time ____ PM						
2. Attendance	Public in Attendance: __						
3. Minutes (One (1) Minute per Speaker per Agenda Item)							
a. Review and Approve Committee Minutes (Materials can be found at https://www.gtlnc.org/ under committee meeting documents)							
<u>MOTION A: Approve the GTLNC January 4, 2022 Governmental Affairs Committee Minutes.</u>	VOTE: __/__/__ First: Second:						
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<u>MOTION B: Approve the GTLNC February 1, 2022 Governmental Affairs Committee Minutes.</u>	VOTE: __/__/__ First: Second:						
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4. Public Comment (Two (2) Minutes per Speaker on relevant subject not on agenda)							
5. Committee Member News & Announcements (Two (2) Minutes per Speaker on relevant subject not on agenda)							
6. On-Going Business (One (1) Minute per Speaker per Agenda Item)							
a. Discussion and possible action re Bylaws Amendments Redline Draft (See Meeting Documents at https://www.gtlnc.org/government-affairs-committee/)							
<u>MOTION C: Recommend “Additional Bylaws Amendments Redline Draft” for adoption by the GTLNC.</u>	VOTE: __/__/__ First: Second:						
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b. Review and discussion of proposed Standing Rules (See Meeting Documents at <https://www.gtlnc.org/government-affairs-committee/>)

MOTION D: Recommend *Standing Rule: Agenda Setting* for adoption by the **GTLNC.**

VOTE: ___/___/___

First:

Second:

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MOTION E: Recommend *Standing Rule: Vacancies* for adoption by the **GTLNC.**

VOTE: ___/___/___

First:

Second:

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7. New Business/Future Projects (*One (1) Minute per Speaker per Agenda Item*)

a. Update re possible Letter of Action requesting City Council support legislation removing statute of limitations for prosecuting or bringing civil suit re elder abuse

b. Update re planned closure of Toluca Lake Post Office

8. Meeting Adjourned

Close Time: ___ PM

Next Meeting: **Tuesday, April 5, 2022 @ 6:30 PM** – via Zoom

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AB 361 UPDATES

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