

MINUTES

Special Meeting of the
City of Huntington Park City Council
Tuesday, September 22, 2020

The City Council conducted this meeting in accordance with California Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-25-20 and N-29-20.

The Rules of Decorum were played prior to the start of the Regular Meeting.

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Huntington Park, California was called to order at 5:55 p.m. on Tuesday, September 1, 2020, 2020, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 6550 Miles Avenue, Huntington Park, California; Mayor Manuel "Manny" Avila presiding.

PRESENT: Council Member(s): Eduardo "Eddie" Martinez, Marilyn Sanabria, Karina Macias, Vice Mayor Graciela Ortiz, and Mayor Manuel "Manny" Avila.

CITY OFFICIALS/STAFF: Ricardo Reyes, City Manager; Araceli Almazan, City Attorney; Sergio Infanzon, Director of Community Development/Acting City Clerk; Cosme Lozano, Nita McKay, Director of Finance & Administrative Services; Chief of Police; ABSENT: Raul Alvarez, Assistant City Manager; Cynthia Norzagaray, Director of Parks & Recreation; Cesar Roldan, Director of Public Works

Mayor Avila asked to observe one minute of silence in memory of the U.S. Supreme Court Judge Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

INVOCATION

Invocation was led by Council Member Macias.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice Mayor Ortiz.

PRESENTATIONS – No presentations

PUBLIC COMMENT

One public comment submitted via email by Mrs. Ivonne Correa in support of the Police Department. Mrs. Correa stated that this was not a good time to cut positions especially those in the Police Department. She also reminded everyone that the work of the police department was an essential job and important to deal with crime.

STAFF RESPONSE

1. No staff response

CLOSED SESSION

At 6:14 p.m. City Manager Ricardo Reyes announced the closed session item and Mayor "Manny" Avila, recessed to closed session.

1. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS
Government Code Section 54957.6
Agency designated representatives: Ricardo Reyes
Employee organization: Huntington Park POA

At 6:57 p.m., Mayor Avila reconvened to open session with all Council Members present.

CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENT

City Manager Ricardo Reyes announced all five Council Members were present and briefed on closed session item 1 1). No final action taken, nothing further to report.

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS (Information only)

1. No reports

WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS – None.

COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS

Council Member Macias thanked everyone and wished everyone good night

Council Member Martinez wished everyone good night

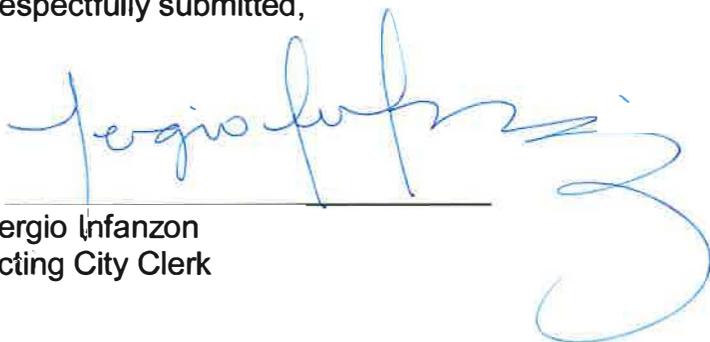
Council Member Sanabria wished everyone good night

Vice Mayor Ortiz wished everyone good night

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Avila adjourned the meeting at 7:05 p.m. in memory of Samuel Magana, a good citizen of the City and our community, to a Regular Meeting on Tuesday, October 6, 2020 at 6:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Sergio Infanzon", written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and extends to the right of the line.

Sergio Infanzon
Acting City Clerk