

## SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT (METRO) PERSONNEL/HR STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES\* JUNE 12, 2020 – 10:30AM MEETING HELD VIA TELECONFERENCE

A regular meeting of the Personnel/HR Standing Committee of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District (METRO) was convened on Friday, June 12, 2020, via teleconference.

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- 1 **CALL TO ORDER** at 10:30 AM by Board Chair Rotkin.
- **ROLL CALL:** The following Directors were **present** via teleconference, representing a quorum:

Director Ed Bottorff

Director Aurelio Gonzalez

Director John Leopold

Director Larry Pageler

Board Chair Mike Rotkin

City of Capitola

City of Watsonville

County of Santa Cruz

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Alex Clifford METRO CEO/General Manager
Julie Sherman METRO General Counsel

METRO EMPLOYEES AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO VOLUNTARILY INDICATED THEY WERE PRESENT (IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER) WERE:

Dawn Crummié METRO HR Director

Monik Delfin METRO HR Deputy Director

Cayla Hill METRO employee, representing SEA

Margo Ross METRO COO Joined at 10:35A

- 3 ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS TO THE PERSONNEL/HR STANDING COMMITTEE Hearing none, Chair Rotkin moved to the next agenda item.
- 4 ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS FROM AGENDA/ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT EXISTING AGENDA ITEMS

Having none, Chair Rotkin moved to the next agenda item.

## 5 REVIEW REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF A CUSTOMER SERVICE ASSISTANT POSITION IN THE CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Dawn Crummié, HR Director, spoke to the agenda item, providing history, methodology, etc. The responsible union has agreed to the attached job description and wage scale. There was a brief discussion among the assembly regarding the wage scale steps and career ladder opportunities. It was noted that the starting salary cannot be determined until a qualified candidate is identified.

Director Gonzalez asked about the job duties of the position. Ms. Crummié responded the position would handle incoming complaints, ensuring procedure compliance, among other things. CEO Clifford added

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one of the focused functions of the position would be to provide future reports showing METRO's timely response(s). In addition, a financial analyst is currently establishing KPIs such that this type of statistic(s) will be shared going forward.

There were no public comments.

ACTION: MOTION TO RECOMMEND THE AUTHORIZATION OF A CUSTOMER SERVICE ASSISTANT POSITION IN THE CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENT AS PRESENTED

MOTION: DIRECTOR PAGELER SECOND: DIRECTOR GONZALEZ

The motion was unanimous by a roll call vote.

## 7 ADJOURNMENT

Board Chair Rotkin adjourned the meeting at 10:45 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Gina Pye

**Executive Assistant**