

CITY OF VALLEJO PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING STEERING COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, May 20, 2014 6:30 – 9:00 p.m

Joseph Room, JFK Library 505 Santa Clara Street VALLEJO, CALIFORNIA 94590

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- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS
- APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES
 Minutes from the 4/15 Regular Meeting will be presented for approval.
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT

Any member of the public wishing to directly address the Committee on any item not on this agenda has the opportunity to comment at this time.

6. STEERING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION FOR PB BUDGET ALLOCATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014/15

The Steering Committee will consider making a recommendation to the City Council regarding the budget allocation for Participatory Budgeting in Fiscal Year 2014/15. This recommendation may include the timeline for Cycle 3, the amount for Cycle 3 projects and the amount for Cycle 3 administration.

7. BUDGET DELEGATE PHASE UPDATE

PB staff and Steering Committee will discuss the status of budget delegate engagement and retention and address any questions about the outreach budget delegates should conduct between May 16 and June 15.

8. PROJECT PRIORITY MATRIX

The Steering Committee will review the Project Priority Matrix, a tool for budget delegates to use in determining which projects to submit to the City for vetting and for the ballot. PB staff and members of the Steering Committee developed the Project Priority Matrix, adapting it from a version used by PBNYC.

9. PROJECT EXPO PLANNING

The Steering Committee will begin to plan for Project Expos, including considering guidelines for project displays and the number of project expos to be held. Decisions related to Project Expos will be made at the June Steering Committee meeting.

10. CAMPAIGNING GUIDELINES

The Steering Committee will begin to discuss the Campaigning Guidelines that will govern the permissible campaign activities for the PB vote. Decisions related to Campaigning Guidelines will be made at the July Steering Committee meeting.

11. IMPLEMENTATION UPDATE

Staff will provide an update on the implementation of Cycle 1 projects, and ask for Steering Committee support with the College Bound Vallejo project.

12. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND NEXT STEPS

City staff or Steering Committee members may address the Committee on relevant business.

13. ADJOURNMENT

I, Dawn Abrahamson, City Clerk, do hereby certify that I have caused a true copy of the above notice and agenda to be delivered to each of the members of the Participatory Budgeting Steering Committee, at the time and in the manner prescribed by law and that this agenda was posted at City Hall, 555 Santa Clara Street, CA at 4:30 p.m., Friday, May 16, 2014.

Dated: May 16, 2014

Dawn G. Abrahamson, City Clerk

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