

**MINUTES
MONTEREY PARK CITY COUNCIL
SUCCESSOR AGENCY (SA)
FEBRUARY 17, 2021**

The City Council of the City of Monterey Park held a Regular Teleconference Meeting via Zoom on Wednesday, February 17, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. The regular meeting was conducted pursuant to Section 3 of Executive Order No. N-29-20 issued on March 17, 2020. Accordingly, Council Members were provided a meeting login number and conference call number and were not physically present at Council Chambers.

The minutes include items considered by the City Council acting on behalf of the Successor Agency of the former Monterey Park Redevelopment Agency, which dissolved February 1, 2012. Successor Agency matters will include the notation of "SA" next to the Agenda Item Number.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

In accordance with Executive Order No. N-29-20 and guidance from the California Department of Public Health on gatherings, remote public participation was allowed in the following ways:

Via Email

Public comment were accepted up to 24 hours before the meeting via email to mpclerk@montereypark.ca.gov and, when feasible, read into the record during public comment. Written communications are limited to not more than 50 words.

Via Telephone

Public comment may be submitted via telephone during the meeting, before the close of public comment, by calling (888) 788-0099 or (877) 853-5247 and entering Zoom Meeting ID: **958 2746 0275** then press pound (#). When prompted to enter participation ID number press pound (#) again. If participants would like to make a public comment they will enter "*9" then the Clerk's office will be notified, and you will be in the rotation to make a public comment. Press "*6" to unmute yourself when called upon to speak. Participants are encouraged to join the meeting 15 minutes before the start of the meeting. You may speak up to 5 minutes on Agenda item. Speakers will not be allowed to combine time. The Mayor and City Council may change the amount of time allowed for speakers. As part of the virtual meeting protocols, anonymous persons will not be allowed to provide public comment.

Important Disclaimer – When a participant calls in to join the meeting, their name and/or phone number will be visible to all participants. Note that all public meetings will be recorded.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the City of Monterey Park is to provide excellent services to enhance the quality of life for our entire community

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Yiu called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

FLAG SALUTE:

Mayor Yiu led the Flag Salute.

ROLL CALL:

City Clerk Vincent Chang called the roll:

Council Members Present: Peter Chan, Hans Liang, Henry Lo, Fred Sornoso,
Yvonne Yiu

Council Members Absent: None

ALSO PRESENT: City Manager Ron Bow, City Attorney Karl Berger, City Treasurer Joseph Leon, Assistant City Manager Inez Alvarez, Fire Chief Matt Hallock, Police Chief Kelly Gordon, Director of Management Services Martha Garcia, City Librarian Diana Garcia, Interim Director of Public Works Frank Lopez, Interim Director of Human Resources and Risk Management Danielle Tellez, Economic Development Manager Joseph Torres, Planning Manager Jason Moquin, Water Utility Manager Richard Gonzales, Community Communications Coordinator Randy Ishino, Deputy City Clerk Cindy Trang, Assistant Deputy City Clerk Helena Cho

AGENDA ADDITIONS, DELETIONS, CHANGES AND ADOPTIONS

None.

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

Public Speaker Disclaimer: Meetings are held virtually and the information listed for the speakers may or may not reflect the correct spelling of their respective name.

- City Clerk Chang received, filed, and read into the record thirty-two written communications. All individuals who submitted written communications voiced their support and thanked the city for taking action to update the Climate Action Plan. The thirty-two written communications were from: Audrey Jung, Angela Yang, Laura Gallegos, Joseph Garnica, Thomas Wong, Jeshow Yang, Kelsey Diep, Jean Park, Abel Bourbois, Alhambra FBLA, Melissa Chea, Annie Huang, Celia Xu, Sophie Chen, Brianna Vo, Skylar Huang, Alyssa Aquino, Kiyoko Divecchio, Anabel Ngo, Sakura Divecchio, Magie Xiang, Alec Ho, Peony Chi, Brandon Trinh, Siena Khollesi, Charlotte Shao, Lisa Tsan, Andrew Estrada, Haily Blanco, Milan Cambon Ledesma, Megan Chea, and Vivian Fuller.

