

Legislative & Rules Committee – Board of Representatives

Benjamin Lee, Chair

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Notice of Meeting

Date: Thursday, December 21, 2017

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Place: Democratic Caucus Room, 4th Floor Government Center, 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, CT

The Legislative & Rules Committee will meet as indicated above. The agenda is as follows:

Item No.

Description

Invitee(s) or Designees

1a. LR30.001 APPROVAL; Amendment to Board of Representatives Rules K. Emmett 1b. LR30.002 of Procedure to 1c. LR30.003 a. remove the last sentence of Section II.A.1 1d. LR30.004 b. remove Section II.A.5 1e. LR30.005 c. remove Section II.A.7 1f. LR30.006 d. amend Section II.A.8 to permit more than one 1g. LR30.007 Sergeant at Arms 1h. LR30.008 e. remove Section III 1i. LR30.009 f. amend Section IV.A to specify that all committee 1j. LR30.010 members shall have one vote 1k. <u>LR30.0</u>11 g. amend Section IV.A to permit all Board members to 1I. LR30.012 be ex-officio members of all committees to which they are not 1m. LR30.013 appointed, without the right to vote 1n. LR30.014 h. amend Section IV.A to state that a quorum of a 10. LR30.015 committee shall consist of a majority of the "total appointed 1p. LR30.016 committee members." i. amend Section IV.B regarding the composition of the Steering Committee and votes of Steering Committee members j. amend Section IV.B regarding the election of a Temporary Chair of the Steering Committee in the absence of the President and the Majority k. amend Section IV.B to clarify who can make nominations to fill vacancies in citywide elective office I. delete the first sentence of Section IV.C.2 m. change wording in Section IV.C.7

n. change "cell phones" to "all personal electronic devices" in Section IV.C.11 and VI.F.3

o. amend Sections V.A and V.E. to place Honorary Resolutions prior to Committee Reports

p. move Section V.B.4.d to the beginning of that section

12/05/17 – Submitted by Reps. McMullen, Cottrell, Matherne and Sherwood

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- 2. LR30.017 APPROVAL; Amendment to <u>Board of Representatives Rules</u> K. Emmett of <u>Procedure</u> to require a) notice to all members of the Board when a legal opinion is requested, b) tracking of all legal opinion requests on the agenda (either the requesting committee or L&R); and c) review of all legal opinions by the Board 12/06/17 – Submitted by Reps. McMullen, Matherne and Cottrell
- 3. LR30.018 APPROVAL; Amendment to <u>Board of Representatives Rules</u> K. Emmett <u>of Procedure</u> to make rules non gender specific. 12/06/17 – Submitted by Reps. Sherwood, Matherne and Cottrell

Under a Suspension of the Rules:

4a. <u>LR30.020</u>
4b. <u>LR30.021</u>
APPROVAL; Amendment to <u>Board of Representatives Rules</u> K. Emmett <u>of Procedure</u> to

a. amend Section VII increasing the postage
allowance from \$750 to \$1000 and make other wording changes
b. amend Section VIII to delete "or Special Board" c.
remove Section II.A.7
12/05/17 – Submitted by Reps. McMullen, Cottrell, Matherne and Sherwood