

# CONTRACT MONITORING DIVISION OFFICE OF THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR



#### **LBEAC June 6, 2019 Meeting Minutes**

#### 1. Call to order

Chair Galarza called the meeting to order at 10:06 a.m.

Committee Members Present: Matthew Ajiake, Bruce Giron, Darolyn Davis, Alaric Degrafinried, Boris Delepine, Elahe Enssani, Miguel Galarza, Alan Guy, Virginia Harmon, Iris Martin-Lopez, Wayne Perry, Ruben Santana.

Committee Members Absent: Emylene Aspilla, Juliana Choy-Sommer, Dwayne Jones.

*Staff Present:* CMD: Romulus Asenloo, Jason Chow, Mindy Lee, Vivian Liu, Stephanie Tang, Nichole Truax.

Other City Personnel: Nicolas King, Public Works.

Public Present: Steve Boullianne, IPSO FACTO IT; Noelle Bonner, Bonner Communications; Padraic Ryan, Eco Bay Services; Natalie Saylor, Saylor Consulting; Randy Collins, FTF Engineering; Jay Rooney, D&A Communications.

- 2. Possible Changes to Chapter 6 and Best Value Public Works Procurement
  - a. Nicolas King provided a summary of the proposed revisions to San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 6.
    - i. The purpose of the revisions is to help departments better deliver construction projects to the public while adhering to the policy goals of San Francisco.
  - b. Nicolas King provided an update on the Best Value Public Works Procurement and Project Evaluation website update:
    - i. The mandate is to collect same key project data for all city construction projects and consider past performance in award decisions. It resulted in a site that is a repository of balanced reviews of performance that help facilitate responsibility determinations. The site will be continued to be refined.
- 3. Citywide Project Labor Agreement Ordinance
  - a. A meeting to negotiate with trade unions on the terms and conditions of the agreement will be held at City Hall on June 6, 2019—Chair Galarza will attend.
- 4. Size Standard Issues on Procurement Codes
  - a. The subcommittee met and started developing a one-page white paper. There has been one subcommittee meeting thus far and will continue to meet every few weeks for ongoing discussion
  - b. Natalie Saylor from Saylor Consulting shared her own experience as a firm that exceeded the threshold cap for being an LBE and stated it has been difficult for her company to find subcontracting work.

- 5. Eco Bay Services Presentation: Potential Policy Changes to Current Incentives of the LBE Program
  - a. Padraic Ryan and Noelle Bonner presented on the following:
    - i. Increasing financial thresholds for Small-LBE, Micro-LBE and SBA-LBEs in order to account for the increased cost of doing business in San Francisco.
    - ii. Allow rating bonuses based on non-cost criteria in bid proposals.
    - iii. Removal of local hire program from OEWD and placement under jurisdiction of CMD.

### 6. Approval of Meeting Minutes

- a. Elahe Enssani, seconded by Alaric Degrafinried, moved to approve the LBEAC Meeting Minutes of April 4, 2019. The motion carried by the following vote:
  - Ayes: Matthew Ajiake, Bruce Giron, Darolyn Davis, Alaric Degrafinried, Boris Delepine, Elahe Enssani, Miguel Galarza, Alan Guy, Virginia Harmon, Wayne Perry, Ruben Santana.
  - ii. Abstain: Iris Martin-Lopez.

## 7. Staff Report/Updates

- a. SFO: Airport Minority Advisory Council (AMAC) mixer will be held on Friday, June 21, 2019 from 3:30pm 7:00pm.
- b. Director Asenloo asked the committee to brainstorm possible meeting topics for the new fiscal year. Possible topics include:
  - i. Size standard issues on procurement codes (carry through topic from this year).
  - ii. Chapter 21: Adjusting the Technology Marketplace contracting tiers.
  - iii. Reevaluate the CMD Construction Management category.
  - iv. Better understand the state of certification: how some firms may be negatively impacted as we consider a threshold increase in professional service category.

## 8. Adjournment

The Committee adjourned at 11:58 a.m.