

CITY OF BRAWLEY
February 16, 2021

The City Council of the City of Brawley, California met in regular session at 6:00 PM, City Council Chambers, 383 Main Street, Brawley, California, the date, time and place duly established for the holding of said meeting. The City Clerk attests to the posting of the agenda pursuant to G.C. §54954.2.

Mayor Hamby called meeting to order @ 6:02 PM

PRESENT: Castro, Couchman, Hamby, Nava, Wharton
ABSENT: None

INVOCATION: Chaplin John Sharpe

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: CM Castro

1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was **approved** as submitted. m/s/c Couchman/Nava 5-0

2. PUBLIC APPEARANCES/COMMENTS (Not to exceed 4 minutes) this is the time for the public to address the Council on any item not appearing on the agenda that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council.

To maintain social distancing, in person attendance is strongly discouraged. Should a member of the public wish to provide public comments, please submit written comments via email to abenavides@brawley-ca.gov or contact the City Clerk's Office at 760/351.3080. The deadline to submit written comments is 2pm February 16, 2021.

State of California Governor Gavin Newsom waived specific portions of the Brown Act by Executive Order for the period that social distancing measures are recommended and required by state and local public health officials. The waiver of Brown Act provisions requires:

- a. Members of the public are allowed to observe and address public meetings telephonically or through other electronic means.
- b. Procedures "swiftly" accommodate any reasonable request to accommodate access by disabled individuals to meetings that are accessible telephonically or through other electronic means in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act ("ADA").
- c. Notice of the procedure is provided for making requests for such reasonable accommodation with the notice for any public meeting.
- d. Tyler Salcido, City Manager read a letter on behalf of Pioneer's Memorial Hospital District.
- e. There were no public appearances or comments received by email or phone.

Public Comments and Presentations are available on the City of Brawley's website:

http://brawley.thepublicspectrum.org/view_video.php?meeting=213&video=XTbdmLCDGnY&yt=1

3. CONSENT AGENDA Items are approved by one motion. Council Members or members of the public may request consent items be considered separately at a time determined by the Mayor. m/s/c Wharton/Couchman 5-0

PRESENT: Castro, Couchman, Hamby, Nava, Wharton
ABSENT: None
NAYES: None
ABSENT: None

- a. **APPROVED** Accounts Payable: February 4, 2021 and February 11, 2021
- b. **APPROVED** City Council Minutes: February 2, 2021

4. REGULAR BUSINESS:

- a. Update on City of Brawley Declaration of Local Emergency as a Result of COVID-19 Pandemic
 - i. Overall Outlook Presented by Fire Chief Mike York
- b. Discussion and Potential Action to Approve Resolution No. 2021- : Resolution of the City Council of the City of Brawley, California Adopting the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan presented by Mike York, Fire Chief .

The City Council **approved** Resolution No. 2021-07: Resolution of the City Council of the City of Brawley, California Adopting the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan presented by Mike York, Fire Chief .

- c. Discussion and Potential Action to Approve 1st Reading of Ordinance No. 2021- : Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Brawley, California, Adopting Rules and Regulations for Sidewalk Vendors that Choose to do Business in City Parks presented by William Smerdon, City Attorney.

The City Council **approved** 1st Reading of Ordinance No. 2021-04: Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Brawley, California, Adopting Rules and Regulations for Sidewalk Vendors that Choose to do Business in City Parks.

- d. Presentation of FY 2021/2022 Mid-Year Budget Review by Tyler Salcido, Finance Director.
- e. Discussion and Potential Action to Approve Fiscal Year 2021/2022 Budget Calendar presented by Tyler Salcido, City Manager. .
- f. Discussion and Potential Action to Approve the Proposal from Urban3 to Conduct an Economic Analysis for the City of Brawley presented by Tyler Salcido, City Manager.

Discussion and information regarding all City Council Actions items are available on the City of Brawley's website:

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5. DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

- a. Monthly Staffing Report for February 2021, prepared by Personnel & Risk Management Administrator Shirley Bonillas.

- b. Update on Emergency Construction Project at the Brawley Water Treatment Plant to Replace Components of Two Sedimentation Basins presented by Public Works Director Guillermo Sillas, PE.

Information regarding the updates are available on the City of Brawley's website:

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6. INFORMATIONAL

- a. Record of Building Permits for January 2021 in the City of Brawley, prepared by Oscar Escalante, Interim Building Official.

Information regarding the updates are available on the City of Brawley's website:

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7. CITY TREASURER REPORT

- a. Quarterly Investment Summary for December 31, 2020 presented by Tyler Salcido, City Manager.

Information regarding the City Treasurer Report is available on the City of Brawley's website:

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8. CITY COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

City Council Member Reports are available on the City of Brawley's website:

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9. CITY MANAGER REPORT

City Manager Report is available on the City of Brawley's website:

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10. CITY ATTORNEY REPORT

City Attorney Report is available on the City of Brawley's website:

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- 11. CITY CLERK REPORT** Nothing to report.

12. CLOSED SESSION

ADJOURNMENT @ 8:25 pm



Alma Benavides, City Clerk