

# KUOW, FISC Committee October 24 Meeting RSVP REQUIRED

KUOW Oct 24, 2023 at 3:30 PM PDT to Oct 24, 2023 at 4:30 PM PDT

# Agenda DEI Lens Qs (Pre-Meeting Reading)

**DEI** Lens Questions

*Encourage all Board members to consider these guiding questions as they engage in their work:* What would be my default decision or solution in this situation? 0 Who benefits from this default approach? 0 Whose perspectives are missing? 0 What steps will I take to make a more equitable decision or design a more equitable 0 solution? I. Welcome and Call to Order 3:30 PM A. Invitation to Disclose Possible Conflicts of Interest **B. Invitation for Additional Meeting Topics** C. Approval of Aug 24th FISC Meeting Minutes **II.** Committee Business A. Bernstein Quarterly Report & Presentation 3:35 PM 1. ESG Investments 2. ESG Bond Investments 3. Confirm Corrected Investment Allocations III. Station Investment Check In 3:55 PM **IV. Next Steps & Meeting Topics** A. Topics for EXEC Meeting V. Public Comment/ Executive Session 4:05 PM VI. Adjourn



APPROVED KUOW, Financial Investment Subcommittee October 24 Meeting Minutes KUOW – Virtual & In-Person |Oct 24, 2023 at 3:30 PM PDT In-Person Location | Rita Koontz Community Center Virtual Location | Zoom

# <u>Attendance</u>

Members Present: Mark Ashida, Christopher Jay, Sharon Kioko, David Chan

**Staff Present:** Ryleigh Brimhall, Shawnteasha Crow, Jessica Dial, Fieta Robinson, Kerry Swanson, Annette Promes

Guest Present: Aaron Marberg,

Members of the Public: n/a

#### I) Welcome and Call to Order

- a) Mr. Ashida called the meeting to order at 3:33 PM.
- b) Invitation to Disclose Possible Conflicts of Interest
  - i) Mr. Ashida asked the Committee to disclose any possible conflicts of interest, and none were expressed.
- c) Invitation for Additional Meeting Topics
  - i) Mr. Ashida asked the Committee for additional topics; none were expressed.
- d) Approval of Aug 24th FISC Meeting Minutes
  - Motion: Mr. Ashida called for a motion to approve the August 24th Committee Draft Minutes. The motion was moved by David Chan and motion seconded by Christopher Jay. With no objections, the minutes were approved.

#### II) Committee Business

- a) Bernstein Quarterly Report & Presentation
  - i) Mr. Ashida welcomed a speaker from Bernstein, Mr. Marberg, who filled in Mr. Patenaude's absence to present and review the KUOW portfolio for Q3. Mr. Marberg shared that Q3 ended with a standard return on stocks and bonds at an average of 3.9%. Mr. Patnaude then went into a historical review of what took place in July, August, and September of 2023. The market experienced a modest inflation deceleration, and economic growth will slow through the end of 2023.

#### III) Station Investment Check-In

a) There was no new KUOW financial information since the Finance Committee Meeting on October 19th.

# IV) Next Steps & Meeting Topics

- a) Topics for the EXEC Meeting
  - i) Mr. Ashida decided to bring the Q3 Bernstein Update to the Executive Meeting.

# V) Public Comment

a) Mr. Ashida asked if there were any members of the public for public comment. There were no members of the public, and no public comment was made.

# VI) Open Session Adjourn/Executive Session

a) Mr. Ashida adjourned the public portion of the meeting at 4:00 PM and went into Executive Session to speak on proprietary financial information.

# VII) Closed Session Adjourn

a) Mr. Ashida adjourned the executive session of the meeting at 4:07 PM.