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City Council Adjourned Regular Meeting - Closed Session

Tuesday, February 2, 2021 4:30PM

Mayor Hadley: Welcome everybody to our Adjourned Regular Meeting it's Tuesday, February 2, 2021 at 4:30PM. I'd like to call this meeting to order. And we'll have the Pledge of Allegiance with the beautiful waving Old Glory in the background. Council if you would like to mute your cameras, you're welcome to stand up, place your hand over your heart and start after me. One minute we'll be there. Thank you. I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America. And to the republic, for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all. Thank you everybody. And now our City Clerk, Liza Tamura, can you do a roll call please of Council?

City Clerk Tamura: Yes, Councilmember Napolitano

Councilmember Napolitano: Here

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Montgomery

Councilmember Montgomery: Here

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Franklin

Councilmember Franklin: Here

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Pro Tem Stern

Mayor Pro Tem Stern: Here

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Hadley

Mayor Hadley: And I am here. Thank you. We will move on to letter D which is public comments - 3 minutes per person and you may provide public comment on any matter that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council including items on this Closed Agenda. And Martha Alvarez, our Deputy City Clerk, is there anyone queued up for public comment please?

Sr. Deputy City Clerk Alvarez: No, Madam Mayor we did not receive any public comments for Closed Session and we do not have any request to provide comments at this time.

Mayor Hadley: Thank you very much. We'll move on to letter E, the Closed Session. Bullet point one is we'll have an announcement in Open Session right now of items to be discussed in Closed Session I'll turn this over to our City Attorney, Quinn Barrow.

City Attorney Barrow: Thank you, Mayor. Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6, the City Council will go into closed session to discuss labor negotiations with the employee groups that are identified. Also pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(l), the City Council will discuss existing litigation in the two cases identified on the Agenda.

Mayor Hadley: Thank you, Quinn. We will now recess into Closed Session. Item number two, under letter E. So thank you everybody. When we reconvene back into Open Session we'll have a report on this Closed Session. So colleagues I'll see you in the other link in Closed Session. Bye-bye.

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>> OKAY, I'M READY.

>> THANK YOU, EVERYONE, I LIKE TO RECONVENE BACK IN OPEN SESSION, IT IS FEBRUARY 2ND. 2021.

WE WERE IN CLOSED SESSION AND BACK IN OPEN SESSION AND WE'LL HAVE A CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENT FROM OUR CITY ATTORNEY.

>> THANK YOU, MAYOR, EARLIER THIS AFTERNOON THE COUNCIL WENT INTO CLOSED SESSION.

THREE SEPARATE MATTERS.

THE FIRST PORTION IT WAS -- IT WAS LABOR NEGOTIATIONS AND THE CITY COUNCIL GAVE DIRECTIONS WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS.

THE COUNCIL ALSO RECEIVED A REPORT ON TWO PIECES OF LITIGATION.

THERE WAS NO ACTION TAKEN.

THAT CONCLUDES MY REPORT.

>> THANK YOU SO MUCH, CITY ATTORNEY QUINN BURROW AND WE WILL NOW CONVENE IN OPEN SESSION.

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