



Driving a Strong Economy Committee

Meeting Report

Monday, February 27, 2006

Chair Williams called the meeting to order at 1:33 P.M.

a. **Small Business Commission Workplan Review (Office of Economic Development) [DEFERRED FROM JANUARY 30, 2006]**

Staff will forward a memo to Council on the decision of the 9th Circuit Court regarding Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation goals for federally funded projects.

b. **Report on Renter's Insurance (Housing, Fire Department)**

Staff will ensure outreach to each district will include all ethnic communities. Joshua Howard from the California Apartment Association, Tri-County Division, spoke in support of encouraging renters to obtain renter's insurance.

Upon motion of Member Reed, seconded by Member Nguyen, the Committee accepted staff's report.

c. **Catalyst Fund RFP Update (Office of Economic Development)**

Upon motion of Member Reed, seconded by Member Nguyen, the Committee accepted staff's report.

d. **Customer Service Center Progress Report (Planning, Building and Code Enforcement)**

Upon motion of Member Reed, seconded by Member Nguyen, the Committee accepted staff's report.

e. **Oral Petitions**

None

f. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 2:50 P.M.

By:

Chair Forrest Williams

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