MINUTES

PUBLIC ELECTION FUND COMMITTEE

Minutes from the September 21, 2021 meeting.

Via teleconference (Zoom)

Committee Members Present:

David Scull, Chair

Nancy McMahan Farrar, Vice Chair

Stephen Whitted

Lee Annis

William Ewing

Lionel Lissom

Jackie Sackstein

Staff:

Naeem Mia, County Council

Committee Chair Scull called the meeting to order at approximately 7:00 p.m. The minutes of the December 9, 2020 meeting were approved (Ms. Sackstein moved; Ms. Farrar seconded).

Recently appointed Committee members introduced themselves. The Committee reviewed its 2021 recommendations and received an update on the expenditures made from the Public Elections Fund as of August 31, 2021. A motion was made and approved 6-0 to recommend \$3.0M of appropriations to the Fund for the FY23 operating budget.

The Committee also reviewed the schedule for the Redistricting Commission's districting process and discussed outreach to schools/colleges, as well as to local newspapers, for promoting the Public Campaign Financing program to potential candidates.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:20 p.m.