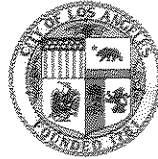


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**MINUTES**  
**May 9, 2019**  
**10:00 AM**

**CONVENED**

The Board of Transportation Commissioners convened a regular meeting on Thursday, May 9, 2019 at 10:05 AM in Room 1070 City Hall at 200 North Spring Street, Los Angeles.

**ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS**

**Item 1 – Welcome**

Vice-President Tafarai Bayne called the meeting to order and welcomed all those present noting that those wishing to testify before the Board must fill out a speaker's form. He informed the audience that if anyone is a registered lobbyist, City ordinance requires that it should be indicated on the speaker's form.

**Item 2 – Roll Call**

**Present:** Commissioners Sheila Tejada, Eric Eisenberg, and Tafarai Bayne; and Seleta Reynolds, General Manager (GM)

**Arrived after roll call:** Commissioner Cris Liban and Assistant City Attorney Michael Nagle

**Absent:** Commissioners John Ly and Jazmin Ortega

Vice-President Bayne announced that the approval of the Minutes will be taken out of order due to lack of a quorum at that moment.

**Item 4 – Communications**

There was no communication reported.

**Item 5 - Commission Business**

Commissioner Eisenberg shared a Vision Zero-related information and distributed a photo copy of an official lawful signage for the City of Montclair, which illustrated a distracted pedestrian. He further explained that the City of Montclair passed an ordinance to encourage pedestrians not to text while crossing a crosswalk and suggested that the Department give this concept some consideration.

**Item 6 – General Manager’s Report**

GM Seleta Reynolds recognized and presented LADOT employees from various offices of the Department with over 30 years of service in the City of Los Angeles.

Commissioners Eisenberg, Liban, Tejada, and Bayne expressed their appreciation and thanked the employees for their long-term dedicated service to the City.

**NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL COMMENT**

There was no neighborhood council comment taken.

**PUBLIC FORUM**

There was no public comment taken.

**Item 3 – Minutes (taken out of order)**

Commissioner Eisenberg moved, seconded by Commissioner Tejada to approve the Minutes of April 11, 2019. Unanimously APPROVED.

**INFORMATIONAL ITEM**

**Item 7 – Update on LAPD Speed Limit Sign Posting and LAPD Enforcement of Speed Limits on the HIN**

Tim Conger, Senior Transportation Engineer, presented the report. Deputy Chief Blake Chow of LAPD Transit Services Bureau/Traffic Group reported on LAPD’s efforts on the HIN resurveying since 2015. Assistant General Manager Dan Mitchell was present and addressed some questions.

Question and answer session occurred.

Commissioner Bayne asked if there were data available on enforcement patterns and tickets specifically on the signs, time period, and areas on the HIN.

Deputy Chief Chow explained there were no data available at this time and that they were still working on the details to identify specific streets and types of enforcement activity occurrences.

Commissioner Bayne requested for a report back once data is available.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**Item 8 – Recommend Approval of the Application of Cyrus Services Inc. for Three Unrestricted Non-Ambulatory Passenger Vehicle Permits**

**Item 9 – Recommend Approval of the Application of GT Ride LLC, dba GT Ride LLC for for Three Unrestricted Non-Ambulatory Passenger Vehicle Permits**

**Item 10 – Recommend Approval of the Application of Assist Transit LLC dba Assist Transit for Two Unrestricted Non-Ambulatory Passenger Vehicle Permits**

Commissioner Eisenberg moved, seconded by Commissioner Liban to approve Item Nos. 8 thru 10. Unanimously APPROVED.

Commissioner Eisenberg moved, seconded by Commissioner Liban to enter into Executive Session. Unanimously APPROVED.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Item 11 – Appeal of James Manuel Hernandez, Concerning the Department’s May 23, 2018, Revocation of Permit #520464 and Subsequent March 21, 2019, Denial of His Application for a New Driver/Attendant Permit, Pursuant to Board Order 600, Rules D1 and D2 – No Company Sponsor**

Dale W. Horton, Jr., Transportation Investigator, presented the report. Appellant Hernandez was not present to address the Board.

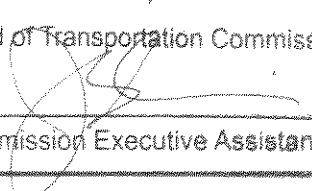
Commissioner Eisenberg moved, seconded by Commissioner Bayne to deny the appeal of James Manuel Hernandez. Unanimously APPROVED.

Commissioner Bayne moved, seconded by Commissioner Eisenberg to exit Executive Session. Unanimously APPROVED.

**ADJOURNMENT – PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.7**

With no further business to come before the Board, Commissioner Bayne moved, seconded by Commissioners Eisenberg to adjourn the meeting. Unanimously APPROVED.

The meeting adjourned at 10:54 AM.

Approved: 6/13/2019  
Board of Transportation Commissioners  
  
Commission Executive Assistant

