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3 messages

Ken Greenwood <kg@d-web.com>
To: BOS Clerk Jim Mitrisin <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

Dear Board of Supervisors,

In these difficult times... I found it is DIFFICULT (near impossible) to "participate" in your meeting today without knowing the "Secret Code" that is not comm masses.

I was trying to shed some light on Item 32 to a local Chat Page on Facebook and suggested that interested parties could participate in the meeting via "Zoom". You might want to do something better to allow Public Participation on your meetings or perhaps face some Brown Act issues "in these trying times"...

I was trying to guide people to participate the meeting, I went to the BOS Home Page and discovered there is NO explanation or Link(s) to the ZOOM connection went to the Legistar page and there was nothing to assist in this effort.

FINALLY I recalled the e-mail sent LAST FRIDAY had the access info and copied the following to the discussion in the Post...

UPDATED PUBLIC PARTICIPATION INSTRUCTIONS: To comply with social distancing requirements and the stay at home order from the Governor, the Board is closed to members of the public and all public participation will be handled remotely.

The public should call into 530-621-7603 or 530-621-7610. The Meeting ID is 972 164 395.

To observe the live stream of the Board of Supervisors meeting go to <https://zoom.us/j/972164395>.

If you are joining the meeting via zoom and wish to make a comment on an item, press the "raise a hand" button. If you are joining the meeting by phone indicate a desire to make a comment. The clerk will call you by the last three digits of your phone number when it is your turn to comment. Speakers will have 3 minutes.

By participating in this meeting, you acknowledge that you are being recorded.

Simple!!! not REALLY AND truly NOT ACCESSABLE to someone unfamiliar with your process.

SUGGESTION:

- PASTE this information all over the place!!
- Put a link onto Legistar on every page.

Otherwise I think you might well have some Brown Act issues. You don't need that in these difficult times.

BTW: I was cut off last week to provide input to Item 21,

Supervisor Veerkamp recommending the Board: 1) Approve and authorize his signature on a Proclamation recognizing April 2020 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month; and 2) Remind everyone to rescheduled date for the "Walk a Mile in Her Shoes" fundraising event to be held later this summer at 10:00am at Town Hall in Placerville. (Est. Time: 10 Min.)

I called in, pressed 9# and the machine told me I was in the Que and Kim didn't see I was there...

>> THEREFORE I request 3 minute (additional) in Open Forum to speak to that topic. It has deep meaning to me.

Thank you,

Ken Greenwood
Concerned Citizen of District II

EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us> Tue, Apr 14, 2020 at 8:34 AM
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EDC COB <edc.cob@edcgov.us> Tue, Apr 14, 2020 at 8:35 AM
To: Ken Greenwood <kg@d-web.com>

Thank you. I have forwarded your email to the Supervisors.

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