City Council Meeting
Amended Agenda

Tuesday, October 20, 2026

1:30 PM

Hybrid Meeting - Council Chambers and Virtually -
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Closed Session at 9:30 a.m.

MATT MAHAN, MAYOR
ROSEMARY KAMEI, DISTRICT 1
PAMELA CAMPOS, DISTRICT 2
ANTHONY TORDILLOS, DISTRICT 3
DAVID COHEN, DISTRICT 4
PETER ORTIZ, DISTRICT 5
MICHAEL MULCAHY, DISTRICT 6
BIEN DOAN, DISTRICT 7
DOMINGO CANDELAS, DISTRICT 8
PAM FOLEY, VICE MAYOR, DISTRICT 9
GEORGE CASEY, DISTRICT 10

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- Call to Order and Roll Call

9:30 a.m. - Closed Session, Call to Order in Council Chambers
Open Session, Labor Negotiations Update (See Item 3.2)
Adjourn to Closed Session in Council Chambers Conference Room, W133
See Separate Agenda

26-1074 Closed Session Agenda

Attachments Closed Session Agenda

1:30 p.m. - Regular Session, Council Chambers, City Hall

6:00 p.m. - Evening Session, Council Chambers, City Hall – Cancelled
*The previously scheduled Evening Session has been cancelled.

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Invocation (District 9)

Union Middle School Jazz Combo

- Orders of the Day

Items recommended to be added, dropped, or deferred are usually approved under Orders of the Day unless the Council directs otherwise.

- Adjournment Recognition
- Closed Session Report

To be heard after Ceremonial Items

1. CEREMONIAL ITEMS

1.1 Presentation of a proclamation recognizing National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM) to reaffirm the City of San José's dedication to ensuring equal opportunities and access for all. (Foley, Kamei, & Casey)

1.2 Presentation of a commendation honoring Vita Fota at 102 years old and celebrating her more than 70 years as a San José resident, including her service as a Rosie the Riveter and contributions to the Italian American community and the City of San José. (Doan)

1.3 Presentation of a proclamation honoring October 25, 2026, as the Republic of China (Taiwan) Day in the City of San José. (Ortiz)

1.4 Presentation of commendation to CEFCU, San José Water, and the San José Conservation Corps, whose collaboration with the Department of Parks, Recreation, and Neighborhood Services demonstrate the power of partnerships in creating healthy communities and restoring public spaces. (Candelas, Ortiz & Mulcahy)

2. CONSENT CALENDAR

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2.1 Approval of City Council Minutes.

26-1055 **Approval of City Council Minutes.**

Recommendation: (a) Regular City Council Meeting Minutes of September 15, 2026.
(b) Regular City Council Meeting Minutes of September 22, 2026.
(c) Regular City Council Meeting Minutes of September 29, 2026.
(d) Regular City Council Meeting Minutes of October 6, 2026.
(e) City Council Study Session Minutes of October 2, 2026.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-009, Staff Reports, Assessments, Annual Reports, and Informational Memos that involve no approvals of any City action.

Attachments
(a) 09/15/2026 CC Minutes
(b) 09/22/2026 CC Minutes
(c) 09/29/2026 CC Minutes
(d) 10/06/2026 CC Minutes
(e) 10/2/2026 CC SS Minutes

2.2 Final Adoption of Ordinances.

26-1096 **Final Adoption of Ordinances.**

Recommendation: (a) Ordinance No. 31354 - An Ordinance of the City of San José Adding a New Chapter 11.91 to Title 11 of the San José Municipal Code Relating to the Regulation of Personal Delivery Devices.
[Passed for Publication on 10/6/2026 - Item 5.1(a) (26-1033)]

