City Council

Monday, November 19, 2018
Special Meeting
Council Chambers
5:00 PM

REVISED

Agenda posted according to PAMC Section 2.04.070. Supporting materials are available in the Council Chambers on the Thursday 11 days preceding the meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT
Members of the public may speak to agendized items; up to three minutes per speaker, to be determined by the presiding officer. If you wish to address the Council on any issue that is on this agenda, please complete a speaker request card located on the table at the entrance to the Council Chambers, and deliver it to the City Clerk prior to discussion of the item. You are not required to give your name on the speaker card in order to speak to the Council, but it is very helpful. Public comment may be addressed to the full City Council via email at City.Council@cityofpaloalto.org.

TIME ESTIMATES
Time estimates are provided as part of the Council’s effort to manage its time at Council meetings. Listed times are estimates only and are subject to change at any time, including while the meeting is in progress. The Council reserves the right to use more or less time on any item, to change the order of items and/or to continue items to another meeting. Particular items may be heard before or after the time estimated on the agenda. This may occur in order to best manage the time at a meeting or to adapt to the participation of the public. To ensure participation in a particular item, we suggest arriving at the beginning of the meeting and remaining until the item is called.

HEARINGS REQUIRED BY LAW
Applicants and/or appellants may have up to ten minutes at the outset of the public discussion to make their remarks and up to three minutes for concluding remarks after other members of the public have spoken.

Call to Order

Closed Session  5:00-7:00 PM
Public Comments: Members of the public may speak to the Closed Session item(s); three minutes per speaker.

1. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS
City Designated Representatives: City Manager and his Designees Pursuant to Merit System Rules and Regulations (James Keene, Ed Shikada, Kiely Nose, Rumi Portillo, Sandra Blanch, Nicholas Raisch, Tori Anthony, Molly Stump, Terence Howzell, and Michelle Flaherty)
Employee Organizations: Service Employees International Union, (SEIU), Local 521
Authority: Government Code Section 54957.6(a)

1A. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2) and (e)(1)
Four Potential Cases

Study Session  7:00-8:00 PM

2. Study Session Regarding Recycled Water Expansion and Other Water Reuse Opportunities
Agenda Changes, Additions and Deletions

City Manager Comments 8:00-8:10 PM

Oral Communications 8:10-8:25 PM
Members of the public may speak to any item NOT on the agenda. Council reserves the right to limit the duration of Oral Communications period to 30 minutes.

Minutes Approval 8:25-8:30 PM

3. Approval of Action Minutes for the October 29 and November 5, 2018 Council Meetings

Action Items

4. PUBLIC HEARING/QUASI-JUDICIAL. 285 Hamilton Avenue [18PLN-00006]: Recommendation on Applicant's Request for a Text Amendment to Title 18 of the Palo Alto Municipal Code to Allow for Minor Increases in Floor Area to Provide Access to Roof-top Decks on Existing Structures in the Commercial Downtown (Community) CD-C Subdistrict, as Well as a Conditional Use Permit and Architectural Review for a 2,600 Square Foot Roof-top Deck on the Roof of the Existing Commercial Building at 285 Hamilton Avenue. The Planning and Transportation Commission Reviewed and Recommended Approval (4-2) of the Text Amendment and Conditional Use Permit at a Public Hearing on October 10, 2018. Environmental Assessment: Exempt per Sections 15301 and 15305 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines. Zone District: CD-C(GF)(P) 9:30-10:30 PM

5. Finance Committee Recommends the City Council Accept the Utilities Smart Grid Assessment and Utilities Technology Implementation Plan, Including Advanced Metering Infrastructure-based Smart Grid Systems to Serve Electricity, Water, and Natural Gas Utility Customers

State/Federal Legislation Update/Action

Council Member Questions, Comments and Announcements
Members of the public may not speak to the item(s)

Adjournment

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITY ACT (ADA)
Persons with disabilities who require auxiliary aids or services in using City facilities, services or programs or who would like information on the City’s compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, may contact (650) 329-2550 (Voice) 24 hours in advance.
Additional Information

Schedule of Meetings

Public Letters to Council

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