

City of Chula Vista

Meeting Minutes - Draft

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

5:00 PM

Council Chambers
276 4th Avenue, Building A
Chula Vista, CA 91910

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

The City Council minutes are prepared and ordered to correspond to the City Council Agenda. Agenda items may be taken out of order during the meeting.

The agenda items at this meeting were considered in the order presented.

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Chula Vista was called to order at 5:01 p.m. in the Council Chambers, located in City Hall, 276 Fourth Avenue, Chula Vista, California.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Councilmember Diaz, Councilmember Galvez, Councilmember McCann, Deputy Mayor Padilla and Mayor Casillas Salas

Also Present: Assistant City Manager Kachadoorian, Deputy City Attorney Silva, City Clerk Bigelow, and Assistant City Clerk Turner

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

Deputy Mayor Padilla led the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Deputy Mayor Padilla left the dais at 5:03 p.m. and returned at 5:35 p.m.

The following members of the public spoke in opposition to the Drag Queen Story Time program:

- John Moore, San Diego resident*
- Andres Wong, Chula Vista resident*
- Mary Mayer-Oakes*
- Diane Chapman, Ramona resident*
- Alexandra Manders, Chula Vista resident*
- Michael Brault, Chula Vista resident*
- Reverend Billy Falling, Chula Vista resident*
- Michelle Huffman, Imperial Beach resident*
- Lillie Hebert, Chula Vista resident*
- Tony Villafranca*
- Estela Stachowitz, Chula Vista resident*

The following members of the public submitted written documentation in opposition to the Drag Queen Story Time program, but declined or were not present to speak:

- William Steffy, Chula Vista resident*
- Eli Komai, San Diego resident*
- Famela Ramos, Chula Vista resident*
- Ruben Serrano, Chula Vista resident*
- Martha Doiron, Chula Vista resident*

Kathy Lippitt, Poway resident, expressed concern regarding vaping and marijuana-related activities in the City and submitted written documentation.

ACTION ITEMS

1. [19-0477](#) RESOLUTION NO. 2019-194 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA APPROVING THE CHULA VISTA BAYFRONT PROJECT FUNDING AGREEMENT BY AND AMONG THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA, THE SAN DIEGO UNIFIED PORT DISTRICT, AND THE CHULA VISTA BAYFRONT FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY WHEREIN THE COUNTY WILL PROVIDE A \$25,000,000 LOAN TO THE CHULA VISTA BAYFRONT PROJECT

Deputy City Manager Kachadoorian gave a brief presentation on the item and answered questions of the Council.

Victor Avina, representing County Supervisor Greg Cox, submitted written documentation in support of the item and did not wish to speak.

ACTION: A motion was made by Mayor Casillas Salas, seconded by Councilmember Galvez, to adopt Resolution No. 2019-194, heading read, text waived. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - Diaz, Galvez, McCann, Padilla and Casillas Salas

No: 0

Abstain: 0

CITY MANAGER'S REPORTS

There were none.

MAYOR'S REPORTS

Mayor Casillas Salas spoke regarding the following events: reception for Consul General Carlos Gonzalez Guterrez, Mana de San Diego fundraising gala, and the grand re-opening of Rico's on Third, a hair salon serving cancer patients with free salon services.

COUNCILMEMBERS' COMMENTS

There were none.

CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORTS

Deputy City Attorney Silva expressed gratitude to Council for its service, and stated City Attorney Googins would be present at the next City Council meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:43 p.m.

Minutes prepared by: Tyshar L. Turner, Assistant City Clerk

Kerry K. Bigelow, MMC, City Clerk