2.3 Approval of Council Committee Minutes.

26-1073 **Approval of Council Committee Minutes.**

Recommendation: (a) Regular Joint Meeting for the Rules and Open Government Committee Minutes of September 23, 2026.
(b) Regular Joint Meeting for the Rules and Open Government Committee Minutes of September 30, 2026.
(c) Regular Joint Meeting for the Rules and Open Government Committee Minutes of October 7, 2026.
(d) Regular Transportation and Environment Committee Minutes of October 5, 2026.
(e) Regular Neighborhood Services and Education Committee Minutes of October 8, 2026.
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Attachments
(a) 09/23/2026 ROGC Minutes
(b) 09/30/2026 ROGC Minutes
(c) 10/07/2026 ROGC Minutes
(d) 10/05/2026 T&E Minutes
(e) 10/08/2026 NSE Minutes

2.4 Mayor and Council Excused Absence Requests.

26-1095 **Mayor and Council Excused Absence Requests.**

Recommendation: (a) Request for a retroactive excused absence for Councilmember Candelas from the regular meeting of Rules and Open Government Committee and Committee of the Whole on September 23, 2026, due to authorized City business to attend the Cal Cities Annual Conference and Expo in Anaheim, California.
(b) Request for an excused absence for Councilmember Kamei from the regular meeting of Rules and Open Government Committee and Committee of the Whole on October 21, 2026, due to authorized City business to attend the annual meeting of the California Local Agency Formation Commission of Santa Clara County.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-010, City Organizational and Administrative Activities resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Candelas & Kamei)
[Rules Committee referral (a) 10/7/2026 & (b) 10/14/2026 - Item A.1.a]

Attachments Memorandum

2.5 City Council Travel Reports.

2.6 Report from the Council Liaison to the Retirement Boards.

2.7 26-1075 **Retroactive Approval of Free Use of the Janet Gray Hayes Rotunda for the Responsive Cities Network San José Kickoff.**

Recommendation: Adopt a resolution retroactively authorizing "Free Use" of the Janet Gray Hayes Rotunda for the private, invitation-only Responsive Cities Network San José Kickoff held on August 5, 2026, hosted by the Information Technology Department in partnership with the Mayor's Office and City Manager's Office.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-011, Temporary Special Events resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Information Technology)

Attachments Memorandum
Resolution

2.8 26-1069 **Approval of the District 9 End-of-Term, Farewell Celebration Sponsored by Council District 9 as a City Council Sponsored Special Event to Expend City Funds and Accept Donations of Materials and Services for the Event.**

Recommendation: As recommended by the Rules and Open Government Committee on September 30, 2026:
(a) Approve the District 9 End-of-Term, Farewell Celebration scheduled on December 2, 2026, at the Rotary Summit Center as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds; and
(b) Approve and accept donations from various individuals, businesses or community groups to support the event.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-011, Temporary Special Events resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Foley)
[Rules Committee referral 9/30/2026 - Item B.6]

Attachments Memorandum

2.9 26-1089 **Approval of Proclamation, Flag Raising and Lighting Recognizing Taiwan Retrocession Day Sponsored by Council District 5 as a City Council Sponsored Special Event to Expend City Funds and Accept Donations of Materials and Services for the Event.**

Recommendation: As recommended by the Rules and Open Government Committee on October 7, 2026:
(a) Approve the proclamation of the Republic of China (Taiwan) Retrocession Day scheduled on October 20, 2026, as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds.
(b) Approve the Taiwanese Flag Raising scheduled on October 23, 2026, as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds.
(c) Approve the Republic of China (Taiwan) Retrocession Day Tower and Rotunda Lighting scheduled from October 20-26, 2026, as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds.
(d) Approve and accept donations from various individuals, businesses or community groups to support the event.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-011, Temporary Special Events resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Ortiz)
[Rules Committee referral 10/20/2026 - Item B.4]

Attachments Memorandum

2.10 26-1122 **Approval of District 9 SAP Funds for the Rotary Club of San Jose Foundation.**

Recommendation: As recommended by the Rules and Open Government Committee on October 14, 2026, approve a grant to the Rotary Club of San Jose Foundation to support their Enterprise Leadership Conference in the amount of $2,500.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-010, City Organizational and Administrative activities resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Foley)
[Rules Committee referral 10/14/2026 - Item B.2]

