## Palm Beach County League of Cities GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING Wednesday, October 28, at 12:00 pm Via Conference Call

## **MINUTES**

1. Call to Order, Roll Ca
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Vice President Andy Amoroso called the meeting to order at 12:02pm.

Due to technical difficulties Executive Director Richard Radcliffe delayed roll call.

Vice President Andy Amoroso went onto to recognize dignitaries and to welcome our new Associate member Carr, Riggs & Ingram to the League.

## 2. President's Welcome

Vice President Andy Amoroso

Vice President Andy Amoroso thanked all members for attending today's conference call and went onto congratulate our new board member Chelsea Reed of Palm Beach Gardens. He reminded membership that tomorrow October 29<sup>th</sup> that the Literacy Coalition of PBC's "Read for the Record" is taking place.

3. Additions, Deletions and Modifications to the Agenda

None

- - a. Approval of the General Membership Meeting September 23,2020 Minutes
  - b. Ratification of the appointment of Vice Mayor Lawrence Gordon of Haverhill to the PBC Criminal Justice Commission

Motion and second to approve the consent agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

None

7. Executive Director Report.......Richard Radcliffe

Executive Director Richard Radcliffe

Executive Director Richard Radcliffe mentioned that if any elected official is interested in joining an FLC Policy Committee the sign-up is still available. Next, he goes onto announce that the League will not be having the annual Holiday Networking Event (formerly known as the Tri-City BBQ) this year. Instead the League will be working in conjunction with Palm Tran with their holiday Stuff-the-bus event this year. Then, he mentions the upcoming FLC Legislative Conference on November 12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>. Finally, he mentioned the NLC's annual city summit that will be held virtually on November 18<sup>th</sup>-

8. Presentation (s).....

- a. Covid-19: "Where We've Been and Where We're Going"
  - Dr. Alina Alonso, Director, Florida Department of Health in Palm Beach County

Dr. Alina Alonso begun her presentation by highlighting the current status of the state & Palm Beach County in regards to Covid-19. Next, she mentioned the decrease within the positivity rate for the county and commends the municipalities and Covid compliance team for their hard work in educating residents. Then, she informed membership that although Covid has not left yet we must continue to take precaution and as flu season approaches don't forget to get flu shots. Finally, she advised membership that once everyone practices social distancing, wear masks and follow the CDC guidelines then we may be able to keep the Covid positivity rate down in the county.

A brief Q & A segment took place after Dr. Alonso's presentation.

Executive Director completed the general membership roll call.

Cities Present were: Atlantis, Cloud Lake, Greenacres, Haverhill, Juno Beach, Lake Clarke Shores, Lake Park, Lake Worth Beach, Lantana, North Palm Beach, Ocean Ridge, Pahokee, Palm Beach, Palm Beach Gardens, Palm Beach Shores, Riviera Beach, Royal Palm Beach, South Bay, South Palm Beach, Tequesta, Wellington, Westlake, and West Palm Beach

Cities Absent were: Belle Glade, Boca Raton, Boynton Beach, Delray Beach, Glen Ridge, Golf, Gulfstream, Highland Beach, Hypoluxo, Jupiter, Jupiter Inlet Colony, Loxahatchee Groves, Manalapan, Mangonia Park, and Palm Springs

- 10. Adjournment The meeting was adjourned at 12:35 p.m.