



CITY OF NEWARK CITY COUNCIL

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Minutes
Thursday, May 12, 2022
7:00 P.M.

A. ROLL CALL

Mayor Nagy called the meeting to order at 7:05 P.M. Council Members Collazo, Freitas, Bucci, and Vice Mayor Hannon were noted present.

B. PRESENTATIONS

1. Proclamation designating May 15-21, 2022, as National Police Week

Mayor Nagy presented the proclamation to Police Chief Anderson.

2. Proclamation designating May 15-21, 2022, as Public Works Week

Mayor Nagy presented the proclamation to Chief Building Official Farrell.

C. PUBLIC COMMENT

No one requested to speak.

D. CONSENT CALENDAR

Council Member Collazo requested the removal of item D.5 for separate consideration.

Council Member Bucci moved, Council Member Collazo seconded, to approve Consent Calendar items D.1 to D.4 and D.6 to D. 9, that the resolutions be numbered consecutively, and that reading of the titled suffice for adoption. The motion passed, 5 AYES.

1. Approval of Audited Demands
2. Approval of April 28, 2022, minutes
3. Resolution accepting the public subdivision improvements for Tract 8208 (Continental Residential, Inc.), a 281-unit residential subdivision at Cedar Boulevard and Cedar Court
Resolution No. 11340
4. Adopt a resolution endorsing the Alameda County Home Together 2026 Implementation Plan to Address Homelessness
Resolution No. 11341
5. Removed for separate consideration
6. Adopt a Resolution Finding That There is a Proclaimed State of Emergency; Finding That Meeting in Person Would Present Imminent Risks to the Health or Safety of Attendees as a Result of the State of Emergency; and Authorizing Continued Remote Teleconferenced Meetings of the Legislative Bodies of the City of Newark for the 30 Day Period Beginning May 12 Pursuant to AB 361
Resolution No. 11342
7. Adopt a Resolution confirming the continued existence of a local emergency due to the COVID-19 Pandemic
Resolution NO. 11343
8. Authorization for the City Manager to execute a purchase order and enter into an agreement with CentralSquare Technologies, Inc. for an update to the City's permit tracking software system and appropriation of \$200,000 from American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds to Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) Project 001296 - Permit Tracking System Software Upgrades
Resolution No. 11344
9. Approval of an amendment to Resolution No. 10,416 to revise the Personnel Rules and Regulations by changing the authority of approving class specifications from the City Council to the City Manager or Personnel Officer
Resolution No. 11345

Removed from Consent Calendar for separate consideration

- 5. Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a memorandum of understanding between the City of Newark and the Alameda County Department of Environmental Health to implement the SB1383 Edible Food Recovery Program
Resolution No. 11346

Council Member Collazo asked how the food would be distributed through this program.

Environmental Services Manager Scanlin stated that agreements would be entered into with food banks to receive the food.

Council Member Collazo requested a copy of the grocery store list that Mr. Scanlin referenced in his response.

No one requested to speak.

Council Member Collazo moved, Vice Mayor Hannon seconded to adopt a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a memorandum of understanding between the City of Newark and the Alameda County Department of Environmental Health to implement the SB1383 Edible Food Recovery Program. The motion passed, 5 AYES.
Resolution No. 11346

E. PUBLIC HEARINGS

F. OTHER BUSINESS

G. CITY COUNCIL MATTERS

The City Council invited the public to attend the Civic Center grand opening on May 14, 2022, and highlighted the various activities planned.

Vice Mayor Hannon complimented the Police Department services. He that it is National Nurses Week and recognized their challenging work.

Council Member Collazo congratulated the school graduates, including Vice Mayor Hannon's daughter. Shop Newark.

H. CLOSED SESSION

1. Closed session for conference with Labor Negotiators pursuant to California Government Code Section 54957.6. Agency designated representatives: City Manager Benoun, Assistant City Manager Hovorka, and Human Resources Director Solito; Employee Groups: the Newark Association of Miscellaneous Employees; the Newark Police Management Association; the Newark Police Association; the Confidential Employee Group; and City Officials and the Management, Supervisory, and Professional Employee Group

2. Closed session for conference with Labor Negotiator pursuant to California Government Code Section 54957.6. Agency Designated Representative: Mayor Nagy, Unrepresented employee: City Manager Benoun

At 7:28 p.m. the City Council recessed to closed session.

At 7:34 p.m. the City Council convened in closed session.

At 8:28 p.m. the City Council reconvened in open session with all Council Members present.

I. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Nagy adjourned the meeting at 8:28 p.m.

Sheila Harrington, City Clerk