

Downtown Glendale Association Sidewalk Operations, Beautification and Order (SOBO) Wednesday, July 31st, 2019 – 10:00 am 100 N Brand Blvd, Basement Conference Room, Glendale, CA 91203 www.downtownglendale.com

<u>Present:</u> Joe Stitick, Jennifer Hiramoto, Randy Stevenson

Guest: Luis Pasache

Staff: Marco Li Mandri, Nick Lemmo, and Ryan Huffman

Minutes:

1. Introductions	Randy Stevenson called the meeting to order at 10:00 am.	No Action Taken
2. Public Comments and Announcements	Randy opened the floor for public comment and announcements.	No Action Taken
3. Review of the March 27 th , 2019 Minutes	SOBO Committee reviewed the minutes from March 27 th , 2019.	Jennifer moved and Joe seconded the approval of the March 27 th , 2019 Minutes. The minutes were approved unanimously.
4. Review of the FY19 Budget	Staff reviewed the SOBO budget for FY19.	No Action Taken
5. Trash receptacle grant in expansion area	Marco explained the need for more trash receptacles in the expansion area. With the increase in condominiums and new potential hotels coming in the area. Jennifer is working with the City and will provide another update at the next meeting.	No Action Taken
6. Update from	Randy opened the floor to DMS for an	No Action Taken
Service Provider -	Update.	

Rick Lemmo, President • Joseph Stitick, Vice President Helen McDonagh, Treasurer • Raul Porto, Secretary Jennifer Hiramoto • Steve Sayers • Nicole Dedic • Randy Stevenson

DMS	a. DMS explained that there has been a	
	heavy increase in the homeless	
	throughout the district. The Ambassadors	
	are handling the situation as best as	
	possible. They have seen the homeless use	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
	the sidewalk as a restroom and set up	
	camp in an empty building. Marco	
	discussed looking into a camera system to	
	help catch vandalism. Glendale Police	
	explained they have two Police Officers	
	and two mental health specialists that can	
	assist if notified. Discussion followed.	
	b. Joe announced he recently saw	
	Ambassadors in Pasadena using Segway's	
	as a mode of transportation. Staff will look	
	into this and find out if it is beneficial.	
7. Update from	Randy opened the floor to Nick for an	No Action Taken
Operations Directors	update. Nick announced that they have	
	replaced almost all items with the new	
	Greater DGA logo. The banked hours are	
	at 165 and will be used for special events	
	and holiday displays.	
8. Other	Randy opened the floor for any other	No Action Taken
	comments or announcements.	
9. Next Meeting	The next meeting will be September 25 th ,	No Action Taken
	at 10:00 and it will be held at 100 N. Brand	
	Blvd in the 6 th floor conference room.	

Minutes taken by Ryan Huffman, staff.