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Date: Tuesday, October 1, 2024, 5:00 p.m.

Location: Council Chambers, 276 Fourth Avenue, Chula Vista, CA

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Time Allotted for Speaking (subject to change by the presiding officer)

Consent Calendar (any or all items): 3 minutes
Agenda Items (not on Consent): 3 minutes
General Public Comment (not on agenda): 3 minutes

Individuals who use a translator will be allotted twice the time.

**General Public Comments:** Twenty-one (21) minutes are scheduled near the beginning of the meeting. The first seven (7) speakers will be heard during the first Public Comment period. If there are additional speakers registered, they will be heard during the continued Public Comment period. If all registered speakers present at the time address the City Council during the first Public Comment period, there will be no continued Public Comment period.

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## **GETTING TO KNOW YOUR AGENDA**

#### **AGENDA SECTIONS**

**Consent Calendar** items are routine items that are not expected to prompt discussion. All items are considered for approval at the same time with one vote. Before the vote, there is no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the City Council or staff removes the item from the Consent Calendar.

**Public Comment** provides an opportunity to address the City Council on any matter not listed on the agenda that is within the jurisdiction of the City Council. Under the Brown Act, the City Council cannot take action on matters not listed on the agenda.

**Public Hearings** are held on matters specifically required by law.

**Action Items** are items expected to cause discussion and/or action by the City Council but do not legally require a public hearing.

**Closed Session** may only be attended by members of the City Council, support staff, legal counsel, and others as specified on the agenda. Closed session may be held only in very limited circumstances as authorized by law.

## **CITY COUNCIL ACTIONS:**

**Resolutions** are formal expressions of opinion or intention of the City Council and are usually effective immediately.

*Ordinances* are laws adopted by the City Council. Ordinances usually amend, repeal, or supplement the Municipal Code; provide zoning specifications; or appropriate money for specific purposes. Most ordinances require two hearings and go into effect 30 days after the final approval.

**Proclamations** are issued by the City to honor significant achievements by community members, highlight an event, promote awareness of community issues, and recognize City employees.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG AND MOMENT OF SILENCE
- 4. SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY
  - 4.1 Oath of Office

Measure A Citizens' Oversight Committee

- Mayra Estrada
- 4.2 Presentation by Veterans Elementary School Regarding the 17th Annual Honor Our Veterans Parade
- 5. CONSENT CALENDAR (Items 5.1 through 5.7)

Consent calendar items are considered together and acted upon by one motion. There is no separate discussion of these items unless the Mayor or a City Councilmember removes the item from the consent calendar. Items removed from the consent calendar will be heard as action items.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

City Council approve the recommended action on the below consent calendar items.

# 5.1 Approve Meeting Minutes

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Approve the minutes dated: September 17, 2024

5.2 Waive Reading of Text of Resolutions and Ordinances

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Approve a motion to read only the title and waive the reading of the text of all resolutions and ordinances at this meeting.

# 5.3 Consider Requests for Excused Absences

Councilmember Morineau from the September 10, 2024 City Council meeting.

### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Consider requests for excused absences as appropriate.

5.4 Unsheltered Policy: Adopt an Ordinance to Restrict Campsites and Sitting, Lying, Sleeping, or Storage on Specified Public Property

Report Number: 24-0066

Location: No specific geographic location

**Department:** Housing and Homeless Services

G.C. § 84308: No

**Environmental Notice:** The activity is not a "Project" as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act State Guidelines; therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3) no environmental review is required.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Adopt an ordinance as amended to increase references to buffers from 500 feet to 1,000 feet surrounding public and private schools, City parks, emergency/transitional housing facilities, and major transit stops. (Second Reading and Adoption)

5.5 Conflict of Interest Code: Modify the List of Officials, Candidates, and Designated Employees Required to File Statements of Economic Interests (Form 700) and Their Disclosure Categories, and Amend the Conflict of Interest Code Under CVMC 2.02

Report Number: 24-0227

**Location**: No Specific Geographical Location

**Department:** City Clerk & City Attorney

G.C. § 84308: No

**Environmental Notice:** The activity is not a "Project" as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act State Guidelines; therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3) no environmental review is required.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Adopt the following resolution and place the ordinance on first reading:

