



Minutes
Rolling Hills City Council
Monday, September 11, 2023
Regular Meeting 7:00 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER

The City Council of the City of Rolling Hills met in person on the above date at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Wilson presiding.

2. ROLL CALL

Councilmembers Present:

Dieringer, Pieper, Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch, Mayor Wilson

Councilmembers Absent:

Black

Staff Present:

David Ready, Interim City Manager

Christian Horvath, City Clerk / Executive Assistant to the City Manager

John Signo, Planning & Community Services Director

Pat Donegan, City Attorney

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mayor Wilson

4. PRESENTATIONS/PROCLAMATIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS – NONE

Councilmember Black arrived at 7:01 p.m.

Mayor Wilson requested a moment of silence in recognition of the 9/11 Anniversary.

5. APPROVE ORDER OF THE AGENDA

Motion by Mayor Wilson, seconded by Councilmember Dieringer to move Item 14C ahead of 14A. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

6. BLUE FOLDER ITEMS (SUPPLEMENTAL)

Motion by Councilmember Dieringer, seconded by Councilmember Pieper to receive and file Blue Folder Item for 14A. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

7. PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

Public Comment: Alfred Visco

8. CONSENT CALENDAR

- 8.A. APPROVE AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING FOR THE CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2023**
- 8.B. APPROVE MOTION TO READ BY TITLE ONLY AND WAIVE FURTHER READING OF ALL ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS LISTED ON THE AGENDA**
- 8.C. APPROVE THE FOLLOWING CITY COUNCIL MINUTES: AUGUST 28, 2023 SPECIAL MEETING; AUGUST 28, 2023 REGULAR MEETING**
- 8.D. PAYMENT OF BILLS**
- 8.E. APPROVE SOUTH BAY CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY'S ANNUAL REQUEST FOR A \$600 CONTRIBUTION IN FISCAL YEAR 23/24**
- 8.F. RECEIVE AND FILE AN UPDATE ON MEASURE W - SAFE CLEAN WATER PROGRAM LOCAL RETURN ALLOCATIONS AND ALLOWABLE APPLICATIONS OR EXPENDITURES**
- 8.G. ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 1348 EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE MENDOZA-CANDELL-PRIFORCE TRIPARTISAN LAND USE INITIATIVE TO AMEND ARTICLE XI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA MAKING ZONING AND LAND USE COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, AND NOT OF STATE INTEREST**

Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch, seconded by Councilmember Black to approve the consent calendar.
Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

9. EXCLUDED CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS – NONE

10. COMMISSION ITEMS – NONE

11. PUBLIC HEARINGS – NONE

12. OLD BUSINESS – NONE

13. NEW BUSINESS

13.A. ACCEPT THE CITY HALL EQUESTRIAN FENCE REPLACEMENT PROJECT #2023-03 AS COMPLETE, FILE NOTICE OF COMPLETION, AND RELEASE RETENTION AFTER 30 DAY LIEN PERIOD TO BENNETT LANDSCAPE

Presentation by City Clerk / Executive Assistant to the City Manager Christian Horvath

Motion by Councilmember Black, seconded by Councilmember Dieringer to approve as presented. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

14. MATTERS FROM THE CITY COUNCIL

14.C DISCUSSION ON LETTER FROM RESIDENTS CHARLIE AND PIA RAINE REGARDING WATER RUNOFF INTO KLONDIKE, LITTLE KLONDIKE AND PAINTBRUSH CANYONS (MAYOR WILSON / MAYOR PRO TEM MIRSCH)

Presentation by City Clerk / Executive Assistant to the City Manager Christian Horvath

Public Comment: Charlie Raine, Abas Goodarzi, Alfred Visco, Jim Partridge

Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch, seconded by Councilmember Dieringer to receive and file. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

14.A UPDATE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS EFFORTS (COUNCILMEMBERS PIEPER & BLACK)

Presentation by City Clerk / Executive Assistant to the City Manager Christian Horvath

Interim City Manager David Ready recommended the creation of an Ad Hoc Committee specific to the Siren activation and deployment policies and procedure.

Public Comment: Marian Visco, Alfred Visco, Abas Goodarzi, Mike Nash

Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch, seconded by Councilmember Dieringer to form an Ad Hoc Committee regarding siren activation and deployment policies and procedures. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch also noted that she would like staff to be engaged in any discussions or negotiations with the City of Rancho Palos Verdes specific to egress from the southern end of Portuguese Bend Road to Burma Road and /or Palos Verdes Drive South. The City Council concurred.

Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch, seconded by Councilmember Dieringer to receive and file. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

14.B DISCUSSION REGARDING RESIDENT'S COMPLAINTS AND CONCERNS ABOUT REPUBLIC SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS (MAYOR PRO TEM MIRSCH)

Presentation by Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch
Interim City Manager David Ready

Public Comment: Abas Goodarzi, Tina Greenberg, Jim Partridge, Stacy Markulis, Heidi Mackenbach, Alfred Visco

Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Mirsch, seconded by Councilmember Dieringer to receive and file. Motion carried unanimously with the following vote:

AYES: Black, Dieringer, Pieper, Mirsch, Mayor Wilson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

15. MATTERS FROM STAFF

16. RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION – 9:12 P.M.

16.A. PERSONNEL PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION (B) 54957 THE CITY COUNCIL MAY MEET IN CLOSED SESSION TO CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT/EMPLOYMENT OF A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE. (CITY MANAGER)

17. RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION – 10:09 P.M.

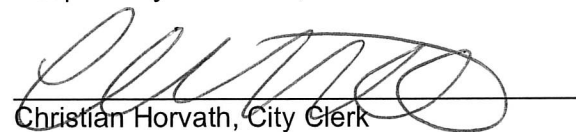
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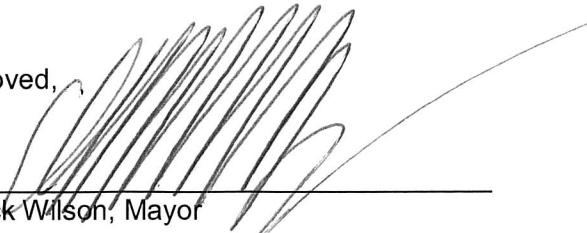
18. ADJOURNMENT: 10:09 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:09 p.m on September 11, 2023. The next regular adjourned meeting of the City Council is scheduled to be held on Monday, September 25, 2023 beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chamber at City Hall, 2 Portuguese Bend Road, Rolling Hills, California. It will also be available via City's website link at: <https://www.rolling-hills.org/government/agenda/index.php>

All written comments submitted are included in the record and available for public review on the City website.

Respectfully submitted,


Christian Horvath, City Clerk

Approved, 

Patrick Wilson, Mayor