1. PRESENTATION

Matters listed under presentation are for informational content and discussion only.

1A. LEGISLATIVE UPDATES FROM SENATOR SUSAN RUBIO

Senator Rubio presented legislative updates and spoke on Senate Bill 751 which created the San Gabriel Valley Regional Housing Trust (SGVRHT). She reported that the SGVRHT is working on three projects to bring 125 housing units to the San Gabriel Valley. She conveyed that the Senate is working on five new bills to address the housing crisis issue. She reported that the COVID-19 Tenant Relief Act of 2021 has passed and will assist tenants and landlords with past due rent. She stated that the Senate has passed a bill to fund \$35 million to support food banks and diaper banks in communities and will be providing funding for education and farm workers. She informed that businesses that qualify can apply for a two year waiver on any fees paid to the State. Grants will be available for small businesses and that they can write-off up to \$150,000 for COVID-19 related expense.

2. OLD BUSINESS

None.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS NOS. 3A-3H

Matters listed under consent calendar are considered to be routine, ongoing business and are enacted by one motion unless specified.

Action Taken: The City Council and the City Council, acting on behalf of the Successor Agency, approved and adopted Agenda Item No. 3A, 3B, 3D, 3E, and 3G on Consent Calendar, excluding Agenda Items Nos. 3C, 3F, and 3H which were pulled for discussion and separate motion, reading resolutions and ordinances by the title only and waiving further reading thereof.

Motion: Moved by Mayor Pro Tem Lo and seconded by Council Member Chan motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

3A. MINUTES

Approve the minutes from the regular meeting of January 20, 2021.

Action Taken: The City Council and the City Council (acting on behalf of the Successor Agency) approved the minutes from the regular meeting of January 20, 2021 on Consent Calendar.

3B. MONTHLY INVESTMENT REPORT

As of January 31, 2021 invested funds for the City of Monterey Park is \$87,315,395.95.

Action Taken: The City Council received and filed the monthly investment report on Consent Calendar.

3C. FY 2020-2021 MID-YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT

The City's Mid-Year Report compares the revenues and expenditures occurring during the first six months of the fiscal year against budgeted amounts to determine appropriate adjustments; provides links between the City budget, the financial records, and the independent financial audit and; compares revenues earned and expenses made during the first six months of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2020-2021 against the FY 2019-2020 figures.

Discussion: Management Services Director Garcia presented a PowerPoint on the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Mid-Year Financial Report.

Action Taken: The City Council (1) received and filed the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Mid-Year Financial Report; (2) authorized the increase of Committed Catastrophic-Event by \$2 million from \$2.34 million to \$4.34 million as amended to add a clause that with the understanding the City Council can allocate the funds back to unrestricted funds; and (3) authorized an additional budget appropriation of \$68,500 from Proposition A and Development Impact Fee- Park funds.

Motion: Moved by Mayor Yiu and seconded by Council Member Liang motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

3D. FIRE DEPARTMENT TURNOUT GEAR PURCHASES – APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT

Monterey Park Fire Department has been committed to providing the community the highest level of standard care and emergency response. Turnout gear is an important component of firefighters' personal protective equipment ("PPE"). Staff seeks City Council approval to award a contract to Municipal Emergency Services, Inc. ("MES") for the purchase of fire department turnout gear.

Action Taken: The City Council authorized the City Manager to execute an agreement, in a form approved by the City Attorney, with Municipal Emergency Services, Inc. for an amount not to exceed \$79,000.00 per fiscal year, for the purchase of fire department turnout gear on Consent Calendar.

