



# **MassVentures**

# **Minutes**

# MassVentures Board Meeting

#### **Date and Time**

Monday September 9, 2024 at 8:00 AM

### Location

1075 Main Street, Suite 100 Waltham, MA 02151

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### **Directors Present**

B. Linville-Engler (remote), B. Shim, C. Bouthot (remote), J. Griffin (remote), J. O'Reilly (remote), M. James, M. Valanzola (remote), R. Jarquin (remote), W. Asher, Y. Hao

#### **Directors Absent**

D. Schultheis

### Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

M. James, M. Valanzola

### **Ex Officio Members Present**

S. Stanton

# **Non Voting Members Present**

S. Stanton

### **Guests Present**

C. Hipwood, G. Goldstein (remote), J. Madison, M. Kassaraba, P. Yadav, S. Swider, V. Nijhawan, W. Leslie

# I. Opening Items

### A. Call the Meeting to Order

W. Asher called a meeting of the board of directors of MassVentures to order on Monday Sep 9, 2024 at 8:05 AM.

# **B.** Examples of Mission

Mr. Hipwood provided examples of mission.

# C. Highlights

Mr. Hipwood provided some highlights since the last meeting.

# II. Approvals

### A. Board Minutes

- W. Asher made a motion to approve the minutes from MassVentures Board Meeting on 07-29-24.
- J. O'Reilly seconded the motion.

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

B. Shim Aye D. Schultheis Absent Y. Hao Aye M. Valanzola Absent J. Griffin Abstain R. Jarquin Aye J. O'Reilly Aye C. Bouthot Abstain W. Asher Aye B. Linville-Engler Abstain M. James Absent

### B. Pre-Investment Action Sheet - Osmoses

Y. Hao made a motion to Approve the pre-investment action sheet for Osmoses.

W. Asher seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

W. Asher Aye J. O'Reilly Aye B. Linville-Engler Aye B. Shim Aye C. Bouthot Aye J. Griffin Aye R. Jarquin Aye Y. Hao Aye D. Schultheis Absent M. James Absent M. Valanzola Absent

# C. Pre-Investment Action Sheet - Kytopen

Y. Hao made a motion to Approve the pre-investment action sheet for Kytopen.

W. Asher seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

D. Schultheis Absent R. Jarquin Aye M. Valanzola Absent W. Asher Aye C. Bouthot Aye M. James Absent J. O'Reilly Aye Y. Hao Aye J. Griffin Aye

- B. Linville-Engler Aye
- B. Shim Aye

### D. Pre-Investment Action Sheet - Adden

- Y. Hao made a motion to Approve the pre-investment action sheet for Adden.
- W. Asher seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

- B. Linville-Engler Aye
- J. O'Reilly Aye
- J. Griffin Aye
- R. Jarquin Aye
- C. Bouthot Aye
- D. Schultheis Absent
- M. Valanzola Absent
- M. James Absent
- B. Shim Aye
- Y. Hao
- Aye
- W. Asher Aye
- M. Valanzola arrived at 8:12 AM.

### **III. Financial Matters**

# A. Treasurer's Report

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

# **B.** Approve Treasurer's Report

- Y. Hao made a motion to Approve the Treasurer's report.
- J. O'Reilly seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

- J. Griffin Aye
- B. Linville-Engler Aye
- Y. Hao Aye
- J. O'Reilly Aye
- B. Shim Aye
- D. Schultheis Absent
- M. Valanzola Aye
- W. Asher Aye
- C. Bouthot Aye
- R. Jarquin Aye
- M. James Absent

### **IV. Conflicts of Interest**

### A. Conflicts

Mr. Hipwood presented the investment opportunity pipeline and asked that any conflicts of interest be declared. None were noted.

#### V. Executive Session

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

R. Jarquin made a motion to Enter into Executive Session to discuss confidential information related to applicants of MassVentures' funds.

W. Asher seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

C. Bouthot	Aye
Y. Hao	Aye
R. Jarquin	Aye
M. James	Absent
W. Asher	Aye
D. Schultheis	Absent
B. Shim	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
B. Linville-Engler	Aye
J. O'Reilly	Aye
J. Griffin	Aye

### **B.** Eden Discussion

Mr. Nijhawan presented an update for Eden Geo. Discussion ensued.

