

Los Angeles County Quality and Productivity Commission

Roadmap to Economic Recovery Innovation and Outreach Committee (IOC)

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Members:

Commissioner Jacki Bacharach

Commissioner Shawn Landres

Commissioner Evelyn Gutierrez

Commissioner Blaine Meek

Commissioner Will Wright

Jackie Guevarra, Executive Director

Laura Perez, Program Manager

The Quality and Productivity Commission working group is working in consultation with the following commission working groups and various County departments:

Citizen's Efficiency and Economy Commission (E&E)

Ed Eng, Executive Director

Commissioner Nancy Coleman

Commissioner Joanne Saliba

Commissioner Connie Sullivan

Small Business Commission (SBC)

Commissioner Kerry Doi

Commissioner W. Steven Temple

Department of Consumer and Business Affairs (DCBA)

Azusena Favela, Deputy Director, Small Business and Economic Development

Francisco Mendez, DCBA Commission Services

Christian Olmos, Chief, Office of Small Business

Internal Services Department (ISD)

Michael Owh, General Manager, Purchasing & Contract Services

MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order – Shawn Landres, Lead
2. Welcome and Introductions
3. Los Angeles County Roadmap to Economic Recovery Board Motion (April 28, 2020)
- Update

a. Review of the Role of the Economic Resiliency Task Force (for information only)
(<https://covid19.lacounty.gov/economic-resiliency-task-force/>)

- Develop a plan and recommendations for short-term, medium-term, and long-term economic recovery in Los Angeles County, including industry partnerships and policy considerations to spur economic growth at the local, state, and federal levels.
- Identify financial incentives, if any, the County can provide to existing or new businesses to spur economic recovery as the Safer at Home Order is relaxed.
- Develop a systematic plan for the most COVID-19 impacted industries, and in consultation with labor, provide a systematic plan for rapid reemployment.
- Formulate policy considerations to spur small business growth and create jobs, including but not limited to: tax credits, public infrastructure investment, and unsecured/business personal property tax rebate, deferral, and/or abatement.
- Identify alternatives to existing strategies to engage with the business community regularly, using technology and/or surveys for business owners and business organizations.
- Find options for deferrals, waivers, or reduced permitting and licensing fees or flexible payment structures for qualifying businesses.
- Strategize on community benefits for the most impacted neighborhoods and industries.

b. Review and Clarification of Board Direction to QPC in Consultation with E&E and SBC

- i. Create a working group
- ii. Establish a website and email contact
- iii. Perform outreach to County employees, various businesses/organizations, and the public to encourage innovative ideas
- iv. Receive and report ideas to the Board

4. Ideas to Streamline the Contracting Process – Michael Owh, General Manager, ISD

5. For Discussion

- a. Master List for Outreach
- b. Timeline
- c. Action Items

7. Miscellaneous/Questions

8. Next Meeting – TBD