



CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS
455 N. Rexford Drive
Beverly Hills, CA 90210
4th Floor Conference Room A

Beverly Hills City Council Liaison / Legislative / Lobby Committee

SPECIAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Thursday, November 28, 2017
3:00 PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Date / Time: November 28, 2017 / 3:02 PM

IN ATTENDANCE: Vice Mayor Julian Gold, Councilmember John Mirisch, City Manager Mahdi Aluzri, City Attorney Larry Weiner, Public Works Director Shana Epstein, Senior Management Analyst Cindy Owens, Perry Todd (Citizen), and Victoria Talbot (Courier). Via conference call: Jamie Jones (Federal Lobbyist – David Turch & Associates), Andrew Antwih (State Lobbyist – Shaw/Yoder/Antwih, Inc.), Melissa Immel (Shaw/Yoder/Antwih, Inc.), and Tim Sullivan (Shaw/Yoder/Antwih, Inc.).

1) PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public will be given the opportunity to directly address the Committee on any item listed on the agenda.

Speakers: None.

2) Federal Tax Reform

Summary provided by Cindy Owens.

- Vice Mayor Gold & Councilmember Mirisch recommended the City oppose the federal tax reform.
- A draft letter of opposition will be included in the December 5, 2017 Study Session Staff Report.

3) Regulation of Artificial Intelligence (AI)

- Councilmember Mirisch discussed the potential dangers of the unchecked development of Artificial Intelligence. He recommended the City advocate for a taskforce to regulate AI and to possibly work with Congressman Ted Lieu's office.
- Councilmember Mirisch recommended this be included in the City's Legislative Platform.
- Dr. Gold requested more information on the matter.
- It was suggested that we ask Jamie Jones to reach out to Ted Lieu's office.

ADJOURNMENT

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