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# CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBER 78495 Calle Tampico, La Quinta

REGULAR MEETING ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021 3:00 P.M. CLOSED SESSION | 4:00 P.M. OPEN SESSION

# SPECIAL NOTICE

# Teleconferencing and Telephonic Accessibility In Effect

Pursuant to Executive Orders N-25-20, N-29-20, N-33-20, N-35-20, and N-60-20 executed by the Governor of California, and the directives under the "Regional Stay At Home Order" from the California Department of Public Health, in response to the state of emergency relating to novel coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) and enabling teleconferencing accommodations by suspending or waiving specified provisions in the Ralph M. Brown Act (Government Code § 54950 *et seq.*), members of the City Council, the City Manager, City Attorney, City Staff, and City Consultants may participate in this regular meeting by teleconference. Additionally, pursuant to the above-referenced orders, members of the public are instructed to stay at home and to limit mixing with other persons or households as much as possible. Therefore, members of the public temporarily are not permitted to physically attend at City Hall the meeting to which this agenda applies, but any member of the public may listen or participate in the open session of this meeting as specified below.

Members of the public wanting to listen to the open session of the meeting may do so by tuning-in live via <a href="http://laquinta.12milesout.com/video/live">http://laquinta.12milesout.com/video/live</a>.

Members of the public wanting to address the City Council during the open session, either for public comment or for a specific agenda item, or both, are requested to send an email notification to the La Quinta City Clerk's Office at CityClerkMail@LaQuintaCA.gov, and specify the following information:

- 1) Full Name
- 2) City of Residence
- 3) Phone Number
- 4) Public Comment or Agenda I tem Number
- 5) Subject
- 6) Written or Telephonic Verbal Comments

The email "subject line" must clearly state "Written Comments" or "Telephonic Verbal Comments."

<u>Telephonic verbal public comments – requests to speak must be emailed to the City Clerk no later than 3:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting</u>; the City will facilitate the ability for a member of the public to be audible to the City Council and general public for the item(s) by contacting him/her via phone and queuing him/her to speak.

Only one person at a time may speak by telephone and only after being recognized by the Mayor.

Written public comments must be received by the City Clerk's Office no later than 3:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting, and will be distributed to the City Council, incorporated into the agenda packet and public record of the meeting, and will not be read during the meeting unless, upon the request of the Mayor, a brief summary of any public comment is asked to be read, to the extent the City Clerk's Office can accommodate such request.

It would be appreciated that any email communications for public comments related to the items on the agenda, or for general public comment, are provided to the City Clerk's Office at the email address listed above prior to the commencement of the meeting. If that is not possible, and to accommodate public comments on items that may be added to the agenda after its initial posting or items that are on the agenda, every effort will be made to attempt to review emails received by the City Clerk's Office during the course of the meeting. The Mayor will endeavor to take a brief pause before action is taken on any agenda item to allow the City Clerk to review emails and share any public comments received during the meeting. All emails received by the City Clerk, at the email address above, until the adjournment of the meeting, will be included within the public record relating to the meeting.

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# **CALL TO ORDER**

ROLL CALL: Councilmembers: Fitzpatrick, Peña, Radi, Sanchez, Mayor Evans

## **PUBLIC COMMENT ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA**

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item not appearing on the agenda unless it is an emergency item authorized by Government Code § 54954.2(b).

## **CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA**

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

- 1. THREAT TO PUBLIC SERVICES OR FACILITIES. PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION (a) OF GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION CONSULTATION WITH: ALEXANDER JOHNSTON, SENIOR EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR; WILLIAM H. IHRKE, CITY ATTORNEY (Review Continued Need and Response to Proclaimed State and Local Emergencies Caused by COVID-19)
- 2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - ANTICIPATED LITIGATION; SIGNIFICANT EXPOSURE TO LITIGATION PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OR (3) OF SUBDIVISION (d) OF GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9 (NUMBER OF POTENTIAL CASES: 1)
- 3. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION (QUARTERLY REVIEW) PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54957, COUNCIL APPOINTED POSITION – CITY MANAGER

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

RECONVENE AT 4:00 P.M.

# REPORT ON ACTIONS(S) TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS, PRESENTATIONS, AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS - NONE

# **CONSENT CALENDAR**

NOTE: Consent Calendar items are routine in nature and can be approved by one motion.

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## **STUDY SESSION** - NONE

## **PUBLIC HEARINGS** – after 5:00 p.m.

For all Public Hearings on the agenda, a completed "Request to Speak" form must be filed with the City Clerk prior to consideration of that item.

A person may submit written comments to City Council before a public hearing or speak via teleconference in support or opposition to the approval of a project(s). If you challenge a project(s) in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing or in written correspondence delivered to the City at, or prior to the public hearing.

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- 15. CANNABIS AD HOC COMMITTEE (Peña and Sanchez)
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- 20. COVID-19 SMALL BUSINESS EMERGENCY ECONOMIC RELIEF PROGRAM AD HOC COMMITTEE (Peña and Radi)
- 21. CVAG TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE (Radi)
- 22. SUNLINE TRANSIT AGENCY (Radi)

- 23. CITYWIDE SECURITY CAMERAS AD HOC COMMITTEE (Radi)
- 24. DESERT SANDS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE (Radi & Sanchez)
- 25. ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION (Sanchez)
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- 28. COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES DATED 325 SEPTEMBER 14, 2020
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#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The next regular meeting of the City Council will be held on February 2, 2021, at 4:00 p.m. at the City Hall Council Chambers, 78495 Calle Tampico, La Quinta, CA 92253.

### **DECLARATION OF POSTING**

I, Monika Radeva, City Clerk, of the City of La Quinta, do hereby declare that the foregoing Agenda for the La Quinta City Council meeting was posted on the City's website, near the entrance to the Council Chambers at 78495 Calle Tampico, and the bulletin boards at the Stater Brothers Supermarket at 78630 Highway 111, and the La Quinta Cove Post Office at 51321 Avenida Bermudas, on January 15, 2021.

DATED: January 15, 2021

MONIKA RADEVA, City Clerk City of La Quinta, California

# **Public Notices**

- The La Quinta City Council Chamber is handicapped accessible. If special equipment is needed for the hearing impaired, please call the City Clerk's office at (760) 777-7092, twenty-four (24) hours in advance of the meeting and accommodations will be made.
- If special electronic equipment is needed to make presentations to the City Council, arrangements should be made in advance by contacting the City Clerk's office at (760) 777-7092. A one (1) week notice is required.

- If background material is to be presented to the Councilmembers during a City Council meeting, please be advised that eight (8) copies of all documents, exhibits, etc., must be supplied to the City Clerk for distribution. It is requested that this take place prior to the beginning of the meeting.
- Any writings or documents provided to a majority of the City Council regarding any item(s) on this agenda will be made available for public inspection at the Community Development counter at City Hall located at 78495 Calle Tampico, La Quinta, California, 92253, during normal business hours.