

## **Tourism Business Improvement District Board Minutes**

March 26, 2024, 1:00 p.m. City Hall, 990 Palm Street, San Luis Obispo

TBID Board Present: Member Lori Keller, Member Winston Newland, Member

Prashant Patel, Member Sandy Sandoval, Chair Clint Pearce

City Staff Present: Economic Development & Tourism Manager Molly Cano,

Tourism & Community Promotions Manager Jacqui Clark-

Charlesworth

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

A Special Meeting of the San Luis Obispo Tourism Business Improvement District Board was called to order on March 26, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. in the Council Hearing Room at City Hall, 990 Palm Street, San Luis Obispo, by Chair Pearce.

## 2. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

#### Public Comment:

None

--End of Public Comment--

## 3. BUSINESS ITEMS

3.a GALA PRIDE & DIVERSITY CENTER STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP (25 MIN)

Representatives from Noble Studios provided a recap on last year's Pride marketing and provided recommendations for this year. Dusty Colyer-Worth from GALA Pride & Diversity Center presented a proposal for a 15-month strategic partnership and responded to inquiries.

# **Public Comment:**

None

--End of Public Comment—

Motion by Member Sandoval

# Seconded by Member Newland

ACTION: To allocate \$23k to paid media for this year's Pride events from the Research budget and \$30k to GALA Pride & Diversity Center for a strategi partnership from the Events budget.

Ayes (5): Member Keller, Member Patel, Member Sandoval, Member Newland, and Chair Pearce

Absent (2): Vice Chair Bates and Member Nipool Patel

CARRIED (5 to 0)

# 3.b SELECT RFP PROPOSALS FOR INTERVIEWS (65 MIN)

## Public Comment:

None

--End of Public Comment—

ACTION: Board consensus to invite the top five scoring agencies for first interviews on April 16, 2024.

#### 4. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 2:24 p.m. The next Regular Meeting of the Tourism Business Improvement District Board is scheduled for April 10, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Hearing Room at City Hall, 990 Palm Street, San Luis Obispo.

APPROVED BY TOURISM BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT BOARD: XX/XX/202X