INDEPENDENT ETHICS PANEL CITY OF SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA

In Re Ethics Complaint re Guy Phillips

ORDER VACATING HEARING DATE and REQUESTING SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEFING

Revised Date and Time of Hearing: TO BE DETERMINED

- 1. This Order is provided to
 - a. the Complainant Mr. Norton,
 - b. the Respondent City Council Member Mr. Phillips,
 - c. City Attorney Sherry Scott,
 - d. Mayor W.J. "Jim" Lane,
 - e. City Council Members:
 - i. Suzanne Klapp
 - ii. Virginia Korte
 - iii. Kathy Littlefield
 - iv. Linda Milhaven
 - v. Guy Phillips
 - vi. Solange Whitehead
 - f. Timothy La Sota

2. The evidentiary hearing previously set for May 14, 2020 is VACATED. The Independent Ethics Panel will provide notice of any future hearing in due course.

3. The Panel directs the Respondent, Mr. Phillips, to answer the following questions, in writing, on or before Monday, May 4:

Whether payments made by the GoFundMe account in October 2019 constitute a gift or personal benefit that must be declared under Section 14-135(e) of the Scottsdale Revised Code. If you believe the answer is no, please provide your reasoning. If the answer is yes, did you declare the payments in writing with the city clerk's office within five (5) business days of acceptance? If so, please furnish

documentation of the declaration. If not, please explain why you did not make a timely declaration.

4. Third persons, including but not limited to the Complainant, Mr. Norton, may submit a response to Mr. Phillips's answers to the questions in #3 above, no later than seven (7) calendar days after receiving a copy of Mr. Phillips's answers.

5. Mr. Phillips and any person submitting a response under #4 above shall make their submissions by email to attorney Robert Ellman at <u>rle@elgarizona.com</u>. Mr. Ellman shall promptly forward copies of submissions by email to all parties in # 1 above.

6. The Request for Reconsideration of Motion to Dismiss the Complaint remains under consideration.

/S/_____ J. Kenneth Mangum, Panel Chair Cecil Patterson, Panel Member Lawrence Fleischman, Panel Member April 24, 2020