

Notice of Meeting

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE GALVESTON WHARVES

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA), PERSONS IN NEED OF A SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING SHALL, WITHIN THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO ANY PROCEEDING, CONTACT THIS OFFICE, 123 ROSENBERG AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR, GALVESTON, TEXAS 77550 (409-766-6105) TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION.

Regular Monthly Meeting

Monday, February 27, 2017

9:15 a.m.

Port of Galveston

8th Floor Shearn Moody Plaza

123 Rosenberg Avenue, Galveston, TX 77550

-THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC-

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Chairman Benjamin F. Holland, Jr.

Trustee Elizabeth Beeton

Trustee E. L. "Ted" O'Rourke

Trustee/Mayor James D. Yarbrough

Vice Chairman Albert P. Shannon

Trustee Richard D. DeVries

Trustee Todd P. Sullivan

Peter Simons, Interim Port Director

Anthony P. Brown, Port Attorney

I. REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

A. CALL TO ORDER

A-1 Roll Call

A-2 Declaration of Quorum

A-3 Pledge of Allegiance

B. DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST BY TRUSTEES

C. GENERAL BUSINESS

1. PRESENTATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A-1 Presentation by Mr. Dennis Smith on the Galveston Vehicle Distribution Center

A-2 Comments from the Public

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

B-1 Minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting of the Board of Trustees held Monday, January 30, 2017

3. PORT DIRECTOR'S REPORT

C-1 Port Director/Staff Reports – Consideration of Information Received from the Port Director or Other Members of Port Staff with Respect to Port Operations, Including Such Matters as Revenue, Expense, and Other Financial Information; Cargo Tonnage and Ship Calls; Cruise Passenger Activity, Car Counts, and Ship Calls; Security Conditions and Other Security Related Matters; Facility Improvements, Maintenance, Repairs, and Demolition; Dredging; Matters Relating to Parking Operations; Staff and Trustee Travel Reports; and Other Matters Required to be Reported to the Trustees Pursuant to Law or Board Policy.

4. CONSENT AGENDA

D-1 Consider Board and Staff Expense Reports

D-2 Consider Financial Statements

D-3 Accept Port Investments Report

D-4 Accept Bank Reconciliation Report and Schedule of Restricted Fund Balances

D-5 Accept Cash Flow Projections

D-6 Accept Monthly Delinquent Accounts Receivable Analysis

D-7 Accept Vendor Check Register Report

D-8 Consider Trade Development

5. BUSINESS ITEMS

E-1 Discuss and Consider Changes to Tariff Circular No. 6 – Item 545 Passenger Vehicle Parking – to Provide for Cruise Parking in the Transit Terminal Garage

- E-2 Discuss and Consider Amendment to Agreement Between the Board of Trustees and CACI NSS, Inc. (formerly L-3 National Security Solutions, Inc.) for Acquisition Logistics and Lead Systems Integrator Services for the FY2015 Port Security Grant to Reflect Change of Corporate Name and to Approve Subcontracting Agreement Regarding Same
- E-3 Discuss and Consider Consulting Agreement Between the Board of Trustees and CACI NSS, Inc. for Security System Integration, Design, Management and Life Cycle Support for FY 16 Port Security Grant Implementation and Maintenance at a Cost Not to Exceed \$996,750
- E-4 Discuss and Consider Interlocal Contract for Cooperative Purchases Between the Board of Trustees of the Galveston Wharves and Harris County Department of Education (HCDE) for Purchase of Certain Products
- E-5 Discuss and Consider Board Attendance at the American Association of Port Authorities Commissioners Seminar May 16-17, 2017 in Indianapolis, Indiana

II. RECESS INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

ANNOUNCE GOING INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE

-Section 551.071 – Consultation with Attorney

- a. Seek or receive advice on legal claim asserted by an employee.
 - 1. Paula Welch EEOC Claim
 - 2. Carmen Parker EEOC Claim of Discrimination
- b. Seek or receive legal advice regarding No. 16CV1169; The Florida-Caribbean Cruise Association, et al v. The Board of Pilot Commissioners for Galveston County Ports, et al; in the 405th District Court of Galveston County, Texas
- c. Seek or receive advice on pending litigation and legal claims, Including without limitation:
 - 1. Santa Fe Discount Cruise Parking, Inc., et al v. the Board of Trustees of the Galveston Wharves et al., Federal Maritime Commission Docket No. 14-06

2. Appeal of Final Agency Action by FEMA Denying the Port's Request for Reimbursement for Pelican Island Recovery Work

d. Seek or receive legal advice regarding governance issues

-Section 551.074 – Personnel

a. Deliberate the Appointment, Employment, Evaluation, Reassignment, or Duties of a Public Officer or Employee, Including Without Limitation the Port Director and Deputy Port Director

-Section 551.087 – Economic Development Negotiation

a. Discuss or Deliberate Regarding Commercial or Financial Information Received from a Business Prospect Seeking to Locate, Stay, or Expand at the Port of Galveston, or Deliberate the Offer of a Financial or Other Incentive to such a Business Prospect

ADJOURNMENT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION

RECONVENE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

D. COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

E. SET DATE OF NEXT BOARD MEETING, TIME AND LOCATION

F. ADJOURNMENT

THE ITEMS LISTED FOR THE CONSENT AGENDA ARE CONSIDERED ROUTINE AND WILL NOT BE DISCUSSED UNLESS A TRUSTEE DESIRES TO DISCUSS – AS IS THE CASE, THAT SUCH ITEM WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND CONSIDERED PRIOR TO THE REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS. AS USED IN THIS NOTICE, THE TERM “EXECUTIVE SESSION” MEANS A “CLOSED MEETING” AS DEFINED IN TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE CHAPTER 551, THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT. THE BOARD RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION AT ANY TIME DURING THE COURSE OF THIS MEETING TO DISCUSS ANY SUBJECT, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION ANY SUBJECT APPEARING ON THIS AGENDA, AS AUTHORIZED BY THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT. FOLLOWING ANY EXECUTIVE SESSION, THE BOARD IN OPEN SESSION MAY TAKE A FINAL ACTION, DECISION, OR VOTE ON A MATTER DELIBERATED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION, AS AUTHORIZED BY THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT.

3:30 p.m., Thursday, February 23, 2017

By: 

Peter Simons, Interim Port Director

Please Note

Members of the City Council may be attending and participating in discussion.

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