Attachments Memorandum

2.11 26-1125 **Retroactive Request for Travel and Excused Absence.**

Recommendation: As recommended by the Rules and Open Government Committee on October 14, 2026:
(a) Retroactively authorize travel for Councilmember Cohen to attend the League of California Cities Expo in Anaheim, CA, from September 23-25, 2026. Source of Funds: Mayor and Council Travel Funds.
(b) Request a retroactive excused absence from the regular meeting of Rules and Open Government Committee on September 23, 2026.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-010, City Organizational and Administrative Activities resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Cohen)
[Rules Committee referral 10/14/2026 - Item B.3]

Attachments Memorandum
Supplemental Memorandum - Mayor/Council Travel Budget

3. STRATEGIC SUPPORT

3.1 Report of the City Manager, Jennifer Maguire (Verbal Report).

3.2 Labor Negotiations Update.

Accept Labor Negotiations Update.
TO BE HEARD AT 9:30 A.M.

3.3 26-1076 **2025-2026 City Manager's Annual Report.**

Recommendation: (a) Accept the 2025-2026 City Manager's Annual Report in compliance with City Charter Section 701 (F).
(b) Approve the following position changes in the Public Works Department:
(1) Delete 1.0 Division Manager; and
(2) Add 1.0 Senior Facility Repair Worker.
(c) Approve the following position changes in the Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department:
(1) Add 1.0 Division Manager; and
(2) Delete 1.0 Senior Facility Repair Worker.
(d) Adopt Appropriation Ordinance and Funding Sources Resolution amendments in various operating and capital funds to implement the 2025-2026 Annual Report recommendations, as detailed in Section IV (Recommended Budget Adjustments and Clean-Up/Rebudget Actions).
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-009, Staff Reports, Assessments, Annual Reports, and Informational Memos that involve no approval of any City actions, and File No. PP17-004, Government Funding Mechanism of Fiscal Activity with no commitment to a specific project which may result in a potentially physical impact on the environment.
(City Manager)

Attachments 2025-2026 Annual Report
Presentation - est. 10 minutes

3.4 26-1085 **Civil Service Commission Interview. - TO BE HEARD LAST**

Recommendation: (a) Interview applicants and consider appointments to fill the following seats on the Civil Service Commission:
(1) One (1) Member-at-Large seat with an unexpired term ending November 30, 2027.
(2) One (1) Member-at-Large seat with a term beginning on December 1, 2026, and ending November 30, 2030.
(b) If any vacancies remain, direct the City Clerk to continue recruitment efforts and bring forward additional applicants for consideration.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-010, City Organizational and Administrative Activities, resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (City Clerk)
[Rules Committee referral 9/30/2026 - Item A.1.a; Deferred from 10/6/2026 - Item 3.3 (26-1066)]

Attachments
Memorandum, updated 10/15/26
Replacement Memorandum - Conflicts of Interest, 10/15/26
Applications, updated 10/15/26
Letter from Applicant
Letter from the Public

3.5 26-1077 **Conditional Vacation of a Portion of Spring Street between Asbury Street and West Taylor Street.**

Recommendation: (a) Conduct a public hearing on the conditional vacation of approximately 25,690 square feet of Public Street Right-of-Way on Spring Street, between Asbury Street and West Taylor Street (Subject Portion).
(b) Adopt a resolution:
(1) Approving the report from the Director of Public Works setting forth the facts justifying the conditional vacation of approximately 25,690 square feet of Public Street Right-of-Way on Spring Street, between Asbury Street and West Taylor Street (Subject Portion);
(2) Finding, pursuant to Streets and Highways Code Section 8324(b), that the Subject Portion is unnecessary for current or prospective public use as a street, and vacating the Subject Portion, conditioned upon the abandonment and/or relocation of all existing public utility facilities and utility easements affecting the Subject Portion; and
(3) Instructing the City Clerk to record a certified copy of the resolution of vacation for the Subject Portion with the Office of the Recorder, County of Santa Clara after the Director of Public Works confirms the satisfaction of the conditions to vacate.
CEQA: Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Columbus Park Project (Resolution No. RES2025-78), File No. ER20-025. Council District 6. (Public Works)

