



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

**SPECIAL MEETING
APRIL 28, 2020
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 735 ANACAPA STREET**

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Cathy Murillo called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m. and stated that this meeting is being held via teleconference, and members of the City Council are participating electronically from various locations.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Murillo.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers present: Eric Friedman, Alejandra Gutierrez, Oscar Gutierrez, Meagan Harmon, Mike Jordan, Kristen W. Sneddon, Mayor Murillo.

Councilmembers absent: None.

Staff present: City Administrator Paul Casey, City Attorney Ariel Calonne, City Clerk Services Manager Sarah Gorman.

CITY COUNCIL ADMINISTRATIVE AND ATTORNEY REPORTS

CITY ADMINISTRATOR

- 1. Subject: Modification Of City Emergency Orders Regarding Face Masks And Carryout Bags (160.01)**

Recommendation: That Council:

- A. Modify City Emergency Orders Relating to the Mandatory Use of Face Masks by Workers and Customers in Certain Essential Businesses; and
- B. Modify City Emergency Orders Relating to the Temporary Suspension of Mandated \$0.10 Charge for Business-Provided Reusable or Recyclable Paper Carryout Bags Pursuant to SBMC Section 9.150.040 and Executive Order N-54-20.

Documents:

- Draft City of Santa Barbara Emergency Services Supplemental Proclamation and Local Emergency Order.
- April 28, 2020, email from Nancy Black.

Speakers:

- Staff: City Administrator Paul Casey; City Attorney Ariel Calonne; Environmental Services Manager Rene Eyerly.
- Members of the Public: Lee Heller, SB County Mask Network; Margaret Lazarus; Natasha Todorovic; Anna Marie Gott; Gail Teton-Landis.

Motion:

Councilmembers Sneddon/Friedman to direct staff to move forward with the Emergency Orders.

Vote: Unanimous roll call vote.

2. Subject: Sidewalk Blockages Caused By Encampments On Cacique And Milpas Streets, And Options To Mitigate Pedestrian Safety Issues At These Locations (160.01)

Recommendation: That Council consider sidewalk blockages caused by encampments on Cacique and Milpas Streets in the vicinity of the US 101 undercrossings, and options to mitigate pedestrian safety issues at these locations, including: amending by Ordinance SBMC Chapter 9.97 to prohibit sitting or lying down in the affected areas, subject to appropriate relocation assistance for the affected encampments; and issuing Temporary Orders by Resolution under the Council's Emergency Authority to prohibit sitting or lying down in the affected areas, subject appropriate relocation assistance for the affected encampments.

Documents:

- Staff Draft of Emergency Ordinance
- PowerPoint presentation by Councilmember A. Gutierrez.

Speakers:

- Staff: Staff: City Administrator Paul Casey, City Attorney Ariel Calonne, Housing and Human Services Manager Laura Dubbels.
- Members of the Public: Jeff Shaffer, SB ACT; Anna Marie Gott, Natasha Todorovic; Robin Unander; Victoria Valente; Nicholas Jacobs.

Motion:

Councilmembers A. Gutierrez/ Friedman to move forward with the Temporary Orders.

Vote: Unanimous roll call vote.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Murillo adjourned the meeting at 4:34 p.m.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Santa Barbara on September 15, 2020.

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CATHY MURILLO
MAYOR

ATTEST: 

SARAH GORMAN
CITY CLERK SERVICES MANAGER