MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF LOS ANGELES MEMORIAL COLISEUM COMMISSION

Thursday, July 28, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission (the "Commission") was held in the Coliseum Commission Room on Thursday, July 28, 2016, and was called to order at 2:35 p.m. by President **RIDLEY-THOMAS**.

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT:

Mr. Mark Ridley-Thomas, President

Mr. William J. Chadwick, Vice President

Mr. Curren D. Price, Jr.

ABSENT:

Mr. Reginald B. Jones-Sawyer, Sr. (Non-voting)

Mr. Ricardo Lara (Non-voting)
Mr. Don Knabe (Alternate)

Mr. Marqueece Harris-Dawson (Alternate)

STAFF PRESENT:

Mr. Robert E. Osborne, Secretary and CAO

Mr. Thomas J. Faughnan, Co-Counsel Ms. Noreen Vincent, Co-Counsel Ms. Claudia Gutierrez, Co-Counsel Ms. Rene Gilbertson, Co-Counsel Ms. Rachelle Anema, Controller

ALSO PRESENT:

Mr. Joe Furin

Ms. Laurie Stone

Mr. Dan Stimmler

Mr. Thomas LaBonge

Mr. Ron Lin

Mr. Shane Parker

Mr. Fernando Ramirez

Mr. David Galaviz

Ms. Leslie Wall

Mr. Brian League

- APPROVED motion by Vice President CHADWICK, seconded by Commissioner PRICE, carried
 by unanimous vote, that the Minutes of the Regular Commission Meeting held on April 28, 2016
 be approved as presented.
- RECEIVED public comment from Mr. PARKER regarding public access to the Coliseum and Ms. RUSSELL regarding the new security perimeter fence.
- 5. RECEIVED AND FILED by unanimous consent, there being no objection, the report of the chief administrative officer. The Commission members expressed their desire to coordinate activities on the Coliseum and Sports Arena properties during the next five years to minimize the disruption to the surrounding community.
- **6. RECEIVED AND FILED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, the unaudited financial report for the year ended June 30, 2016.

- 7. **RECEIVED AND FILED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, the update on historic interpretive plan for the Los Angeles Memorial Sports Arena Redevelopment Project.
- 8. **RECEIVED AND FILED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, the update on the local worker hire program for the Los Angeles Memorial Sports Arena Redevelopment Project.
- RECEIVED AND FILED by unanimous consent, there being no objection, USC's Memorial Coliseum and Memorial Sports Arena General Manager's Quarterly Report.
- **10.** Upon motion by Commissioner **PRICE**, seconded by Vice President **CHADWICK**, carried by unanimous vote, the Commission:
 - A. CONFIRMED that the Second Addendum to the previously certified final Environmental Impact Report for the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Renovation Project has been completed in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission and find that the Commission has reviewed and considered the information contained in the Second Addendum and the Environmental Impact Report for the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Renovation Project prior to approving the proposed project and approving the Second Addendum;
 - ADOPTED the proposed CEQA Findings and Statement of Overriding Considerations for the project;
 - C. ADOPTED the proposed Mitigation Monitoring Program for the project; and
 - D. **APPROVED** the proposed renovation project.
- 11. APPROVED motion by Vice President CHADWICK, seconded by Commissioner PRICE, carried by unanimous vote, that the University of Southern California's request to install a new perimeter fence on Coliseum Property be approved and that the project was categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to sections 15303 and 15311 of the State CEQA Guidelines.
 - Further, President **RIDLEY-THOMAS** requested that the University of Southern California bring to the Commission for review and approval any material alteration or change to a Commission decision that the University wishes to make. Anything else will be interpreted by the Commission as being inconsistent with the intent of the Commission-University partnership.
- 12. APPROVED motion by Commissioner PRICE, seconded by Vice President CHADWICK, carried by unanimous vote, that authority be delegated to the chief administrative officer to execute an agreement between the Commission and LA84 Foundation (Foundation) where the Foundation agrees to digitize the Commission's meeting minutes free of charge and the Commission grants the Foundation a non-exclusive license to publish the Commission's digitized meeting minutes on the Foundation's website, conditioned upon the Commission Counsel approving the document.
- 13. APPROVED by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that the Commission's next regular meeting will be held on October 13, 2016 in place of its previously scheduled October 27, 2016 meeting.
- **14. APPROVED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that consideration of establishment of Commission bylaws be tabled until the Commission's October 13, 2016, regular meeting.

- **15. APPROVED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that consideration of proposed first amendment to Amended and Restated Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission Management Agreement of 2013 be tabled until the Commission's October 13, 2016, regular meeting.
- CS-1 The Commission did not meet in closed session.
 - **16. ADJOURNED** at 4:59 p.m.

Secretary