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CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MORENO VALLEY MORENO VALLEY COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT CITY AS SUCCESSOR AGENCY FOR THE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF MORENO VALLEY MORENO VALLEY HOUSING AUTHORITY

STUDY SESSION – 6:00 PM June 14, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

The Joint Meeting of the City Council of the City of Moreno Valley, Moreno Valley Community Services District, City as Successor Agency for the Community Redevelopment Agency of the City of Moreno Valley, and Moreno Valley Housing Authority was called to order at 6:06 p.m. by Mayor Gutierrez in the Council Chamber located at 14177 Frederick Street.

Mayor Gutierrez announced that the City Council receives a separate stipend for CSD meetings.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Pledge of Allegiance was led David Marquez.

INVOCATION

Pastor Don Maresh, Discovery Christian Church of Moreno Valley

ROLL CALL

Council: Dr. Yxstian A. Gutierrez Mayor

Jeffrey J. Giba Mayor Pro Tem
Jesse L. Molina Council Member
George E. Price Council Member
D. LaDonna Jempson Council Member

INTRODUCTIONS

Staff: Michelle Dawson City Manager

Steve Quintanilla Interim City Attorney
Leslie Keane Interim City Clerk
Marshall Eyerman Chief Financial Officer
Thomas M. DeSantis Assistant City Manager

Ahmad Ansari Public Works Director/City Engineer

Joel Ontiveros Police Chief

Mark Williams Battalion Fire Chief

Terrie Stevens Administrative Services Director

Gabriel Garcia Parks & Community Services Director

Mike Lee Economic Development Director
Allen Brock Community Development Director

Shanna Palau Management Analyst Ewa Lopez Deputy City Clerk

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MATTERS EITHER ON THE AGENDA OR NOT ON THE AGENDA UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Mayor Gutierrez announced they would hear public comments for 30 minutes; if any comments remained after the 30 minutes, they would be heard following Item A.1 on the agenda.

Public Comments were received from:

Scott Heveran

1. The need for an Ethics Committee.

Donovan Saadiq

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

Alicia Espinoza

1. Council Member Jempson's past and request to step down.

Clint Lorimore, BIA

1. Item A.3, User Fee Schedule FY 2016/17.

Ms. Smith

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

Madeline Lopez

1. Complaints for loud neighbors and no action from the MVPD.

David Marquez

- 1. The past is the past.
- 2. Extended his support for Council Member Jempson.

Jimmy Lopez

1. Contacted MVPD regarding an issue with his loud neighbor and didn't receive a response until days later.

Lonnie

1. Supports Council Member Jempson.

JoAnn Stephen

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

Peggy Holmes

1. Supports Council Member Jempson and asked for additional support.

Mayor Gutierrez announced the 30 minutes had past and the remaining public comments would resume following Item A.1 on the agenda.

A. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

A.1. STATE WATER ISSUES: PRESENTATION BY CURT SCHMUTTE, WATER RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING CONSULTANT (Report of: City Manager)

Presentation was given by Curt Schmutte, Water Resources and Environmental Planning Consultant.

Mayor Pro Tem Giba left the meeting at 7:16 p.m.

Mayor Gutierrez recessed the meeting at 7:17 p.m.

Mayor Gutierrez reconvened the meeting at 7:22 p.m.

Mayor Gutierrez re-opened the public comments from earlier, which were received from:

Robert Harris

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

David Lara-Tellez

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

Eduardo Gomez

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

Louise Palomarez

1. Council Member Jempson's past.

Jose Chavez

1. Council Member Jempson's past and request to step down.

Rafael Brugueras

- 1. Council Member Jempson's past.
- 2. Background checks for Councilmembers.

Leo Gonzalez

Council Member Jempson's past.

Roy Bleckert

- 1. Item A.3, the City's User Fee Schedule for FY 2016/17.
- 2. Unity and putting our community first.

Millie Bailey

- 1. Thanked the City Council for listening.
- 2. Council Member Jempson's past.

Erlan Gomez

1. Supports the Sister City programs.

Maria Melgosa

Council Member Jempson's past.

Virginia Castillano

- 1. Council Member Baca.
- 2. Council Member Jempson's past.

A.2. SISTER CITY PROGRAM UPDATE / PROPOSED NEW CITY (Report of: City Clerk)

Recommendations: That the City Council:

- 1. Receive information about Moreno Valley's Sister City Program status.
- 2. Provide guidance to staff regarding the current Sister City program and the proposal to expand.

Council's direction: Move forward with sister cities program.

A.3. DISCUSSION OF CITY USER FEE SCHEDULE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016/17 (Report of: Financial & Management Services)

Council's direction: concur with the Finance Subcommittee's recommendations that the proposed fees remain similar to current levels except for fees where the structure needed to be changed to accommodate a more efficient method for charging fees.

Recommendations: That the City Council:

1. Conduct a discussion on the proposed 2016/17 User Fee Schedule.

A.4. CITY COUNCIL REQUESTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Council Member Molina

- 1. Ethics Ad Hoc Committee.
- 2. Trying to make the City of Moreno Valley as positive as possible and the best it can be.
- 3. Sister Cities
- 4. Keep communications open.

Council Member Price

- 1. Addressed comments regarding criminal background.
- 2. Transient Occupany Tax (TOT) (Hotel Tax) article in the Press, asked Council for support to write a letter to the Press-Enterprise.
- 3. Rally Round the Flag, today is Flag Day.
- 4. Requested to adjourn in memory of Nick Ferguson, former Superintendent of the Moreno Valley School District and the victims of Orlando shooting.

Council Member Jempson

- 1. Friday begins Moval Rocks and Moval Movies at no cost; a great family event.
- 2. Phase two of the Peace March will be this Saturday.
- 3. Responses to public comments.

Mayor Gutierrez

- 1. Importance of keeping our youth active and reading 20 minutes per day, enroll them in the summer reading program.
- 2. Moval Rocks every Friday.
- 3. Boards and Commissions were left status quo and was misled in the Press Enterprise.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Gutierrez adjourned the meeting in memory of Nick Ferguson, former Superintendent of the Moreno Valley School District, and in memory of the victims of Orlando shooting.

There being no further business to conduct, the Study Session was adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Submitted by:

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Leslie Keane, Interim City Clerk Secretary, Moreno Valley Community Services District Secretary, City as Successor Agency for the Community Redevelopment Agency of the City of Moreno Valley Secretary, Moreno Valley Housing Authority