



Richmond-Zhoushan Friendship Commission Meeting

August 9, 2023

4:00pm

Join Zoom Meeting

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Zhoushan Commissioners will be in person at 440 Civic Center Plaza, Council Office Conference Room

AGENDA

- I. Welcome and Roll
 - Present
 - Absent

- II. Review and approve minutes from the July meeting.

- III. Treasurer's Report
 - Commission raised funds - \$2,788.71(Per the June Statement)
 - City allocated funds - \$1,000

- IV. Update on the facilitation of the delegation to Zhoushan, China to attend the International Islands Tourism Conference (IITCZS) 2023. Discuss the objective and list interested commissioners.
 - Discuss meeting topics to request of Zhoushan officials
 - i. Foreign Affairs Director to discuss mutual goals for the friendship for 2024-25 and acknowledgment of the 30th Anniversary
 - ii. Maritime Academy
 - iii. Director of Schools – Youth Exchange Program
 - iv. Other
 - Confirm Potential Delegates
Mayor Eduardo Martinez, Mayor's Chief of Staff Shiva Mishek, Chair Stanley Li, Vice Chair Margaret Lee, Commissioner Joseph Kong, Commissioner Bobby Winston, Commissioner Alex Golovets, Congressman Garamendi's Sr. Field Rep Harpreet Sandu and former Councilmember Nathaniel Bates
 - Need to confirm the number of delegates to be hosted by Zhoushan – potentially 7-10

- V. Update on the Maritime Skills Program
- VI. Status report from the Mayor's Office on the proposed presentation to the City Council regarding the Matzorkis Memorial Projects
- VII. Update of search for a fiscal sponsor
- VIII. Other matters of interest
- IX. Adjourn