

# City of Fresno

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# Meeting Minutes Fresno EIFD Public Financing Authority

Nelson Esparza, Chair Miguel Arias, Vice Chair Esmeralda Soria, Councilmember Mo Bagunu, Member Robert Fuentes, Member

Wednesday, October 7, 2020

4:00 PM

**Electronic Meeting** 

### **Regular Meeting**

The Fresno EIFD Public Financing Authority met in regular session, remotely via the Zoom platform, on the date and time written above.

### Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 4:02 P.M.

Present 5 - Chair Nelson Esparza, Vice Chair Miguel Angel Arias, Board Member Esmeralda Z. Soria, Board Member Mo Bagunu, and Board Member Robert Fuentes

# **Approval of Agenda**

There were no changes to the agenda.

## **Approval of Minutes**

<u>ID</u> Approval of the September 30, 2020 Meeting Minutes. 20-001347

On motion of Board Member Soria, seconded by Board Member Bagunu, the MINUTES were approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Chair Esparza, Board Member Soria, Board Member Bagunu

and Board Member Fuentes

Abstain: 1 - Vice Chair Arias

# Action Item(s)

<u>ID</u> 20-001346 BILL (Intro. 9/30/2020) (for adoption) - An Ordinance and Resolution Approving the Infrastructure Financing Plan for the Fresno Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District and Forming the Fresno Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District to Finance the Construction and/or Acquisition and/or Maintenance of Capital Improvements

The above item was called to order and there was no presentation. Upon call, there was no public comment.

Board discussion included: The establishment of the Fresno Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District (EIFD). Board members expressed gratitude for those involved in bringing the initiative forward and discussed the potential for the EIFD to address historical underinvestment in certain areas of the city, and the Blackstone corridor. Highlighted upcoming projects and express optimism about the district's ability to catalyze redevelopment efforts.

ORDINANCE 2020-1 ADOPTED RESOLUTION 2020-1 ADOPTED

On motion of Chair Esparza, seconded by Vice Chair Arias, that the above Action Item be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye:** 5 - Chair Esparza, Vice Chair Arias, Board Member Soria, Board Member Bagunu and Board Member Fuentes

#### **Adjournment**

The Fresno EIFD Public Financing Authority meeting adjourned at 4:09 P.M.