# C. Eden Approval

- Y. Hao made a motion to Approve an investment in Eden Geo per the terms of the preinvestment action sheet.
- J. Griffin seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

C. Bouthot	Aye
M. Valanzola	Aye
M. James	Absent
D. Schultheis	Absent
J. O'Reilly	Aye
R. Jarquin	Aye
B. Shim	Ave

B. Linville-Engler AyeJ. Griffin AyeY. Hao AyeW. Asher Aye

Mr. Hipwood noted that Ms. Tonucci and Mr. Berry from MassDevelopment also approved the investment for Comm Fund IV

# D. Z Polymers Investment Discussion

Ms. Swider presented an update on Z Polymers. Discussion ensued.

### E. Z Polymers Investment Vote

W. Asher made a motion to Approve an investment in Z Polymers per the terms of the pre-investment action sheet.

J. Griffin seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

J. O'Reilly Aye M. Valanzola Aye C. Bouthot Aye B. Linville-Engler Aye W. Asher Aye R. Jarquin Aye J. Griffin Aye M. James Absent D. Schultheis Absent Y. Hao Aye B. Shim Aye

# F. Versatope Investment Discussion

Ms. Swider presented an overview of Versatope for potential investment. Discussion ensued.

# G. Versatope Investment Vote

Y. Hao made a motion to Approve an investment in Versatope per the terms of the preinvestment action sheet.

M. Valanzola seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

M. Valanzola Aye
W. Asher Aye
J. O'Reilly Aye
M. James Absent

Y. Hao Aye
C. Bouthot Aye
D. Schultheis Absent
J. Griffin Aye
B. Shim Aye
R. Jarquin Aye
B. Linville-Engler Aye

M. James arrived at 8:50 AM.

# H. Infinite Cooling Investment Discussion

Ms. Yadav presented an opportunity for potential investment in Infinite Cooling. Discussion ensued.

### I. Infinite Cooling Investment Vote

Y. Hao made a motion to Approve an investment in Infinite Cooling per the terms of the pre-investment action sheet.

W. Asher seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

Y. Hao Aye R. Jarquin Aye B. Linville-Engler Aye B. Shim Aye M. James Aye C. Bouthot Aye J. O'Reilly Aye W. Asher Aye D. Schultheis Absent J. Griffin Aye M. Valanzola Aye

### J. Lambent Investment Discussion

Mr. Hipwood provided an update on Lambent. Discussion ensued.

#### K. Raven360 Investment Discussion

Mr. Hipwood provided an update on Raven360. Discussion ensued.

### L. Lambent Investment Vote

Y. Hao made a motion to Approve an investment in Lambent per the terms of the preinvestment action sheet.

R. Jarquin seconded the motion.

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

W. Asher Aye R. Jarquin Aye Y. Hao Aye M. James Aye J. O'Reilly Aye B. Shim Aye J. Griffin Aye C. Bouthot Aye B. Linville-Engler Aye D. Schultheis Absent M. Valanzola Aye

### M. Marble Preview

Mr. Nijhawan presented a preview of Marble. Discussion ensued.

### N. Materialize Bio Preview

Mr. Nijhawan presented a preview of Materialize Bio. Discussion ensued.

### O. Pipeline Report

# P. Portfolio Update

The MassVentures team provided updates on all portfolio companies along with any changes in valuations. Discussion ensued.

# Q. Roll Call Vote to Return to Open Session

R. Jarquin made a motion to Return to open session.

W. Asher seconded the motion.

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

# Roll Call

J. Griffin Aye M. James Aye Y. Hao Aye C. Bouthot Aye R. Jarquin Aye W. Asher Aye B. Linville-Engler Aye M. Valanzola Aye B. Shim Aye J. O'Reilly Aye D. Schultheis Absent

# VI. President's Report

# A. General Update

Mr. Hipwood provided a general update on the business.

# **B. MV Capital Update**

Mr. Hipwood provided an update on capital programs.

# C. MV Accelerate Update

Mr. Hipwood provided an update on MV Accelerate programs.

# D. Strategy Discussion

Mr. Hipwood provided an update on the FY 25 and Beyond strategy. Discussion ensued.

# 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 10:45 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

W. Asher