LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AREA ADVISORY COMMITTEE (LAXAAC)

MINUTES OF THE JULY 15, 2021 VIRTUAL MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:18 pm by Luciano Nocera. A quorum was established.

IN ATTENDANCE: Luciano Nocera, Chair (Culver City); John Wahlert, Vice Chair (Culver City); Sergio Paz (Lennox); Carl Jacobson (El Segundo), Guido Fernandez (Hawthorne); Dana Cope (Westchester)

LAWA STAFF: Amy Imamura, Clarence Espinosa, Sarah Cash, David Reich (Guest Speaker)

EXCUSED ABSENCE: William Cumming (Marina del Rey), Kevin Klowden (Culver City)

INTRODUCTIONS

David Reich, Deputy Executive Director, Mobility Planning & Strategy was introduced to the committee.

COMMENTS FROM GUESTS AND PUBLIC

No comments

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motioned moved by Luciano, 2nd by John. Minutes approved by the body.

GUEST SPEAKER

David Reich, Deputy Executive Director, Mobility Planning & Strategy gave an introduction and presentation on LAWA's strategic plans to decrease traffic and reduce congestion impact to and from LAX, in the Central Terminal Area and neighboring communities by encouraging increased use of transit for both community members and employees. These programs develop and provide commute options and incentives for all LAX employees across the LAX campus as well as offer affordable transit options for community members. Reich further explains other plans for connection to Crenshaw metro line and the people mover. For more information visit, www.lawa.org/commuteLAX.

OFFICER'S REPORT

None

MANAGEMENT REPORT

Clarence Espinosa shared passenger increase of approximately 420,000. Additionally, plastic bottles are now banned from LAX.

Sarah Cash shared with the body about the We Fly As One program. The program is a collaboration between LAWA and local Chambers of Commerce and business created to support local businesses in order to boost sales and generate new customers by providing exclusive offers to badged LAX and VNY airport employees. The program is free. Clarence Espinosa is the administrator for this program. To apply visit https://www.lawa.org/weflyasone

Next month's speaker will be Tamara McCrossen, Environmental Sustainability and Compliance

The meeting was adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Sarah J. Cash

Next Meeting: Tentatively scheduled for Thursday, August 19, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.