

City of Manhattan Beach

1400 Highland Avenue
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266



Meeting Minutes - Draft

Tuesday, June 2, 2026

5:00 PM

City Council Chambers

City Council Adjourned Regular Meeting

ELECTED OFFICIALS

Mayor Joe Franklin

Mayor Pro Tem Nina Trieu Tarnay

Councilmember Steve S. Charelian

Councilmember Amy Thomas Howorth

Councilmember David Lesser

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A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor Franklin called the meeting to order.

B. PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

Mayor Franklin led the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. ROLL CALL

Roll Call by City Clerk Liza Tamura.

Present: 5 - Mayor Franklin, Mayor Pro Tem Tarnay, Councilmember Charelian, Councilmember Howorth and Councilmember Lesser

D. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

A motion was made by Councilmember Howorth, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Tarnay, to approve the agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Franklin, Tarnay, Charelian, Howorth and Lesser

Nay: 0

E. PUBLIC COMMENTS (3 MINUTES PER PERSON)

Mayor Franklin opened the floor to public comments.

Seeing no requests to speak, Mayor Franklin closed the floor to public comments.

F. CLOSED SESSION

City Attorney Quinn Barrow announced the following Closed Session:

**I. ANNOUNCEMENT IN OPEN SESSION OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN
CLOSED SESSION**

**CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL (EXISTING LITIGATION)
(Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1))**

**1) Name of Case: Erika King et al. v. City of Manhattan Beach, et al.
Los Angeles Superior Court
Case No: 25STCV03238**

2) Name of Case: 2905 N. Sepulveda Blvd., LLC. v City of Manhattan Beach, et al.

**Los Angeles Superior Court
Court Case No: 24STCP01290**

3) Name of Case: SC Group 3400 Fletcher, LLC v. City of Manhattan Beach, et al.

**Los Angeles Superior Court
Court Case No: 25TRCP00353**

II. RECESS INTO CLOSED SESSION

At 5:02 PM, the City Council recessed into Closed Session.

III. RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION

At 6:00 PM, the City Council reconvened into Open Session with all City Councilmembers present.

IV. CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENT IN OPEN SESSION

City Attorney Quinn Barrow announced that the City Council went into Closed Session pursuant to the Brown Act on three separate items identified on the agenda. The City Council gave direction with respect to all three items.

G. ADJOURNMENT

At 6:01 PM, Mayor Franklin adjourned the meeting.

Jamie Morita
Recording Secretary

Joe Franklin
Mayor

ATTEST:

Liza Tamura
City Clerk