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# MINUTES

## CITY COUNCIL CLOSED SESSION AND SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY OF COACHELLA THE COUNCIL SITTING AS THE COACHELLA SANITARY DISTRICT, COACHELLA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, COACHELLA FINANCING AUTHORITY, COACHELLA EDUCATIONAL AND GOVERNMENTAL ACCESS CABLE CHANNEL CORPORATION, COACHELLA WATER AUTHORITY, AND SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE COACHELLA REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

### August 04, 2021 5:00 PM

## CALL TO ORDER:

The Special Meeting of the City Council of the City of Coachella was called to order at 5:05 p.m. by Mayor Hernandez.

#### ROLL CALL:

<u>Present</u>: Councilmember Beaman Jacinto (*arrived at 5:06 p.m.*), Councilmember Delgado, Councilmember Galarza (*arrived at 5:09 p.m.*), Mayor Pro Tem Gonzalez, and Mayor Hernandez.

Absent: City Treasurer Aviles, and City Clerk Zepeda.

Pursuant to Executive Orders N-29-20 and N-08-21 pertaining to the coronavirus/COVID-19, this meeting was conducted in-person and via teleconference/electronically.

#### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

| Motion:      | To approve the agenda as <b>presented</b> .  |
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| Made by:     | Mayor Pro Tem Gonzalez   |
| Seconded by: | Councilmember Delgado  |
| Approved:    | 4-0, by a unanimous roll call vote:  |
| AYES:        | Councilmember Beaman Jacinto (arrived at this time during the vote), Councilmember |
|              | Delgado, Mayor Pro Tem Gonzalez, and Mayor Hernandez.                              |
| NOES:        | None.  |
| ABSTAIN:     | None.  |
| ABSENT:      | Councilmember Galarza.   |

## PUBLIC COMMENTS (CLOSED SESSION ITEMS):

None.

#### **ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION:**

Council adjourned into Closed Session at 5:07 p.m. to discuss the following items:

(Councilmember Galarza arrived at 5:09 p.m. and left the meeting after Item 1.)

- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL EXISTING LITIGATION Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1) *City of Coachella v. Chia Hung Lai, et al.* Riverside Superior Court, PSC 1805142
- 2. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54957.6:

City Labor Negotiator: City Manager Gabriel Martin; Human Resources Manager Sandy Krause; Public Works Director Maritza Martinez; and Finance Director Nathan Statham

Employee Organization: Teamsters Local 1932 Representing Mid-Management Employees

3. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54957.6:

City Labor Negotiator: City Manager Gabriel Martin; Human Resources Manager Sandy Krause; Public Works Director Maritza Martinez; and Finance Director Nathan Statham

Employee Organization: Teamsters Local 1932 Representing Miscellaneous/Sanitary Employees

#### **RECONVENE SPECIAL MEETING:**

The City Council reconvened into open session at 6:11 p.m.

(Councilmember Galarza was absent upon reconvening the meeting.)

#### **CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

City Attorney Campos stated that Council met in Closed Session, and direction was given, but no reportable action was taken.

#### **ADJOURNMENT:**

There being no further business to come before the City Council and the Agencies, Mayor Hernandez adjourned the meeting at 6:11 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrea J. Carranza, MMC Deputy City Clerk