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## MassVentures

# Minutes

## MassVentures Board Meeting

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### Date and Time

Thursday January 6, 2022 at 8:00 AM

### Location

308 Congress Street (if in person)

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Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84004244492?pwd=R1ZDenNFTWV6TElyckYxMk9mN0Vsdz09>

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### Directors Present

C. Bouthot (remote), D. Schultheis (remote), J. Hoch (remote), J. Kenney (remote), J. O'Reilly (remote), M. Valanzola (remote), R. Jarquin (remote), S. Asker (remote), W. Asher (remote)

### Directors Absent

C. Stepno, J. Lee, M. Attia, M. James, N. Collins

### Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

D. Schultheis

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## Directors who left before the meeting adjourned

J. Kenney

## Guests Present

C. Hipwood (remote), J. Madison (remote), M. Wilcox (remote), P. Yadav (remote), S. Swider (remote), V. Nijhawan (remote)

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## I. Opening Items

### A. Call the Meeting to Order

S. Asker called a meeting of the board of directors of MassVentures to order on Thursday Jan 6, 2022 at 8:02 AM.

### B. Examples of Mission

Mr. Hipwood provided some examples of MassVentures mission.

## II. Approvals

### A. Board Minutes

W. Asher made a motion to approve the minutes from MassVentures Board Meeting on 11-18-21.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

#### Roll Call

M. Valanzola	Aye
M. Attia	Absent
R. Jarquin	Aye
S. Asker	Aye
W. Asher	Aye
J. Kenney	Abstain
C. Stepno	Absent
J. O'Reilly	Aye
N. Collins	Absent
C. Bouthot	Aye
J. Hoch	Aye
J. Lee	Absent
M. James	Absent
D. Schultheis	Absent

### B. Pre-investment action sheet - Paerpay

W. Asher made a motion to Approve the Pre-Investment action sheet for Paerpay.

J. O'Reilly seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

J. Hoch	Aye
J. Lee	Absent
M. Attia	Absent
S. Asker	Aye
W. Asher	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
N. Collins	Absent
J. O'Reilly	Aye
J. Kenney	Aye
C. Stepno	Absent
R. Jarquin	Aye
C. Bouthot	Aye
D. Schultheis	Absent
M. James	Absent

**C. Pre-Investment Action Sheet - Jebbit**

J. O'Reilly made a motion to Approve the Pre-Investment action sheet for Jebbit.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

J. Lee	Absent
M. James	Absent
J. O'Reilly	Aye
N. Collins	Absent
J. Kenney	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
S. Asker	Aye
R. Jarquin	Aye
J. Hoch	Aye
W. Asher	Aye
C. Bouthot	Aye
M. Attia	Absent
C. Stepno	Absent
D. Schultheis	Absent

**D. Pre-Investment Action Sheet - ClearGov**

J. O'Reilly made a motion to Approve the Pre-Investment action sheet for ClearGov.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

N. Collins	Absent
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**Roll Call**

J. O'Reilly Aye  
S. Asker Aye  
D. Schultheis Absent  
M. James Absent  
J. Lee Absent  
M. Attia Absent  
C. Bouthot Aye  
M. Valanzola Aye  
J. Kenney Abstain  
W. Asher Aye  
R. Jarquin Aye  
C. Stepno Absent  
J. Hoch Aye

**III. Financial Matters**

**A. Treasurer's Report**

Mr. Madison presented the Treasurer's report. Discussion ensued.

**B. Approve Treasurer's Report**

J. O'Reilly made a motion to Approve the Treasurer's report.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

D. Schultheis Absent  
C. Stepno Absent  
M. James Absent  
M. Valanzola Aye  
C. Bouthot Aye  
J. Lee Absent  
S. Asker Aye  
W. Asher Aye  
M. Attia Absent  
J. Hoch Aye  
N. Collins Absent  
J. Kenney Abstain  
J. O'Reilly Aye  
R. Jarquin Aye

**IV. Executive Session**

**A. Roll Call Vote to Enter Executive Session**

W. Asher made a motion to Enter into Executive Session to discuss confidential financial matters related to applicants of MassVentures' funds.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

D. Schultheis Absent  
J. Kenney Aye  
R. Jarquin Aye  
J. Hoch Aye  
N. Collins Absent  
M. Valanzola Aye  
W. Asher Aye  
M. James Absent  
C. Bouthot Aye  
M. Attia Absent  
C. Stepno Absent  
S. Asker Aye  
J. O'Reilly Aye  
J. Lee Absent

D. Schultheis arrived at 8:19 AM.

**B. Seaspire - Discussion for Potential Investment Approval - Amendment**

Ms. Yadav presented an update for Seaspire. Discussion ensued.

