



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING SEPTEMBER 26, 2023 COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 735 ANACAPA STREET

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Randy Rowse called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Rowse.

ROLL CALL

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

Councilmembers absent: None.

Staff present: City Administrator Rebecca Bjork, City Attorney Sarah Knecht, Deputy City Clerk Niko Lopez.

PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS LISTED ON THE AGENDA

Members of the Public: Darryl Scheck; Raymond Appleton.

RECESS

Mayor Rowse recessed to close session at 10:37 a.m. and stated that no reportable action is anticipated.

CLOSED SESSIONS

- 1. Subject: Conference with City Attorney – Existing Litigation – Gov. Code §54956.9(d)(1) (160.03)**

Recommendation: That Council hold a closed session to consider pending litigation pursuant to subsection (d)(1) of section 54956.9 of the Government Code and take appropriate action as needed.

The pending litigation is Paul Diaz v. City of Santa Barbara WCAB Case No.: ADJ11186036.

Scheduling: Duration 15 mins; anytime
Report: None anticipated

Document:
- September 26, 2023, report from the City Attorney.

Time:
- 10:39 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

No report made.

2. Subject: Conference with Labor Negotiator (440.05)

Recommendation: That Council hold a closed session pursuant to the authority of Government Code Section 54957.6 to consider instructions to City negotiator Wendy Levy, Human Resources Director, Sam Ramirez, Labor Relations Manager, Oliver Yee, Attorney with Liebert Cassidy Whitmore, regarding negotiations with, Service Employees' International Union, Local 620, Treatment and Patrol Bargaining Units, Santa Barbara City Employees' Association (General Bargaining Unit) Local 620 Service Employees' International Union, Fire Management Association, Santa Barbara City Firefighters Association, Police Officers Association, Police Management Association, Santa Barbara City Supervisory Employees, and Unrepresented Management and Confidential Employees.

Scheduling: Duration, 45 Minutes; anytime
Report: None anticipated

Document:
- September 26, 2023, report from the Human Resources Department.

Time:
- 10:46 a.m. – 11:37 a.m.

No report made.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Rowse adjourned the meeting at 11:37 a.m.

Approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Santa Barbara on October 17, 2023.

SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE



RANDY ROWSE
MAYOR

ATTEST:



SARAH GORMAN
CITY CLERK SERVICES MANAGER

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