3E. STATE HOMELAND SECURITY PROGRAM SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT GRANT YEAR 2019 – AWARD OF AGREEMENT

The County of Los Angeles is a Subgrantee of the State Homeland Security Program Grant Year 2019 (“SHSP 2019”) that is provided by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. Per the subrecipient agreement, the County of Los Angeles is authorized to enter into a subrecipient agreement with the City of Monterey Park, which includes a distribution of SHSP 2019 grant funds to the City of Monterey Park in the amount of \$56,444.00. Staff recommends City Council to authorize the City to execute an agreement, in a form approved by the City Attorney, with the County of Los Angeles for an amount not to exceed \$56,444.00 for the SHSP 2019 Grant.

Action Taken: The City Council authorized the City Manager to execute an agreement, in a form approved by the City Attorney, with the County of Los Angeles for an amount not to exceed \$56,444.00, for the State Homeland Security Program Grant Year 2019 on Consent Calendar.

3F. ANNUAL WEED ABATEMENT DECLARATION LIST

The County of Los Angeles Department of Agriculture Commissioner/Weights and Measures (Weed Abatement Division) has submitted the annual Weed Abatement Declaration List to the City. (The Weed Abatement Declaration List (“Declaration List”) is a list of parcels in Monterey Park which have been identified by inspection to contain, or have the potential to contain, weeds, brush or other flammable materials sufficient to be considered a fire hazard.) The accompanying Resolution to the staff report seeks City Council approval to declare the properties on the annual Weed Abatement Declaration List to be public nuisances which may be abated. The authority to remove properties from the Declaration List, upon request and after investigation, will be assigned to the City Manager or designee.

CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act):

Adoption of this Resolution is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (“CEQA”) under CEQA Guidelines § 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the Resolution may have a significant effect on the environment.

Action Taken: The City Council approved the Weed Abatement Declaration List and adopted Resolution No. 12224 declaring that weeds, brush, rubbish, refuse, and dirt upon and in front of certain private property in the city are a public nuisance as amended to revise the date on page 2 Section 2 from “February 19, 2020” to “March 3, 2021.”

Motion: Moved by Council Member Sornoso and seconded by Council Member Liang motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

Resolution No. 12224, entitled:

A RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE § 39561 DECLARING THAT WEEDS, BRUSH, RUBBISH, REFUSE AND DIRT UPON AND IN FRONT OF CERTAIN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY IN THE CITY ARE A PUBLIC NUISANCE, AND DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO PROVIDE FOR ABATEMENT

3G. WAIVE FURTHER READING AND ADOPT AN ORDINANCE CODIFYING ORDINANCE NO. 2172 INTO A NEW CHAPTER 3.95 OF THE MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE AUTHORIZING DIGITAL AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES FOR CITY DOCUMENTS

The first reading and introduction of the Ordinance took place at the February 3, 2021 City Council meeting. The February 3, 2021 staff report is attached for reference. Second reading and adoption of this Ordinance amendment is recommended; it will take effect in 30 days.

Action Taken: The City Council waived second reading and adopted Ordinance No. 2201 codifying Ordinance No. 2172 into a new Chapter 3.95 of the Monterey Park Municipal Code authorizing digital and electronic signatures for city documents on Consent Calendar.

Ordinance No. 2201, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE CODIFYING ORDINANCE NO. 2172 INTO A NEW CHAPTER 3.95 OF THE MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE AUTHORIZING DIGITAL AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES FOR OFFICIAL CITY DOCUMENTS

3H. CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MONTEREY PARK IN SUPPORT OF THE RESOTRATION OF CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS

Federal earmarks had been crucial in the remedial efforts to treat the contamination of groundwater in the Main San Gabriel Basin that is the source of drinking water for the City of Monterey Park. Since 2011, Congress temporarily banned earmarks in the federal budget.

The San Gabriel Basin Water Quality Authority (WQA) is reaching out to the communities it serves to join them in urging Congress to restore local earmarks. Its Board of Directors has adopted a resolution supporting the restoration of earmarks and is asking other jurisdictions to also adopt resolutions and send to their Congressional representatives.

