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**SPECIAL MEETING/HEARING AGENDA**

**September 27, 2022**

**\*6:00 p.m.\***

**\* COVID-19 NOTICE \***

*Consistent with AB 361 and City of San Jose Resolution Nos. 80628 and 80659, this meeting will not be physically open to the public and the Commissioners will be teleconferencing from remote locations.*

**How to observe the Meeting (no public comment)**

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- 1) By email to [clerkcivilservicecom@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:clerkcivilservicecom@sanjoseca.gov) by 9:00 a.m. the day of the meeting.

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- 1) By phone 888 475 4499. Meeting ID: **832 7156 6991** Click \*9 to raise a hand to speak.
- 2) By online: <https://sanjoseca.zoom.us/j/83271566991>
  - a. Use a current, up-to-date browser: Chrome 30+, Firefox 27+, Microsoft Edge 12+, Safari 7+. Certain functionality may be disabled in older browsers including Internet Explorer. Mute all other audio before speaking. Using multiple devices can cause an audio feedback.
  - b. Enter an email address and name. The name will be visible online and will be used to notify you that it is your turn to speak.
  - c. When the Chair calls for the item on which you wish to speak, click on “raise hand.” Speakers will be notified shortly before they are called to speak.
  - d. When called, please limit your remarks to the time limit allotted.

**I. Call to Order & Roll Call**

**II. Disciplinary Hearing (Open Session)**

Hearing for appeal of suspension of Greg Berndt, Wastewater Operator III, Environmental Services Department, Case No. 22-55. (Van Roo/Appellant).

**III. Adjourn to Closed Session for Deliberation**

**IV. Return to Open Session**

1. Closed session report (if applicable).
2. Adjourn to 4:00 p.m. Thursday, October 6, 2022 regularly scheduled meeting.

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