

**SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS**

**KERN COUNTY**

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC INITIATIVES**

1115 Truxtun Ave., Bakersfield, CA  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor Human Resources Test Room

Meeting  
Monday, March 13, 2017

2:00 PM

**COMMITTEE CONVENED**

- 1) Call to order –

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY JASON WIEBE AT 2:03 P.M.

- 2) Roll call

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: MICK GLEASON, DAVID COUCH, GENE VOILAND; AND DR. MICHAEL WAY (NON-VOTING) AND LAUREN SKIDMORE (NON-VOTING)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT: NONE

COMMITTEE STAFF PRESENT: JASON WIEBE, GURUJODHA KHALSA,

Other in attendance: County Administrative Office: Nancy Lawson, Assistant County Administrative Officer,; Amanda Ruiz, Analyst II, Keri Pharris, Principal HR Analyst; Jordan Goh, Analyst I; Devin Brown, Chief Human Resources Officer; Behavioral Health: Benjamin Rutherford, Coordinator of Administrative and Legislative Affairs

- 3) Minutes for November 14, 2016 – APPROVED

Couch – Voiland: All Ayes

- 4) Lean Six Sigma Deployment Plan–

HEARD PRESENTATION OF SIX MONTH DEPLOYMENT PLAN FOR 200 COUNTY LEADERS/MANAGERS BY SENIOR ANALYST JASON WIEBE

- 5) Report on PerformLA partnership and training –

HEARD PRESENTATION BY ANALYST JORDAN GOH AND PRINCIPAL HR ANALYST KERI PHARRIS ABOUT WEEK-LONG CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT CLASS SPONSORED BY THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES

- 6) Report on Pilot Continuous Process Improvement Project with Kern County Treasurer/Tax Collector –  
HEARD PRESENTATION BY ANALYST II AMANDA RUIZ AND COORDINATOR OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, BEN RUTHERFORD. COMMENTS AND SUPPORT OF PROJECT PROVIDED BY KERN COUNTY TREASURER/TAX COLLECTOR JORDAN KAUFMAN
  
- 7) Report on Planning and Natural Resources Project –  
HEARD PRESENTATION BY DIRECTOR OF PLANNING AND NATURAL RESOURCES LORELEI OVIATT
  
- 8) Public Comment –  
  
NONE
  
- 9) Committee Member Announcements or Reports –  
  
NONE
  
- 10) Adjourn –

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 2:57 P.M.

/s/ Jason Wiebe