Ivy Avalos Mayor

Ruben Reyes
At Large

Cesar Nevarez.
District 1



Alejandro Garcia
District 2

Rudy Cruz. Jr.
District 3/Mayor Pro Tem

Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

District 4

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES JUNE 24, 2024 @ 6:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Ivy Avalos Cesar Nevarez Rudy Cruz, Jr. Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Ruben Reyes Alejandro Garcia

STAFF PRESENT:

Adriana Rodarte, City Manager (joined virtually) Olivia Navarro, City Clerk Jim Martinez, City Attorney (joined virtually)

Estevan Gonzales, IT Director Alfredo Ferando Chief Robert C. Rojas

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at: 6:03 pm.

2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

3. Establishment of Quorum

Quorum was established with four council members present.

PUBLIC COMMENT

4. PUBLIC COMENT

No speakers for Public Comment.

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CONSENT AGENDA

5. EXCUSE ABSENT COUNCIL MEMBERS.

OLIVIA NAVARRO

A motion was made by Cesar Nevarez seconded by Cesar Rudy Cruz, Jr., to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion passed.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, and Rudy Cruz, Jr., Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Ruben Reyes and Alejandro Garcia

- 6. DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON ADVICE RECEIVED FROM CITY ATTORNEY IN CLOSED SESSION, AND ACTION TO APPROVE REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION; AUTHORIZE FILING OR SETTLEMENT OF LEGAL ACTION; AUTHORIZE EMPLOYMENT OF EXPERT WITNESSES AND CONSULTANTS, AND EMPLOYMENT OF SPECIAL COUNSEL WITH RESPECT TO PENDING LEGAL MATTERS. ADRIANA RODARTE
- 7. DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON QUALIFICATIONS OF INDIVIDUALS FOR EMPLOYMENT AND FOR APPOINTMENT TO BOARDS & COMMISSIONS, JOB PERFORMANCE OF EMPLOYEES, REAL ESTATE ACQUISITION AND RECEIVE LEGAL ADVICE FROM CITY ATTORNEY REGARDING LEGAL ISSUES AFFECTING THESE MATTERS.

ADRIANA RODARTE

- 8. DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING PENDING LITIGATION AND RECEIVE STATUS REPORT REGARDING PENDING LITIGATION.

 ADRIANA RODARTE
- 9. DISUCCION AND ACTION REGARDING TEXAS GAS SERVICE COMPANYT, A DIVISION OF ONE GAS, INC.'S TEST YEAR 2023 GAS RELIABILITY INFRASTRUCTURE PORGRAM INTERIM RATE ADJUSTMENT APPLICATION FOR THE INCORPORATED AREAS OF THE WEST NORTH SERVICE AREA [551.071]. JAMES A. MARTINEZ

A motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos seconded by Cesar Nevarez to deny the application for item number nine (9). Motion passed.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, and Rudy Cruz, Jr., Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Navs:

Absent: Ruben Reves and Alejandro Garcia

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A motion was made by Rudy Cruz, Jr., seconded by Cesar Nevarez to *delete items six* (6), seven (7) and eight (8). Motion passed.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, and Rudy Cruz, Jr., Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Ruben Reyes and Alejandro Garcia

10. ADJOURN

A motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos seconded by Cesar Nevarez to adjourn at 6:06 pm. Motion passed.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, and Rudy Cruz, Jr., Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Ruben Reyes and Alejandro Garcia

Ivy Avalos, Mayor

Olivia Navarro, City Clerk

Date minutes were approved