



**City of Eureka, CA
City Council Regular Meeting
Tuesday, October 06, 2020
6:00 PM**

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 531 K STREET EUREKA, CA 95501

AGENDA

ELECTED OFFICIALS

*Mayor Susan Seaman
Councilmember Leslie Castellano, Ward 1
Councilmember Heidi Messner, Ward 2
Councilmember Natalie Arroyo, Ward 3
Councilmember Austin Allison, Ward 4
Councilmember Kim Bergel, Ward 5*

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If you don't want to call in during the meeting, please submit your comment via email to the City Clerk at cityclerk@ci.eureka.ca.gov or you may leave a message at 707.441.4175 prior to 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, the day of the meeting to ensure that Council receives your comment before the meeting. All comments received by e-mail or mail will be part of the public record for Council consideration but will not be read aloud during the meeting.

For items not on the agenda, please make a note that is a "Public Comment" submission. Only those messages that state they are for public comment will be included in the record.

PUBLIC COMMENT

(Limited to 3 minutes each speaker on Closed Session items only)

CLOSED SESSION - 5:00 P.M.

If closed session items cannot be completed by 5:55 P.M., they will be continued at the conclusion of the regular agenda, provided there is time. If time does not allow then those closed session items will be continued to the next regular meeting.

Conference with labor negotiators

Agency designated representatives: Will Folger for City of Eureka

Employee organization: Eureka City Employees Association (ECEA)

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54957.6

Conference with legal counsel – existing litigation

City of Eureka v. Purdue Pharma, L.P., et al.,

United States District Court Northern District of Ohio Case No. 1:18-op-46092

Pursuant to Section 54956.9 California Government Code

Conference with legal counsel – existing litigation

Oscar Leatherman and Kelly Pifferini v. City of Eureka, et al.

Northern District of California Case No. 4:17-cv-05610-HSG

Pursuant to Section 54956.9 California Government Code

Public Employee Performance Evaluation - City Manager

Pursuant to section 54957.6 (b) (1) California Government Code

REGULAR SESSION – 6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

MAYOR’S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Global Peer Support Celebration Day

Lawrence "Laurie" Lazio Proclamation

PRESENTATIONS

Youth Council Report

Chamber of Commerce Update - Donna Wright, CEO

BOARD/COMMISSION REPORTS

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

This is the time for members of the public who wish to be heard on matters that do not appear on the Agenda. City Council policy is to limit each speaker to three (3) minutes. Such time allotment or portion thereof shall not be transferred to other speakers. Members of the Public wishing to address the Council may submit a Speaker Card to the City Clerk and proceed to the podium after being recognized. Speakers will be called up in the order the Speaker Cards are received. Those who have not filled out a Speaker Card will be given an opportunity to speak after all those who have completed Speaker Cards have spoken. The public will be allowed to speak concurrently with the calling of an agenda item following the staff presentation of that item. Pursuant to the Brown Act, the City Council may not take action on an item that does not appear on the Agenda.

TIME ALLOTMENT FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS: A maximum of thirty (30) minutes shall be allotted to receiving public comments at the initial public comment period. If necessary, an additional period shall be allotted to public comments after City Manager Reports, but only if the first 30-minute Public Comment period was not sufficient to allow all those who wished to speak to do so.

A. PUBLIC HEARINGS

Public Hearings are scheduled for a time certain of 6:00 P.M. unless noticed otherwise, or as soon thereafter as possible.

B. CONSENT CALENDAR

Notice to the Public: All matters listed under this category are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. Pursuant to City Council Resolution 2011-22, if a member of the public would like an item on the Consent Calendar pulled and discussed separately, the request shall be made to a Councilmember prior to the meeting. Unless a specific request is made by a Councilmember, the Consent Calendar will not be read. There will be no separate discussion of these items.

B.1. Council Meeting Minutes

Recommendation: Approve the regular Council meeting minutes of September 15, 2020 as submitted.

B.2. Accept Funding for Elk River Estuary/Tidal Wetlands Enhancement and Coastal Access Trail Project

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution of the City Council approving of grant funds from State Coastal Conservancy Proposition 1 for the Elk River Estuary/Tidal Wetlands Enhancement and Coastal Access Trail Project.

B.3. Request for Fee Waiver for Design Review Creative Sign Permit Application

Recommendation: Approve request to waive fees for processing a Design Review Creative Sign Permit application.

B.4. Humboldt County Drug Task Force Canine Agreement

Recommendation: Authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement on behalf of the City of Eureka with the Humboldt County Drug Task Force (HCDF), including the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office and Arcata Police Department for the purchase, assignment,

equipment, training, compensation and care of a narcotics, gun and ammunition detection canine for the HCDTF.

B.5. California Condor Memorandum of Understanding for veterinary treatment at Sequoia Park Zoo

Recommendation: Adopt a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the holding and veterinary treatment of ill or injured California condors at the Sequoia Park Zoo in partnership with the Yurok Tribe, US Fish & Wildlife Service, the National Park Service, and collaborating wildlife care facilities.

B.6. Memorandum of Understanding – Eureka City Employees Association (ECEA)

Recommendation: Adopt Resolution of the City Council authorizing the Mayor to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Eureka and the Eureka City Employees Association effective through June 30, 2021.

C. ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS

C.1. Bill 985-C.S - Chapter 150 Building Regulations Unsafe Structures; Abatement of Nuisances of the Eureka Municipal Code

Recommendation: Waive reading, read by Title only and adopt Bill No. 985-C.S., an Ordinance of the City of Eureka amending Chapter 150, Sections 150.140 thru 150.190 Building Regulations Unsafe Structures; Abatement of Nuisances of the Eureka Municipal Code.

D. REPORTS/ACTION ITEMS

D.1. COVID-19 Update: Solid Waste & CRV Buy Back

Recommendation: Receive a report from Humboldt Waste Management Authority and Recology Humboldt on waste management amid COVID-19; and Authorize the Mayor to sign a letter of support regarding the "Lack of CRV Redemption Services in Humboldt County".

D.2. Resilient Eureka Window Poetry

Recommendation: Receive report.

D.3. Financial Update

Recommendation: Receive Report.

E. CITY MANAGER REPORTS

E.1. Syringe Exchange Program Update

COUNCIL REPORTS / CITY-RELATED TRAVEL REPORTS

ADJOURNMENT

If open session items cannot be completed by 9:30 P.M., the meeting may be adjourned to the next regular meeting or Council may vote to extend the meeting.

NOTICES

The numerical order of items on this agenda is for convenience of reference. Items may be taken out of order upon the request and consensus of the Mayor and Council.

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- 1. We may disagree, but we will be respectful of one another.*
- 2. All comments will be directed to the issue at hand.*
- 3. Personal attacks are unacceptable*
- 4. Applauding or other displays of approval/disapproval are discouraged.*

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