

THE COMMITTEE ON
RULES, FINANCE, AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS
OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO
(MAYOR DICK MURPHY, CHAIRPERSON)

**Agenda for Meeting at 9:00 am
Wednesday, June 16, 2004**

COUNCIL CHAMBERS (12TH FLOOR)
202 C STREET, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

(FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT BILL BABER,
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Non-Agenda Public Comment

Approval of the Record of Action Items for May 19, 2004

ITEM-1: Review of Ballot Proposals for possible placement on the November 2, 2004, ballot submitted by City Officials or by the public pursuant to Council Policy 000-21. (Approx. 2 hours total)

- A. Proposed Charter amendments re: Strong Mayor-Strong Council form of government (Mayor Murphy).
- B. Proposed Charter amendment re: Ethics Commission Independent Legal Council (Ethics Commission).
- C. Proposed amendments to Charter Sections 143, 144, and proposed new section (Pension Reform Committee).
- D. Proposed Charter amendment re: Access to Government Information (City Council).
- E. Proposed Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) Increase (Councilmember Frye).
- F. Proposed TOT increase (Mel Shapiro).
- G. Proposed amendments to Charter Section 77a (John Stump).

ITEM-2: Report from Governmental Relations Department. (Approx. 30 minutes total)

- A. Update to City of San Diego's 2004 Legislative Program, including additional support, oppose, and sponsored legislation.
- B. Proposed amendment to the City's 2004 State Legislative Program to request a change in

State law to permit the use of redevelopment
funding for public safety.

Adjournment

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