

**Tulare Chamber of Commerce
Governmental Affairs Committee Meeting Minutes
Monday, October 10, 2016 at 12:00 pm, 1165 N. Blackstone St., Tulare**

Call to order: Patrick Isherwood called the meeting to order at 12:15 PM

Minutes: Upon motion being duly made and seconded, minutes for September were approved.

Updates:

- Chamber of Commerce – Kerissa Chapman, Donnette Silva Carter
- Teens on Board: No report
- Tulare Downtown Association – No report
- Tulare Regional Medical Center/HCCA – Kathleen Johnson
- Tulare School Districts – Dr. Koligian
- City of Tulare – Paul Melikian
- County of Tulare – Supervisor Pete Vander Poel III
- Board of Equalization – Tom Mendes
- State Assembly: Assemblyman Devon Mathis – No report
- State Senate: State Senator Jean Fuller – No report
- Congressional: Congressman Devin Nunes – No report

Presentation:

Review of prior meeting discussion items:

- Water Forum Review – Presentation from Rudy Mendoza at November or December GAC meeting
- GAC action on November Ballot Measures – Patrick went over the GAC voting process

Current Items for discussion:

- Candidates Forum October 13th – Patrick discussed the Candidates Forum format
- Chamber of Commerce Representation & Business Advocacy - Patrick requested feedback on starter questions for forum

Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned at 1:06 pm.