



**Minutes
Legislation & Rules Committee
Tuesday, May 26, 2026
2:00 PM
Kennedy Room**

Minutes are preliminary and may change until finally approved

I. Call to Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 2:15pm.

II. Roll Call

The Chair directed the Associate Clerk to call the roll and the following members answered their names: Mr. Cohn, Mr. Narayan, Ms. Keys, Mr. Devoti and Chair Velazquez. **5 members were present. A quorum was established.**

III. Approval of Minutes

To approve the minutes from Tuesday, March 17, 2026, committee meeting.

The Chair entertained a motion to approve the minutes from the Tuesday, March 17, 2026, committee meeting.

Mr. Cohn moved to approve the minutes from the Tuesday, March 17, 2026, committee meeting.

Seconded by Mr. Narayan.

The Chair directed the Associate Clerk to call the roll.

The Associate Clerk called the roll and the following votes were recorded:
The following voted Aye: Mr. Cohn, Mr. Narayan, Ms. Keys, Mr. Devoti and Chair Velazquez. **5 Aye votes were cast.**

The following voted No:
None

The following voted Present:
None

The Abstained:
None

The following was present but did not vote.
None

A total of 5 Aye votes were cast. The motion carried.

IV. Board Bills for Review

None

V. Resolutions for Review

None

VI. Committee Discussions

(The committee will discuss and take public comment on the following)

Discussion Item Number 1

Mayoral Appointments to the Clean Energy Development Board: Stephen Westbrooks and Emily Andrews.

The Chair gave a brief description of the Mayor's appointee, Stephen Westbrooks.

After no further discussion, the Chair asked the members of the committee for questions and comments.

Hearing no questions or comments from members of the committee, the Chair entertained a motion to approve the Mayor's appointment of Stephen Westbrook to the Clean Energy Development Board out of committee with a **Do Pass Recommendation**.

Ms. Velazquez moved to approve the Mayor's appointment of Stephen

Westbrook to the Clean Energy Development Board out of committee with a **Do Pass Recommendation.**

Seconded by Mr. Narayan.

The Chair directed the Associate Clerk to call the roll.

The Associate Clerk called the roll and the following votes were recorded.
The following voted Aye: Mr. Cohn, Mr. Narayan, Ms. Keys, Mr. Devoti and Chair Velazquez. **5 Aye votes were cast.**

The following voted No:
None

The following voted Present:
None

The following Abstained:
None

The following were present but did not vote.
None

A total of 5 Aye votes were cast. The motion carried.

After no further discussion, the Chair gave a brief description of the Mayor's appointee, Emily Andrews, to the Clean Energy Development Board.

After no further discussion, the Chair asked the members of the committee for questions and comments.

Hearing no questions or comments from members of the committee, the Chair entertained a motion to approve the Mayor's appointment of Emily Andrews, to the Clean Energy Development Board out of committee with a **Do Pass Recommendation.**

Ms. Velazquez moved to approve the Mayor's appointment of Emily Andrews to the Clean Energy Development Board out of committee with a

Do Pass Recommendation.

Seconded by Mr. Narayan.

Mr. Narayan requested the previous roll.

Hearing no objection to the request for the previous roll, the Chair directed the Associate Clerk to record the votes from the previous roll.

The Associate Clerk recorded the previous roll and the following votes were recorded.

The following voted Aye: Mr. Cohn, Mr. Narayan, Ms. Keys, Mr. Devoti and Chair Velazquez. **5 Aye votes were cast.**

The following voted No:
None

The following voted Present:
None

The following Abstained:
None

The following were present but did not vote.
None

A total of 5 Aye votes were cast. The motion carried.

VII. Acknowledgment of Any Written Testimony

None

VIII. Announcements

None

IX. Excused Members

The Chair excused Ms. Sonnier for necessary absence.

X. Adjournment

Having no other business to discuss, the Chair entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting.

Ms. Velazquez moved to adjourn the meeting.

Seconded by Mr. Narayan

Mr. Narayan requested the previous roll.

Hearing no objection to the request for the previous roll, the Chair directed the Associate Clerk to record the votes from the previous roll.

The Associate Clerk recorded the previous roll and the following votes were recorded.

The following voted Aye: Mr. Cohn, Mr. Narayan, Ms. Keys, Mr. Devoti and Chair Velazquez. **5 Aye votes were cast.**

The following voted No:
None

The following voted Present:
None

The following Abstained:
None

The following were present but did not vote.
None

A total of 5 Aye votes were cast. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 2:21pm.