



Monterey County

Washington, D.C.
Meeting Location and
Times Are Noted Below

Action Minutes - Draft Legislative Committee

Tuesday, March 6, 2018

11:30 AM

Washington D.C. 20015

SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m.

1. Review topics for meetings with the offices of Senator Feinstein, Senator Harris, and Representative Panetta.

11:30 a.m. Offices of Nossaman LLP
1666 K St., NW - 5th Floor

2. Meet with Monterey County's federal legislative delegation to discuss County and Member 2018 Legislative Priorities.

1:00 p.m. U.S. Senator Kamala Harris, Legislative Staff
Hart Senate Office Building, Room 112

2:30 p.m. U.S. Representative Jimmy Panetta
Cannon House Office Building, Room 228

4:00 p.m. U.S. Senator Dianne Feinstein, Legislative Staff
Hart Senate Office Building, Room 331

ACTIONS:

- Met with Rep. Panetta and his staff, and staff from the offices of Sen. Feinstein and Sen. Harris, to discuss issues related to immigration policy, Department of Justice actions against sanctuary jurisdictions, cannabis banking, and federal disaster assistance, especially concerns with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) reimbursement process.
- Directed staff and Brent Heberlee (Nossaman LLP) to provide follow up information to staff from each office on the FEMA reimbursement issue, and on a possible letter to FEMA to highlight the County's concerns with the slow pace of the reimbursement process.
- Directed staff and Nossaman to work with Rep. Panetta's office to explore options for assisting the U.S. Forest Service to maintain fire breaks in the Los Padres National Forest.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.