

**City of Manhattan Beach  
City Council  
Adjourned Regular Meeting  
Wednesday, November 6, 2024 5:00PM**

Mayor Howorth: Thank you very much. Alright, I'd like to call this meeting to order with a Pledge to the Flag. If we could all rise. And if Peter could lead us in the Pledge to the Flag.

Peter: Put your right hand over your heart, 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.

Councilmember Napolitano: No worries. A couple more times.

Mayor Howorth: I know. Alright. Roll call, please.

City Clerk Tamura: Thank you. Councilmember Napolitano?

Councilmember Napolitano: Still here.

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Montgomery?

Councilmember Montgomery: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Councilmember Franklin?

Councilmember Franklin: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Pro Tem Lesser?

Mayor Pro Tem Lesser: Here.

City Clerk Tamura: Mayor Howorth?

Mayor Howorth: Here. Alright. Do I have an approval of the agenda? Motion to approve the agenda? Moved --.

Councilmember Franklin: Second. Oh sorry.

Mayor Howorth: -- by Councilmember Montgomery. Seconded by Councilmember Franklin. Any comments? No. Okay.

City Clerk Tamura: Motion passes. 5-0.

Mayor Howorth: Thank you. At this time, I'd like to ask if there's any Public Comments either in person or on Zoom?

Assistant City Clerk Alvarez: There's no Public Comments.

Mayor Howorth: Excellent. So, Mister City Attorney, are there any announcements about what we are going into Closed Session for?

City Attorney Barrow: Yes, Mayor. Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6, the City Council will now go into Closed Session to have a conference with its Labor Negotiators with respect to the Employee Groups identified on the agenda.

Mayor Howorth: Alright. Thank you so much. At this point we will recess into Closed Session. Thank you.

\*Transcription provided by Jamie Morita, Administrative Clerk, Department of Management Services, City of Manhattan Beach.

CITY ATTORNEY BARROW: We still have to make an announcement on the closed session.

MAYOR HOWORTH: Go ahead. Thank you, Mr. City Attorney.

CITY ATTORNEY BARROW: Thank you. Earlier this evening, the city Council went into closed session to discuss labor negotiations. There was no reportable action taken.

MAYOR HOWORTH: That was riveting. Thank you. So now we're reconvening into open session.

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