- A) Resolution modifying the appendix to the Conflict of Interest Code, which lists the officials, candidates, and designated employees who are required to file periodic Statements of Economic Interests (Form 700) and their disclosure categories, and
- B) Ordinance amending Chula Vista Municipal Code Chapter 2.02 relating to the Conflict of Interest Code (First Reading)
- 5.6 Agreements: Approve Amendments to Various Legal Services Agreements to Provide On-Call and Other Legal Services

Report Number: 24-0258

**Location:** No specific geographical location

**Department:** City Attorney

G.C. § 84308: Yes

**Environmental Notice:** The activity is not a "Project" as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") State Guidelines; therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3) no environmental review is required.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Adopt a resolution approving the amendments to the Legal Services Agreements with: 1) McDougal, Boehmer, Foley, Lyon, & Mitchell for a not-to-exceed amount of \$150,000; and 2) Lounsbery Ferguson Altona & Peak for a not-to-exceed amount of \$360,000.

5.7 Grant Award and Appropriation: Accept Grant Funds from the California Office of Traffic Safety for the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program and Amend the Fiscal Year 2024-25 Budget to Appropriate Funds Therefor

Report Number: 2024-0254

**Location:** No specific geographic location

**Department:** Police

G.C. § 84308: No

**Environmental Notice:** The activity is not a "Project" as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act State Guidelines; therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3) no environmental review is required.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Adopt a resolution approving a grant agreement between the City and California Office of Traffic Safety, accepting \$645,000 in grant funds for the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program, and appropriating \$486,478 to the Police Grants Section of the Federal Grants Fund. (4/5 Vote Required)

#### 6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Twenty-one minutes are scheduled for the public to address the City Council for three minutes each on any matter within the jurisdiction of the City Council that is not on the agenda. The remaining speakers, if any, will be heard during the continued Public Comment period.

## 7. PUBLIC HEARINGS

7.1 Proposed Vacation: Approve the Vacation of a Portion of Unnamed Street/Alley of Rosebank Subdivision, Adjacent to 130 First Avenue

Report Number: 24-0224

Location: 130 First Avenue

**Department:** Development Services

G.C. § 84308: Yes

**Environmental Notice:** The Project qualifies for a Class 5 Categorical Exemption pursuant to Section 15305 (Minor Alterations in Land Use Limitations) of the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") State Guidelines.

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Conduct the public hearing and adopt a resolution approving the vacation of a portion of unnamed street/alley of Rosebank Subdivision, adjacent to 130 First Avenue.

## 8. ACTION ITEMS

## 8.1 Consider Items Removed From the Consent Calendar, if Any

Consider items removed from the consent calendar by the Mayor or a City Councilmember, if any. If no items were removed from the consent calendar, this item will be withdrawn.

# 8.2 Measure G: Consider Taking a Position on Initiative Measure G, "Fund San Diego County Transportation, Infrastructure, and Safety Projects Through a Half-Cent Sales Tax"

G.C. § 84308: No

**Environmental Notice:** The activity is not a "Project" as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act State Guidelines. Therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(C)(3) no environmental review is required.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Discuss the matter and consider taking a position on Measure G.

## 9. PUBLIC COMMENTS (CONTINUED)

There will be no continued Public Comment period if all speakers present at the first Public Comment period are heard.

- 10. CITY MANAGER'S REPORTS
- 11. MAYOR'S REPORTS
- 12. COUNCILMEMBERS' REPORTS

# 12.1 Deputy Mayor Gonzalez:

Consider Forming a City Council Subcommittee on Economic Development

**G.C.** § 84308: No

**Environmental Notice:** The activity is not a "Project" as defined under Section 15378 of the California Environmental Quality Act State Guidelines. Therefore, pursuant to State Guidelines Section 15060(C)(3) no environmental review is required.

#### RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Consider forming the subcommittee.

- 13. CITY CLERK'S REPORTS
- 14. CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORTS
- 15. CLOSED SESSION

Announcements of actions taken in closed session shall be made available by noon on the next business day following the City Council meeting at the City Attorney's office in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act (Government Code 54957.7)

## 15.1 Conference with Labor Negotiators Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6

Agency designated representatives: Maria Kachadoorian, Courtney Chase, Sarah Schoen, Tanya Tomlinson, and Marco Verdugo

Employee organization/Unrepresented Employee(s): IAFF, MM/PR, MMUC, MMCF, PRUC, PRCF, WCE, CITY MANAGER, EXEC

## 16. ADJOURNMENT

to the regular City Council meeting on October 8, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

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