City of Chula Vista

Meeting Minutes - Draft

Thursday, March 5, 2015

4:00 PM

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

CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP

CALL TO ORDER

A Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Chula Vista was called to order at 4:06 p.m. in the Council Chambers, located in City Hall, 276 Fourth Avenue, Chula Vista, California.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Councilmember Aguilar, Deputy Mayor Bensoussan, Councilmember Miesen and

Mayor Salas

Absent: Councilmember McCann

Also Present: City Manager Halbert, City Attorney Googins, City Clerk Norris, and Assistant City Clerk Bigelow

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

Deputy Mayor Bensoussan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were none.

WORKSHOP

15-0071 HEALTHY COMMUNITIES WORKSHOP

- · Healthy Chula Vista Initiative
- New Healthy Communities Assessment Tool
- Healthy Community Planning
- Complete Streets Concepts

Environmental Resource Manager Reed gave a presentation on the item.

Stephan Vance, Senior Regional Planner, representing the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG), gave a presentation on the Healthy Communities Assessment tool. He spoke regarding Chula Vista healthy neighborhood indicators and rankings.

Associate Planner Tessitore-Lopez spoke regarding public health and community planning. Planning Manager Batchelder responded to Council questions regarding general plan updates.

Charlie Gandy, consultant, representing Livable Communities, Inc., gave a presentation regarding the Complete Streets program and options for more bike- and pedestrian-friendly streets.

Councilmembers provided feedback related to healthy community initiatives. Mr. Gandy and Environmental Resource Manager Reed answered questions from the Council regarding the presentations.

Environmental Resource Manager Reed provided information on community partners and the anticipated next steps on items related to healthy communities.

Ofelia Alvarado, representing the American Lung Association, distributed information to the Council and spoke in support of smoke-free housing policies for multi-family housing units.

In response to a question from Councilmember Miesen, Mr. Gandy provided information regarding safety and health concerns related to parking on streets.

ADJOURNMENT

At 5:53 p.m., Mayor Salas adjourned the meeting to the next Regular City Council meeting on March 17, 2015, at 4:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers.

Kerry K. Bigelow, Assistant City Clerk