Attachments Memorandum
Resolution

4. PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

4.1 26-1078 **2025 Independent Police Auditor Year End Report.**

Recommendation: (a) Accept the 2025 Independent Police Auditor Year End Report.
(b) Accept the San José Police Department's response to the recommendations contained in the 2025 Independent Police Auditor Year End Report.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-009, Staff Reports, Assessments, Annual Reports, and Informational Memos that involve no approvals of any City action. (Independent Police Auditor)

Attachments
(a) Memorandum
(b) Memorandum
IPA 2025 Annual Report
(a) Presentation - est. 15 minutes
(b) Presentation - est. 10 minutes
Letters from the Public

5. TRANSPORTATION & AVIATION SERVICES

6. ENVIRONMENTAL & UTILITY SERVICES

7. NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES

8. COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

8.1 26-1079 **Citywide Planning Work Plan Prioritization.**

Recommendation: (a) Adopt the current proposed prioritization of the Citywide Planning work plan through December 2027 based on existing Council direction; or
(1) Reconsider past direction and adopt a different alternative, such as Alternative 1 Single Density for Missing Middle, or Alternative 2 Council Priorities Emphasis.
(b) Direct staff to return in November 2028, and annually thereafter, to prioritize the Citywide Planning work plan through the next 18-month period.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-007, Preliminary direction to staff and eventual action requires approval from decision-making body.
(Planning, Building, and Code Enforcement)

Attachments
Memorandum
Memorandum from Mayor, Foley, Campos, Tordillos & Mulcahy
Memorandum from Candelas, Casey, Ortiz & Cohen, 10/16/26
Presentation - est. 15 minutes
Letters from the Public - 1 of 2
Letters from the Public - 2 of 2
Letters Received Post Meeting

9. REDEVELOPMENT – SUCCESSOR AGENCY

10. LAND USE

Notice to the public: There will be no separate discussion of Land Use Consent Calendar (Item 10.1) as they are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be adopted by one motion. If a member of the City Council requests discussion on a particular item, that item will be removed from the Land Use Consent Calendar (Item 10.1) and considered separately.

10.1 Land Use on Consent Calendar

No Land Use items on Consent Calendar.

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

10 Land Use - Regular Agenda

10.2 26-1080 **GP26-002 - Early Consideration for a Privately-Initiated General Plan Amendment for Certain Real Property Located at 525 Race Street.**

Recommendation: Direct staff to continue the processing of a privately-initiated General Plan Amendment application to amend the Envision San José 2040 General Plan Land Use/Transportation Diagram designation from Industrial Park to Combined Industrial/Commercial on an approximately 3.98-gross-acre site located at 525 Race Street.
CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-007, Preliminary direction to staff and eventual action requires approval from decision-making body. Planning Commission recommends approval (10-0-1, Casey absent) (Item 6a on the 9/9/2026 Planning Commission Agenda). Council District 6. (Planning, Building, and Code Enforcement)

Attachments Memorandum
Presentation - est. 5 minutes

10.3 26-1081 **H25-039 & ER25-225 - Administrative Hearing on the Environmental Appeal and Site Development Permit Appeal for Certain Real Property Located at 470 West San Carlos Street.**

Recommendation: (a) Conduct a public hearing to consider the appeal of the Director's approval of a Site Development Permit and an environmental appeal of the Planning Director's reliance on a Statutory Exemption Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.66 (Assembly Bill 130) in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), to allow the construction of an eight-story residential building with 276 dwelling units and underground parking, with five percent affordable units restricted to very low-income, subject to the state Density Bonus Law, and extended construction hours from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays on an approximately 0.89-gross-acre vacant site, located on the southwest corner of West San Carlos Street and Gifford Avenue (1462-470 West San Carlos Street and 321-329 Gifford Avenue, APN: 264-20-133).