Action Taken: The City Council adopted Resolution No. 12225 in support of the restoration of Congressional Earmarks.

Motion: Moved by Council Member Liang and seconded by Council Member Chan motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

Resolution No. 12225, entitled:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MONTEREY PARK IN SUPPORT OF THE RESTORATION OF CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS

4. PUBLIC HEARING

4A. A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER DA-20-01 A DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT THEREBY ENACTING THE BUSINESS RECOVERY DEVELOPMENT ZONE (BRDZ) OVERLAY AND DEVELOPMENT OF A 107,850 SQUARE FOOT SELF-STORAGE FACILITY ON 0.93 ACRES LOCATED AT 2500 DAVIDSON DRIVE IN THE SHOPPING CENTER (S-C) ZONE

BR Caster Corp., (A-1 Self-Storage) seeks to enter into a Development Agreement (DA-20-01) with the City to activate the Business Recovery Development Agreement Zone ("BRDZ") to allow self-storage as a permitted use in the S-C zone. This would allow construction of a 107,850 square foot self-storage facility on 0.93 acres located at 2500 Davidson Drive. The facility will consist of five stories, two of which are below grade and three above-grade. The self-storage facility is designed with all storage units accessible from interior corridors with the overall architecture and design incorporating both commercial store-front and industrial architectural elements with smooth masonry finishes, accented by

smooth metal panels, siding and coping with the primary building entrance designed with aluminum framed tinted glazing. Thirteen parking spaces situated around the perimeter of the parking courtyard are proposed (which meets zoning requirements) along with four recessed loading bays with direct access to the Project's interior corridors and freight style elevators. The Project's access is adorned with decorative paving and a masonry wall along Davidson Drive which serves to screen the interior courtyard and loading areas. The perimeter of the project site is densely landscaped with a variety trees, shrubs and groundcover.

CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act):

The Project is categorically exempt from additional environmental review pursuant to CEQA Guidelines § 15332 as a Class 32 categorical exemption (In-Fill Development Projects). The Project consists of constructing a self-storage facility on a vacant 0.93 acre triangular shaped lot surrounded by existing development. Other than activating the BRDZ via the draft Development Agreement, there are no proposed changes to the General Plan nor the zoning. The Project site has no value as habitat for endangered, rare or threatened species. The technical studies prepared for the Project demonstrate there will not be any significant environmental effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality. Finally, the Project can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services.

Public Speakers:

- Brian Caster, Chief Executive Officer of A-1 Self Storage, thanked the City Council for considering the item and stated he is available for questions.

Discussion: Planning Manager Moquin presented a PowerPoint presentation for 2500 Davidson Drive, Development Agreement (DA-20-01).

Action Taken: The City Council (1) opened the continued public hearing at 7:27 p.m.; (2) received documentary and testimonial evidence; (3) closed the public hearing at 7:38 p.m.; and (4) introduced and waived first reading of an ordinance adopting DA-20-01. Second reading and adoption would occur on March 3, 2021. The DA would become effective April 3, 2021.

Motion: Moved by Council Member Chan and seconded by Council Member Liang motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	Council Members:	Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes:	Council Members:	None
Absent:	Council Members:	None
Abstain:	Council Members:	None

Ordinance 1st Reading, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF MONTEREY PARK AND BR CASTER CORP. TO FACILITATE DEVELOPMENT OF A STRUCTURE FOR SELF-STORAGE UNITS; TO ACTIVATE THE BUSINESS RECOVERY DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT ZONE (“BRDZ”) IN MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 21.45; AND TO AMEND THE ZONE MAP

4B. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO INTRODUCE AND WAIVE FIRST READING OF AN OMNIBUS ORDINANCE AMENDING AND REPEALING VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE AS SPECIFIED, TO CODIFY PORTIONS OF THE MONTEREY PARK BUSINESS RECOVERY PROGRAM AND REPEAL REGULATIONS GOVERNING FORTUNETELLING

The proposed amendments are to further enact and make permanent procedural changes that further implement and carry out the city’s goals and policies established by the Monterey Park Business Recovery Program (“BRP”). As part of the BRP, various elements of the Monterey Park Municipal Code (“MPMC”), specifically Title 21 as it relates to variances, conditional use permits, minor modifications, and administrative use permits warranted further refinement to establish consistency amongst the aforementioned sections including, without limitation, processing procedures, public hearing requirements, standards and expirations.

