

## **Harbor Gateway North Neighborhood Board Meeting**

Tuesday, January 31, 2023

Held via Zoom webinar

Present: Miguel Vazquez (Chairperson), Joan Jacobs (Vice Chairperson), Rosalie Preston (Secretary), Julia Esqueda-Arteaga (District 2), Arvie Powell (District 4), Jodette Spann (District 5), Jackie Jackson (Community Organization Representative), Richard Lee (Youth Advocate), and Angela Springs (Outreach/Communications Representative)

**1) Call to order and roll call of Board members:** Chair Miguel Vazquez called the Board meeting to order at 6:46 p.m. Roll call determined that a quorum of Board members was present.

**2) General public comment on non-agenda items that are within the Board's jurisdiction:** There was none.

**3) Approval of moderator, format and other details of the Tues. March 7 Candidate Forum to be held via Zoom:** The proposal is to have the Toastmasters District 1 moderate the Candidate Forum, which will be held via Zoom. The recording can then be posted to the HGNNC website and social media so that more stakeholders are able to view it than just those who view it on March 7. Richard Lee said that he was previously an Area Governor of Toastmasters and that the HGNNC contact with Toastmasters District 1 is Keith Jackson, who can provide a team of three for the moderation at no cost to the HGNNC. Toastmasters has had a lot of experience with providing candidate forum moderation. It was moved by Jodette Spann, seconded by Richard Lee, and passed 9-0-0 to hold the HGNNC 2023 Candidate Forum via Zoom, for two hours, with the same question given to each candidate to answer during the Forum, which would help to supplement the information that they have provided in their candidate statements posted to the City Clerk candidates' website.

**4) Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 7:02 p.m.

Minutes taken by Rosalie Preston, Secretary