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MEMORANDUM FOR: City of San Diego Planning Department

From: Committee Chairman Russ Connelly

Subject: Annual report for the 2018-19 Committee year

The Committee began the year with the following 21 members (one youth seat unfilled):

Krista Berry-Ortega	Jose Hernandez	Andre Sanz	Rickie Brown	Aracely Lara
Jesse Sergeant	Russ Connelly	Taylor McDonald	Patty Vaccariello	Maria Cortez
Mazda Mehrnaz	Jim Varnadore	Brian Green-Carson	Halima Musa	Randy Van Vleck
Kindra Green	David Nelson	Gerald Womaniala	Roddy Jerome	Juan Pablo Sanchez
Abdullahi Yusuf				

At the March 2018 election, Krista Berry-Ortega, Taylor McDonald, Jim Varnadore & Kindra Green were not re-elected to office. David Bowen, Brenda Diaz, Scott Paquette & Rosa Calvario were elected to office and seated in April. At the May 2017 meeting, Brenda Diaz was selected as Secretary, Patty Vaccariello was selected as Second Vice-Chair, Jose Hernandez was selected as First Vice-Chair and Russ Connelly was selected as Chair.

Committee Changes: In April, Gerald Womaniala's School/non-profit seat was vacated due to lack of attendance. It was filled at the May meeting by Ramla Sahid. In August 2017, Halima Musa tenured her resignation from the Committee's Youth Seat. In November, Aracely Lara & Andre Sanz resigned their At Large seats. The December meeting filled, by appointment, the At Large seats by Francisco Garcia and Jim Varnadore. In January 2019, Lisa Nguyen was appointed to a Youth seat, leaving one youth seat unfilled. The Committee tried several times to find appointees to fill the additional Youth seat but were unsuccessful; outreach to local youth organizations is ongoing.

The Committee completed its 2018-2019 cycle with the following 21 members (one youth seat unfilled):

Lisa Nguyen	David Bowen	Brenda Diaz	Patty Vaccariello	Scott Paquette
Rosa Calvario	Russ Connelly	Randy Van Vleck	Juan Pablo Sanchez	Jesse Sergeant
Francisco Garcia	Roddy Jerome	Maria Cortez	Abdullahi Yusef	Brian Green-Carson
Jose Hernandez	Ramla Sahid	Mazda Mehrnaz	David Nelson	Rickie Brown
Jim Varnadore				

Among the major actions and accomplishments of the term were: the hearing of three proposed CUP's for marijuana outlets & two marijuana processing facilities. A great deal of public attendance and input was received during each of those events. The Committee also revised their bylaws (in record time) to revise and clarify election procedures. We had visits/presentations by the City Attorney and the City Chief Operating Officer. Action items included memos of input to various City Staff regarding the City Budget, CIP Priorities, proposed local parking changes and SANDAG Transportation Priorities. Information presentations were also given by the Mayor's Office and various City Departments such as the Police, City Contracting and Real Estate Assets Departments for background information at the request of the Committee.

The actions throughout the year were reported in meeting minutes, copies of which are appended hereto and

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