**C. Vote - Seaspire Potential Investment Amendment**

M. Valanzola made a motion to Approve investment in Seaspire.

J. Kenney seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**D. Concerto - Discussion for Potential Follow On Investment**

Mr. Nijhawan presented information for a potential follow-on investment in Concerto.

Discussion ensued.

**E. Concerto - Vote Regarding Potential Follow On Investment**

W. Asher made a motion to Approve investment in Concerto.

J. Kenney seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**F. Libbo (Prolific Works) and Harvest Automation - Potential Sale of Shares**

Mr. Hipwood presented opportunities to sell shares in Libboo (Prolific Works) and Harvest Automation. Discussion ensued.

**G.**

### **Vote: Libboo Sale of Shares**

W. Asher made a motion to Approve sale of shares in Libboo (Prolific Works).

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

#### **Roll Call**

M. James	Absent
R. Jarquin	Aye
D. Schultheis	Aye
N. Collins	Absent
C. Bouthot	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
M. Attia	Absent
S. Asker	Aye
J. Kenney	Abstain
C. Stepno	Absent
W. Asher	Aye
J. O'Reilly	Aye
J. Lee	Absent
J. Hoch	Aye

### **H. Vote: Harvest Automation Sale of Shares**

R. Jarquin made a motion to Approve sale of shares in Harvest Automation.

C. Bouthot seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

#### **Roll Call**

S. Asker	Aye
J. Lee	Absent
C. Bouthot	Aye
D. Schultheis	Aye
M. James	Absent
C. Stepno	Absent
N. Collins	Absent
M. Attia	Absent
J. O'Reilly	Aye
J. Kenney	Abstain
R. Jarquin	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
J. Hoch	Aye
W. Asher	Aye

### **I. Discuss Potential Sale of Shares in Ginkgo Bioworks**

Mr. Hipwood presented a strategy for selling public shares in Ginkgo Bioworks (NYSE:DNA) once the lockup expires. Discussion ensued.

**J. Vote on Sale of Shares in Ginkgo Bioworks**

R. Jarquin made a motion to Approve sale of shares in Ginkgo.

W. Asher seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**K. Preview - Optiva**

Ms. Swider presented a preview of Optiva. Discussion ensued.

**L. Pipeline Report**

J. Kenney left at 9:19 AM.

**M. Portfolio Update**

Mr. Hipwood presented an update on the existing portfolio companies. Discussion ensued.

**N. Roll Call Vote to Return to Open Session**

W. Asher made a motion to Return to Open Session.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

C. Bouthot	Aye
J. O'Reilly	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
M. James	Absent
M. Attia	Absent
R. Jarquin	Aye
W. Asher	Aye
N. Collins	Absent
J. Hoch	Aye
S. Asker	Aye
D. Schultheis	Aye
J. Kenney	Absent
J. Lee	Absent
C. Stepno	Absent

**V. Conflicts of Interest**

**A. Conflicts**

Mr. Hipwood highlighted new companies under consideration for MassVentures' funds and asked for any conflicts of interest to be announced. No conflicts were noted.

## **VI. President's Report**

### **A. General Update**

Mr. Hipwood provided a general update of MassVentures initiatives. Discussion ensued.

### **B. Marketing/Messaging Update**

Ms. Wilcox provided an update of marketing efforts.

### **C. MV Capital Update**

### **D. MV Accelerate Update**

### **E. Other Updates**

## **VII. Closing Items**

### **A. Adjourn Meeting**

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 9:57 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
W. Asher