(b) Adopt a resolution denying the environmental appeal and upholding the Planning Director's reliance on the Statutory Exemption for the 470 West San Carlos Street Project, in accordance with CEQA, and finding that:

(1) The City Council has independently reviewed and analyzed the Assembly Bill 130 Statutory Exemption prepared for the 470 West San Carlos Street Project and related administrative records related to Site Development Permit No. H25-039;

(2) The Assembly Bill 130 Statutory Exemption for the 470 West San Carlos Street Project was prepared and completed in full compliance with the CEQA, as amended, together with state and local implementation guidelines;

(3) Reliance on the Assembly Bill 130 Statutory Exemption for the 470 West San Carlos Street Project reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the City of San José, as the lead agency for the Project; and

(4) Preparation of an Environmental Impact Report or Mitigated Negative Declaration/Negative Declaration is not required because the appeal does not raise any issues that would disqualify the project from the Assembly Bill 130 Statutory Exemption for the 470 West San Carlos Street Project.

(c) Adopt a resolution denying the permit appeal and approving, subject to conditions, a Site Development Permit to allow the proposed project at 470 West San Carlos Street.

CEQA: Exempt, Public Resources Code Section 21090.66 (Assembly Bill 130). Council District 6. (Planning, Building, and Code Enforcement)

Attachments
Memorandum
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Presentation - est. 5 minutes
Letters from the Public

10.4 26-1082 **ER25-243 - Administrative Hearing on the Appeal of the In-fill Exemption for a Data Center Use at 300 Holger Way.**

Recommendation:
(a) Conduct a public hearing to consider the environmental appeal of the Planning Director's reliance on an In-fill Exemption in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15332, to allow a data center use within an existing approximately 97,800-square-foot research and development building on an approximately 4.86 gross-acre site located on the south side of Holger Way, approximately 1,870 feet west of Zanker Road (300 Holger Way).
(b) Adopt a resolution denying the environmental appeal and upholding the Planning Director's reliance on the In-fill Exemption for the 300 Holger Way Project, in accordance with CEQA, and finding that:
(1) The City Council has independently reviewed and analyzed the In-fill Exemption prepared for the 300 Holger Way Project and related administrative records related to Special Use Permit No. SP25-029;
(2) The In-fill Exemption for the 300 Holger Way Project was prepared and completed in full compliance with the CEQA, as amended, together with state and local implementation guidelines;
(3) Reliance on the In-fill Exemption for the 300 Holger Way Project reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the City of San José, as the lead agency for the Project; and
(4) Preparation of an Environmental Impact Report or Mitigated Negative Declaration/Negative Declaration is not required because the appeal does not raise any issues that would disqualify the project from the In-fill Exemption for the 300 Holger Way Project.
CEQA: Exempt, CEQA Guidelines Section 15332 for In-fill Development Projects, File No. ER25-243 for the 300 Holger Way Project. Council District 4. (Planning, Building, and Code Enforcement)

Attachments
Memorandum
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Presentation - est. 5 minutes
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- Open Forum

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- Adjournment

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The City of San José is committed to open and honest government and strives to consistently meet the community's expectations by providing excellent service, in a positive and timely manner, and in the full view of the public.

Welcome to the San José City Council meeting!

