Item 1. The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m.

Item 2. The Commission approved the minutes from the August 27, 2020, meeting as presented.

Item 3. Mr. Cobb gave an overview of current staff activities. This included discussion of the training activities carried out in 2020, the impending launch of the 2020 annual financial disclosure season, and lobbying registration activity.

Item 4. Mr. Cobb gave an overview of the status of the Commission’s ethics bill, introduced by then Council-Chair Katz on December 1, with reference to the recent enactment of Councilmember Friedson’s ethics bill.

Item 5. The Ethics Commission, by unanimous vote, selected Susan Beard to be the new Chair of the Commission with Bruce Romer to be Vice Chair.

Respectfully Submitted,

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