

City of Manhattan Beach
City Council
Adjourned Regular Meeting

Monday, October 14, 2024 8:30 AM

Mayor Franklin: Good morning and welcome to City Council Adjourned Regular Meeting for Monday, October 14, at 8:30 AM. May we have the Pledge to Allegiance please? We can all lead ourselves.

Councilmember Napolitano: Everybody's solo.

Mayor Franklin: Ready begin.

All: 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.

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth: You okay?

Mayor Franklin: No, go on.

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth: Oh, why thank you sir.

Mayor Franklin: Okay, --.

Councilmember Napolitano: I waited too.

Mayor Franklin: May we have a roll call please?

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Lesser?

Councilmember Lesser: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Napolitano?

Councilmember Napolitano: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Montgomery?

Councilmember Montgomery: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Pro Tem Howorth?

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Franklin?

Mayor Franklin: Here. And moving on to item D. Approval of the agenda? Do we have a motion to --.

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth and Councilmember Lesser: So moved. Second.

Councilmember Lesser: I defer to the Mayor Pro Tem for making a motion and I will second.

Mayor Franklin: So we have a motion by Mayor Pro Tem Howorth and seconded by Councilmember Lesser. May we have a vote?

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Lesser?

Councilmember Lesser: Yes.

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Napolitano?

Councilmember Napolitano: Yes.

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Montgomery?

Councilmember Montgomery: Yes.

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Pro Tem Howorth?

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth: Yes.

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Franklin?

Mayor Franklin: Yes.

City Clerk Tamura: Motion passes. 5 – 0.

Mayor Franklin: Okay, we move on to item E, Public Comments. Anybody in the Chambers? No? How about online please?

Assistant City Clerk Alvarez: No request on Zoom.

Mayor Franklin: Okay. So we'll close Public Comments. And we will move on to item F, Closed Session. And we adjourn to Closed Session. Thank you.

Councilmember Lesser: Inaudible.

Assistant City Clerk Alvarez: Mr. Mayor, you have to announce the item in Closed Session.

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth: You got it?

Mayor Franklin: I'm sorry, what?

Councilmember Lesser: The items that are the --.

Mayor Franklin: Oh, I'm sorry. Yes. So the items to be discussed in Closed Session include Public Employment, Government Code Section 54957. Titled City Manager.

[Went into Closed Session]

Mayor Pro Tem Howorth: Reconvening into Open Session from our Closed Session. There are no announcements. We are going to be adjourning this meeting to the regularly scheduled meeting for Tuesday, October 15, it's a Closed Session, beginning at 5:30. Thank you all.

Councilmember Napolitano: Good job Rookie.

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