This Agenda contains both a Consent Calendar section for routine business items that require Council approval, and general business items arranged to correspond with San José's City Service Areas (CSAs). City Service Areas represent the policy-making level for strategic planning, policy setting, and investment decisions in the critical functions the City provides to the community. They are:

- **Strategic Support** - The internal functions that enable the CSAs to provide direct services to the community in an effective and efficient manner.
- **Public Safety** - Commitment to excellence in public safety by investing in neighborhood partnerships as well as prevention, enforcement, and emergency preparedness services.
- **Transportation & Aviation Services** - A safe and efficient transportation system that contributes to the livability and economic health of the City; and provide for the air transportation needs of the community and the region at levels that is acceptable to the community.
- **Environmental and Utility Services** - Manage environmental services and utility systems to ensure a sustainable environment for the community.
- **Neighborhood Services** - Serve, foster, and strengthen community by providing access to lifelong learning and opportunities to enjoy life.
- **Community & Economic Development** - Manage the growth and change of the community in order to create and preserve healthy neighborhoods and ensure a diverse range of employment and housing opportunities.

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   c) Cellular phones and electronic devices must be silenced. Use of such devices shall not interfere with or disrupt the conduct of the meeting.
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      - The items cannot create a building maintenance problem or a fire or safety hazard.
   b) Persons with objects and symbolic materials such as signs must remain seated when displaying them and must not raise the items above shoulder level, obstruct the view or passage of other attendees, or otherwise disturb the business of the meeting.
   c) Objects that are deemed a threat to persons at the meeting or the facility infrastructure are not allowed. City staff is authorized to remove items and/or individuals from the Council Chambers and Committee Rooms if a threat exists or is reasonably determined by security personnel to present a legitimate safety risk. Prohibited items include, but are not limited to: firearms (including replicas and antiques), toy guns, explosive material, and ammunition; knives and other edged weapons; illegal drugs and drug paraphernalia; laser pointers, scissors, razors, scalpels, box cutting knives, and other cutting tools; letter openers, corkscrews, can openers with points, knitting needles, and hooks; hairspray, pepper spray, and aerosol containers; tools; glass containers; and large backpacks and suitcases that contain items unrelated to the meeting.
3. **Addressing the Council, Successor Agency Board, Committee, Board or Commission:**
   a) Persons wishing to speak on an agenda item or during open forum are requested to follow

established sign-up procedures.

b) Meeting attendees are usually given one (1) minute to speak on any agenda item and/or during open forum; the time limit is in the discretion of the Chair of the meeting and may be limited when appropriate. Applicants and appellants in land use matters are usually given more time to speak.

c) The Chair may limit overall time allotted to public comments, pursuant to California Government Code Section 54954.3(b)(1).

d) Speakers should discuss topics related to City business on the agenda, unless they are speaking during open forum in which case comments must be under the subject matter jurisdiction of the applicable legislative body.

e) Speakers' comments should be addressed to the full body. Speakers may be reminded to direct comments to the full body rather than engaging individual Mayor, Council Members, Board Members, Commissioners or Staff in conversation

f) Speakers may not engage in conduct that actually disrupts, delays, or materially interferes with the orderly conduct of the meeting or the ability of others to attend, listen, observe, or participate in the meeting. Any person engaging in any of the following conduct may, after warning when feasible, forfeit the remainder of their speaking time, be muted, removed from the meeting, or excluded from further participation as authorized by law:

- True threats of violence or unlawful intimidation;
- Conduct that materially interferes with another person's ability to attend, listen to, observe, or provide public comment;
- Repeated or intentional abuse of meeting procedures or speaking processes in a manner that disrupts the orderly conduct of the meeting;
- Technologically disruptive conduct, including blasting audio, generating excessive noise or feedback, repeated attempts to rejoin after lawful removal, use of automated or coordinated means to disrupt participation, or other conduct intended to substantially disrupt, derail, or prevent the orderly continuation of the meeting; or
- Refusal to comply with lawful time, place, and manner rules after warning when feasible.

g) Speakers will not bring to the podium any items other than a prepared written statement, writing materials, or objects that have been inspected by security staff.

h) If an individual wishes to submit written information, he or she may give it to the City Clerk or other administrative staff at the meeting.

i) Speakers and any other members of the public will not approach the dais at any time without prior consent from the Chair of the meeting.

Failure to comply with this Code of Conduct which will disturb, disrupt or impede the orderly conduct of the meeting may result in removal from the meeting and/or possible arrest.