Rudy Cruz, Jr. Mayor

Ruben Reyes At Large

Cesar Nevarez
District I//Mayor Pro Tem



Alejandro Garcia
District 2

Gina Cordero
District 3

Irene Rojas

District 4

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES MARCH 25, 2025 @ 6:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Rudy Cruz, Jr. Ruben Reyes Cesar Nevarez Alejandro Garcia Gina Cordero Irene Rojas

STAFF PRESENT:

Adriana Rodarte, City Manager Victor Perez, Deputy City Manager Olivia Navarro, City Clerk Lorrine Quimiro

Estevan Gonzales, IT Director Victor Reta Recreation Ctrs. Director Chief Robert Rojas

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at: 6:01 pm.

2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Estevan Gonzales.

3. Establishment of Quorum

Quorum was established with all 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 Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Gina Cordero, and Irene

Rojas Nays: Absent:

REGULAR AGENDA

6. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE AN EVENT PERMIT FOR A REOCURRING MARKET EVENT, FIRST SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 29, 2025 AT 549 BELEN, INCLUDING STREET CLOSURE BETWEEN BUFFORD AND SOCORRO RD.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve item six (6). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Gina Cordero, and Irene

Rojas Nays: Absent:

- 7. 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
- 8. 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

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Irene Rojas to delete items seven (7) and eight (8). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Gina Cordero, and Irene

Rojas Nays: Absent: City of Socorro Special Council Meeting March 25, 2025 @ 6:00 p.m. Page 3

17. ADJOURN

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Irene Rojas to adjourn at $6:09 \, pm$

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Gina Cordero, and Irene

Rojas Nays: Absent:

Rudy Cruz, Jr., Mayor

Olivia Navarro, City Clerk

April 3,2005

Date minutes were approved