# **City of Manhattan Beach**

1400 Highland Avenue Manhattan Beach, CA 90266



## **Meeting Minutes - Draft**

Thursday, May 21, 2020

8:00 AM

## CALL AND NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING

**City Council Chambers** 

## **City Council Special Meeting**

ELECTED OFFICIALS Mayor Richard Montgomery Mayor Pro Tem Suzanne Hadley Councilmember Hildy Stern Councilmember Steve Napolitano Councilmember Nancy Hersman PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CITY ARCHIVES THE VIDEO RECORDINGS OF ALL REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS AND THE VIDEO FOR THIS MEETING IS HEREBY INCORPORATED BY THIS REFERENCE. ALSO IN SUPPORT OF MORE TRANSPARENCY AND THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) COMPLIANCE, THE CITY OFFERS CLOSED CAPTIONING FOR REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS. FOR A COMPLETE RECORD OF THIS CITY COUNCIL MEETING, GO TO:

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#### A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

At 8:00 AM, Mayor Montgomery called the meeting to order.

#### B. ROLL CALL

Present 5 - Mayor Montgomery, Mayor Pro Tem Hadley, Councilmember Stern, Councilmember Napolitano and Councilmember Hersman

#### C. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Management Services, Senior Deputy City Clerk Martha Alvarez, confirmed that the City did not receive any eComments, email public comments or voicemail public comments for the May 21, 2020, City Council Special Meeting.

#### D. CLOSED SESSION

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

City Attorney Quinn Barrow announced the following Closed Session.

### CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL (ANTICIPATED LITIGATION) (Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2)(1))

A point has been reached where, in the opinion of the City Council on the advice of its City Attorney, based on existing facts and circumstances, there is a significant exposure to litigation against the City.

Number of Cases: 9

#### **II. RECESS INTO CLOSED SESSION**

At 8:04 AM, Mayor Montgomery announced that City Council would recess into Closed Session.

#### **III. RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION**

At 8:56 AM, the City Council reconvened into Open Session with all Councilmembers present.

#### **IV. CLOSED SESSION ANNOUNCEMENT IN OPEN SESSION**

City Attorney Quinn Barrow announced that the City Council went into Closed Session to discuss the item identified on the agenda. The City Council gave direction to the City Attorney and Police Chief. No other reportable action was taken.

#### G. ADJOURNMENT

At 8:58 AM Mayor Montgomery adjourned the meeting.

Martha Alvarez Recording Secretary

Richard Montgomery Mayor

ATTEST:

Liza Tamura City Clerk