Additionally, the ordinance would repeal regulations governing fortunetelling within the MPMC. A series of court cases over the past decade made it plain that the practice of fortunetelling constitutes a First Amendment activity as both an exercise of religion and free speech. Most recently, an individual seeking to open a fortunetelling business in Monterey Park threatened litigation in December 2020. The matter was resolved, in part, by the City agreeing to propose amendments to the MPMC to reflect current federal and California law governing fortunetelling activities. These changes were vetted, among other City departments, with the Monterey Park Police Department. There were no objections to the changes.

CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act):

Adopting the Ordinance is exempt from further environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code §§ 21000, *et seq.*, “CEQA”) and CEQA Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations §§ 15000, *et seq.*) because it establishes rules and procedures for operation of existing facilities; minor temporary use of land; and minor alterations in land use. The ordinance, therefore, is categorically exempt from further CEQA review under CEQA Guidelines §§ 15301; 15303; and 15304(e). Further, adopting the ordinance is exempt from review under CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15061(b)(3) because the ordinance is for general policies and procedure-making.

Action Taken: The City Council (1) opened the public hearing continued from February 3, 2021 at 7:52 p.m.; (2) received documentary and testimonial evidence, noting that there are no public speakers; (3) closed the public hearing at 7:54 p.m.; (4) introduced and waived first reading of an Ordinance amending and repealing various sections of the Monterey park municipal code as amended to add “or gasoline” after “flying remote controlled” in Section 6.

Motion: Moved by Council Member Chan and seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Lo motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

Ordinance 1st Reading, entitled:

AN OMNIBUS ORDINANCE AMENDING AND REPEALING VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE AS SPECIFIED

5. NEW BUSINESS

5A. **CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO INTORDUCE AND WAIVE FIRST READING OF AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 9.53 AND ADDING NEW CHAPTER 4.50 REGULATING NOISE IN THE CITY OF MONTEREY PARK**

The proposed amendments are to further enact and make permanent temporary noise regulations set forth with the adoption of the Business Recovery Plan. Specifically, the amendment will repeal Chapter 9.53 of the Monterey Park Municipal Code and add new Chapter 4.50 regulating noise. The amendments include further defining the definition, administration, exemptions, temporary noise permits, noise limitations and sound levels.

CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act):

Adopting the Ordinance is exempt from further environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code §§ 21000, et seq., “CEQA”) and CEQA Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations §§ 15000, et seq.) because it establishes rules and procedures for operation of existing facilities; minor temporary use of land; and minor alterations in land use. The ordinance, therefore, is categorically exempt from further CEQA review under CEQA Guidelines §§ 15301; 15303; and 15304(e). Further, adopting the ordinance is exempt from review under CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15061(b)(3) because the ordinance is for general policies and procedure-making.

Action Taken: The City Council introduced and waived first reading of an ordinance amending the City’s noise regulations.

Motion: Moved by Mayor Pro Tem Lo and seconded by Council Member Liang motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

Ordinance 1st Reading, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 9.53 OF THE MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE AND ADDING A NEW CHAPTER 4.50 REGULATING NOISE

5B. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO INTRODUCE AND WAIVE FIRST READING OF AN ORDINANCE REPEALING MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE (“MPMC”) CHAPTER 1.16 AND AMENDING CHAPTER 3.12 IN ITS ENTIRETY REGARDING FILING CLAIMS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CLAIMS ACT (GOVERNMENT CODE §§ 810-966.6) AND FILING WRITS PURSUANT TO CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE § 1094.6

A review of the MPMC shows that its regulations regarding claims and claim procedures should be amended to comply with existing law. The MPMC sections governing such procedures were adopted in 1919, 1948, 1949, 1955, 1958 and 1963. No further updates have been done since 1963. This Ordinance is intended to bring the MPMC into compliance with current California Law.

