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GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

DRAFT MINUTES OF OCTOBER 3, 2016

1. **WELCOMING REMARKS:** (1 minutes)
 - A. Call to order at 7:00 p.m.
 - B. Committee roll call
 - C. Self-Introductions of guests N. Sorkin, G. LeVin, B. Ringuette, R. Millar, R. VanAmmers, R. Max, T. Michaels, Max and VanAmmers left early prior to discussion of the full agenda.
 - D. Approval of minutes, none
2. **GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:** (5 minutes)

G. LeVin mentioned Music Box Steps Day Oct 22, request from R VanAmmers to CD 13 per Fargo Steps on opening them up. (Millar contacted CD 13 on this and no work was done by the previous board to secure signatures for opening the gates, M. Rodriguez answered this question at the SLNC Gov Board meeting on October 5), Planning 101 on October 8, Bellevue Rec Center to have annual fitness day on October 27, Bellevue Rec Center to have Halloween event on Oct 31 4-8 p.m.
3. **Discussion Items:**
 - A. Motion possible action: Move that SLNC GA Committee hold an informational town hall for City Council Candidates for CD 13 for a date to be determined in January 2017 and an informational town hall if a runoff election is necessary with the candidates for a date TBD in April or May 2017, M/S/P 4/0/0.
 - B. Discussion recommendation from the GA Committee Propositions 56, 57, 61, M/S/P 4/0/0 for all propositions.
 - C. Discussion recommendations on LA Sign Ordinance, the committee reviewed the documents and urged all concerned to write to Sharon.Dickinson@lacity.org and express your opposition and to the full city council at alan.alietti@lacity.org. The committee supports the City Planning Commission decision of October 22, 2015, items a-e but opposes waivers for billboards and CUP's and opposes new digital billboards on city owned property in exchange for revenue
4. **No items for the next meeting were proposed**
5. **ADJOURNMENT 8:00 p.m.**