

Agenda Government Affairs Committee Meeting

Wednesday, 17 February 2021 2:10 pm

Via Teleconference:

Video:

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Meeting ID:

Audio:

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- 1. CALL TO ORDER: ROLL CALL: INTRODUCTION OF ATTENDEES
- 2. Public Comment:

Public Comment Policy can be found at www.fqmd.org. Written public comments and live comment requests can be submitted electronically via email to publiccomments@fqmd.org up until the conclusion of the reading of the agenda.

- 3. Approval of previous meeting notes
- 4. Update on the French Quarter Economic Development District
 - a. Discussion of Cooperative Endeavor Agreement
 - b. Discussion of voter information campaign
- 5. Discussion of Louisiana State Legislature funding strategy
- 6. New Business
- 7. Next Meeting Date
- 8. Adjournment



Certification of Inability to Operate Due to Lack of Quorum

In accordance with the Executive Proclamation JBE 2020-117 issued by Governor John Bel Edwards on September 11, 2020, Louisiana Revised Statutes 42:17.1 and concurrence by the Attorney General on March 19, 2020, this notice shall serve as certification of the French Quarter Management District's inability to otherwise operate in accordance with the Louisiana Open Meetings Law due to a lack of quorum as a result of the COVID-19 public health emergency. These matters are critical to the continuation of the business of the public body and are not able to be postponed to a meeting that can be held in accordance with other provisions provided for in the Open Meetings Law (LA R.S. 42.11 et. seq.) due to a legal requirement or other deadline that cannot be postponed or delayed by the public body.

Pursuant to Louisiana Revised Statutes 42:17.1 the French Quarter Management District will provide for attendance at its Government Affairs Committee Meeting on 17 February 2021, at 2:10 PM via video/telephone conference in order to obtain a quorum of its members. Therefore, in accordance with JBE 2020-117 and LA R.S. 42:17.1, the French Quarter Management District's meeting on February 17th in a manner that will allow for observation and input by members of the public, as set forth in the notice posted on 15 February 2021. All other Open Meetings Law requirements have been met.

Karley D. Frankic, Executive Director