Action Taken: The City Council introduced and waived first reading of an Ordinance repealing Monterey Park Municipal Code Chapter 1.16 and amending Chapter 3.12 in its entirety regarding filing claims in compliance with the California Government Claims Act (Government Code §§ 810-966.6) and filing writs pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure § 1094.6.

Motion: Moved by Mayor Pro Tem Lo and seconded by Council Member Liang motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

Ordinance 1st Reading, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING MONTEREY PARK MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 1.16 AND AMENDING CHAPTER 3.12 IN ITS ENTIRETY REGARDING FILING CLAIMS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CLAIMS ACT (GOVERNMENT CODE §§ 810-966.6) AND FILING WRITS PURSUANT TO CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE § 1094.6

5C. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING RULES FOR CONDUCTING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT CODE § 36813

If adopted, the draft resolution would establish general requirements for public meetings held by the City Council and its subordinate boards and commissions. While there are existing City Council policies and procedures, these have not been comprehensively revised since 2013. Among other things, the draft resolution clarifies that the Mayor is the presiding officer; that all public comments should be directed to the City Council; and establishes some of the more common parliamentary procedures for conducting local government meetings. This includes replacing the traditional “Robert’s Rules of Order” with the “Rosenberg’s Rules of Order” (published by the League of California Cities) that is more applicable to city councils (instead of multi-member governing bodies, e.g., the California Legislature). Some cities have already adopted such rules; most recently, the City of Santa Clarita in 2019. The draft resolution would apply to all boards and commissions unless those bodies adopted separate rules. In that regard, the Planning Commission adopted substantially similar policies and procedures in 2020.

Action Taken: The City Council adopted Resolution No. 12226 amending the City Council’s existing policies and procedures to amend the City Council meeting policies and procedures to, among other things, replace “Robert’s Rules of Order” with “Rosenberg’s Rules of Order” for parliamentary procedure.

Motion: Moved by Council Member Liang and seconded by Mayor Yiu motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Chan, Liang, Sornoso, Lo, Yiu
Noes: Council Members: None
Absent: Council Members: None
Abstain: Council Members: None

Resolution No. 12226, entitled:

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL RULES FOR CONDUCTING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

6. COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS AND MAYOR/COUNCIL AND AGENCY MATTERS

Council Member Chan wished everyone a Happy Lunar New Year. He reported that he attended the Metro Service Council and relayed that they have started the metro traffic reduction study.

Council Member Liang wished everyone a Happy Lunar New Year and stated that the City’s Lunar New Year event will not occur this year.

Council Member Sornoso thanked Senator Rubio for her presentation and showed his appreciation to City staff for working on getting a vaccination site at Mark Keppel High School.

Mayor Pro Tem Lo thanked City staff for working on getting a vaccination site at Mark Keppel High School. He thanked the Bruggemeyer Library for inviting him to record a story for Read Across America Read-A-Thon.

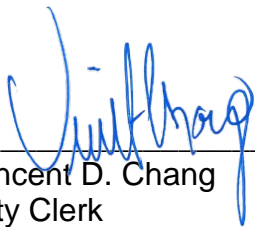
Mayor Yiu reported that there were two COVID-19 vaccination test runs at Mark Keppel High School and that the City is waiting for additional vaccine allocations from Los Angeles County. She stated that the City is working on providing a convenient COVID-19 vaccination site for the residents.

7. CLOSED SESSION

None.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business for consideration, the meeting was adjourned at 8:48 p.m.



Vincent D. Chang
City Clerk

Approved on March 17, 2021 at the Regular City Council Meeting