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CALL TO ORDER

CLOSED SESSION

CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS

Agency Negotiator: Stephen Amano
Employee Organization: Unrepresented Management

Agency Negotiators: Stephen Amano and Keith Fleming
Employee Organizations: All Labor Organizations

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - POTENTIAL LITIGATION

Initiation of litigation pursuant to Subdivision (c) of Government Code § 54956.9: (Five Cases)

Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to Subdivision (b) of Government Code § 54956.9: (Four Cases)

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION

Name of Case: Watkins, et. al. v. County of Alameda, et. al. Alameda County Superior Court No. RG08391409

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RECRUITMENT

Director, Human Resource Services

Director, Social Services Agency

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RETREAT

1. Budget and Finance
   ● Federal/State/County Budget
   ● Revenue Opportunities
   ● Pending Factors

2. Board Operations
   ● Operating Procedures
   ● Other
3. Report on Board Member Initiatives
   - Strategic Vision
   - Children and Youth
   - Transportation
   - Unincorporated Area
   - Regional Collaboration
   - Other

4. Report on County initiatives and Operational Issues
   - Cable and Telecommunications
   - Capital Projects/Facilities
   - Sustainability Initiatives
   - Partnership Programs
   - Other

REGULAR CALENDAR

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

4. County Administrator – Authorize the President of the Board to execute a Joint Declaration of the Administrative Office of the Courts and the County of Alameda that the statutory deadline for transferring the County’s remaining court facilities should be tolled until December 31, 2008
   Attachment

PUBLIC PROTECTION

5. Sheriff – Authorize the Sheriff to apply for the fiscal year 2008 State Homeland Security Grant Program; and adopt a resolution and execute the Governing Board Resolution for fiscal year 2008 State Homeland Security Grant funding – CAO Recommends: Approve
   Attachment

COUNTY COUNSEL: REPORT ON ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION

PUBLIC INPUT (TIME LIMIT: 3 MINUTES PER SPEAKER)

ADJOURNMENT