

November 3, 2022

### CALL AND NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BURBANK-GLENDALE-PASADENA AIRPORT AUTHORITY

NOTICE is hereby given that a <u>special</u> meeting of the Burbank-Glendale-Pasadena Airport Authority will be held on <u>Monday, November 7, 2022, at 9:00 a.m.</u>, in the Airport Skyroom of Hollywood Burbank Airport, 2627 N. Hollywood Way, Burbank, California 91505.

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e), members of the Commission may participate in this meeting via teleconference. In the interest of maintaining appropriate social distancing, a physical location is not being provided for the public to attend or comment. Members of the public may observe the meeting telephonically and may offer comment in real time through the following number:

Dial In: (818) 862-3332

Terri Williams, Board Secretary Burbank-Glendale-Pasadena Airport Authority

#### BURBANK-GLENDALE-PASADENA AIRPORT AUTHORITY

# Airport Skyroom Special Meeting of Monday, November 7, 2022 9:00 A.M.

The public comment period is the opportunity for members of the public to address the Commission on agenda items. At the discretion of the presiding officer, public comment on an agenda item may be presented when that item is reached. When in-person attendance or participation at meetings of the Commission is allowed, members of the public are requested to observe the following rules of decorum: Turn off cellular telephones and pagers. Refrain from disorderly or boisterous conduct, including loud, threatening, profane, or abusive language, clapping, whistling, stamping, or other acts that disrupt or otherwise render unfeasible the orderly conduct of the meeting. If you desire to address the Commission during the public comment period, fill out a speaker request card and present it to the Board Secretary. Confine remarks to agenda items or to airport-related non-agenda matters that are within the Commission's subject matter jurisdiction. Limit comments to five minutes or to such other period of time as may be specified by the presiding officer. The following activities are prohibited: Allocation of speaker time to another person. Video presentations requiring use of Authority equipment. Any disclosable public records related to an open session item on a regular meeting agenda and distributed by the Authority to the Commission less than 72 hours prior to that meeting are available for public inspection at Hollywood Burbank Airport (2627 N. Hollywood Way, Burbank) in the administrative office during normal business hours. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, if you require a disability-related modification or accommodation to attend or participate in this meeting,

including auxiliary aids or services, please call the Board Secretary at (818) 840-8840 at

least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

## AGENDA

#### Monday, November 7, 2022

- 1. ROLL CALL
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 5. CONSENT CALENDAR
  - a. AB 361 Findings for Special Brown Act Requirements for [See page 1] Teleconference Meetings
- 6. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR COMMENTS
- 7. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS
- 8. ADJOURNMENT

#### COMMISSION NEWSLETTER

Monday, November 7, 2022

[Regarding agenda items]

#### 5. CONSENT CALENDAR

(Consent Calendar items may be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion on these items unless a Commissioner so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.)

 AB 361 FINDINGS FOR SPECIAL BROWN ACT REQUIREMENTS FOR TELECONFERENCE MEETINGS. Staff has placed this item on the agenda to give the Commission an opportunity to make the monthly findings specified in AB 361 (2021) for special Brown Act requirements for teleconference meetings.

#### STAFF REPORT PRESENTED TO THE BURBANK-GLENDALE-PASADENA AIRPORT AUTHORITY NOVEMBER 7, 2022

#### AB 361 FINDINGS FOR SPECIAL BROWN ACT REQUIREMENTS FOR TELECONFERENCE MEETINGS

Prepared by Terence Boga General Counsel

#### SUMMARY

Staff has placed this item on the agenda to give the Commission an opportunity to make the findings specified in AB 361 (2021) for special Brown Act requirements for teleconference meetings.

#### BACKGROUND

Since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic and Governor Newsom's relaxation of Brown Act requirements, the Authority has followed the course of many other local public agencies and held teleconference meetings to promote social distancing and protect public safety. The Governor's executive orders allowed agencies to conduct teleconference meetings without having to provide a physical location from which the public may attend or comment, without having to use teleconference locations that are publicly accessible, and without having to identify teleconference locations on the agenda. Those executive orders expired on September 30, 2021, and teleconference meetings now are conducted pursuant to AB 361, which confers similar flexibility.

In order for a local public agency to be subject to the AB 361 special Brown Act requirements for teleconference meetings, the legislative body of the agency must periodically make two findings. First, the legislative body must find that it has "reconsidered" the circumstances of a declared state of emergency. Second, the legislative body must find that such emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the legislative body's members to meet in person. Alternatively, for the second finding, the legislative body must find that state or local officials continue to impose or recommend social distancing measures.

Governor Newsom is rolling back his COVID-19 executive orders in phases, but he has left his COVID-19 state of emergency declaration in effect through February 2023. Furthermore, the State of California and the County of Los Angeles have recommended measures to promote social distancing. In particular, the California Division of Occupational Safety and Health still requires that employers provide training on the effectiveness of physical distancing in the workplace. Additionally, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health continues to recommend that employers take steps to reduce indoor crowding and to enable employees and visitors to physically distance from each other.

On October 17, 2022, the Commission reached a consensus on returning to in-person meetings in January 2023. Thus, as of now, the Commission's stated intent is to continue holding teleconferencing meetings through the end of 2022.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends that the Commission make the AB 361 findings for special Brown Act requirements for teleconference meetings. If the Commission concurs with this recommendation, then the appropriate motion is:

"I move that the Commission make the following findings: (1) the Commission has reconsidered the circumstances of the COVID-19 state of emergency; and (2) state and local officials continue to recommend measures to promote social distancing."