

CITY OF BRAWLEY
November 19, 2014

The City Council of the City of Brawley, California met in an adjourned regular session at 6:00 PM, 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.

The meeting was called to order by **Mayor Couchman** @ 6:02 PM

PRESENT: Campbell, Couchman, Nava, Wharton

ABSENT: None

The invocation was offered by **Mayor Campbell**

The pledge of allegiance was led by **CM Wharton**

1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was **approved** as submitted. Nava/Couchman 4-0 Noriega absent

2. PUBLIC APPEARANCES

- a. **Tim Kelley**, Imperial Valley Economic Development Commission President commended Council on a great job to work with a local business last night Five Crowns re: Development Impact Fees.
- b. **Marjo Mello**, Library Director stated that the street sweeper is doing a great job.

3. REGULAR BUSINESS

- a. Reorganization of Officers
 - 1) Election of Mayor/Chair for the City Council, Successor Agency to Brawley Community Redevelopment Agency, Public Financing Agency and Public Improvement Corporation.

The City Council **motioned** to nominate CM Nava as the Mayor/Chair for the City Council, Successor Agency to Brawley Community Redevelopment Agency, Public Financing Agency and Public Improvement Corporation. m/s/c Campbell/Couchman 4-0 Noriega absent

- 2) Election of Mayor Pro-Tempore for the City Council, Vice Chair for the Successor Agency to the Brawley Community Redevelopment Agency, Vice Chair for the Public Financing Agency and Vice Chair for the Public Improvement Corporation.

The City Council **motioned** to nominate CM Wharton as the Mayor Pro-Tempore for the City Council, Vice Chair for the Successor Agency to the Brawley Community Redevelopment Agency, Vice Chair for the Public Financing Agency and Vice Chair for the Public Improvement Corporation. m/s/c Campbell/Couchman 4-0 Noriega absent

b. Outgoing comments by **Mayor Campbell**

CM Campbell stated that it was a pleasure to serve as Mayor for 2014, and wanted to thank the City Manager, colleagues and all City Staff.

The City Council **presented** with a binder of all year's happenings in the City of Brawley and a gift.

c. Incoming comments by **Mayor Nava**

Mayor Nava thanked the outgoing Mayor for being his role model and mentor, colleagues and City Staff for their continued hard work throughout the City. Proud and honored to be the incoming Mayor; this has been the greatest time on Council with everything that is going on from the renovation of downtown, road improvements and all the different departments. I would like to especially like to thank the citizens and my family.

d. **CM Couchman** thanked CM Campbell and CM Nava for their year as Mayor and Mayor Pro-Tempore.

e. CM Wharton stated that he has learned a lot from all of them, takes pride in his civic duty have learned a lot from my fellow colleagues and we have an amazing staff that cares, there is accountability, and I love the direction where Brawley is going. I would also like to thank the wife's.

ADJOURNMENT @ 6:30 PM

Alma Benavides, City Clerk