



Meeting Minutes

City Council

Steve Tate ~ Mayor

Larry Carr ~ Mayor Pro Tem

Rene Spring ~ Council Member

Rich Constantine ~ Council Member

Wednesday, January 11, 2017

6:00 PM

**Council Chamber
17555 Peak Avenue
Morgan Hill, CA 95037**

Special Meeting

SPECIAL MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE

Present: 4 - Mayor Pro Tem Carr, Council Member Constantine, Mayor Tate, Council Member Spring

Absent: 0

DECLARATION OF POSTING OF AGENDA

Deputy City Clerk Michelle Wilson declared the posting of the agenda.

SILENT INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT

*The public comment for items not on the agenda was opened at 6:01 p.m.
Hearing no requests to speak, the public comment was closed.*

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Action: On a motion by Council Member Constantine and seconded by Council Member Spring, adopting the agenda as posted. The motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes: 4 - Carr, Constantine, Tate, Spring

Noes: 0

Absent: 0

INTERVIEWS1 [16-859](#)**INTERVIEWS TO FILL VACANCY ON THE CITY COUNCIL**

City Manager Steve Rymer provided an overview of the process for the evening.

The public comment was opened at 6:05 p.m.

Hearing no requests to speak, the public comment was closed.

Mayor Pro Tem Carr thanked all of the applicants for their interest in serving the community.

Applicants Interviewed:

Mitan Gandhi

Joseph Carrillo

Paul Pascoal

Angela Young

Yvonne Martinez

Theresa Pittman

Mayor Tate called a recess at 7:09 p.m.

The meeting was reconvened at 7:13 p.m.

Norm Alexander

Troy Knapp

Prithpal Khajuria

John McKay

Danielle Davenport

Marilyn Librers

Sanjar Chakamian

Carol Fredrickson

Chris Harrington

Mario Banuelos

Mayor Tate called a recess at 8:36 p.m.

The meeting was reconvened at 8:43 p.m.

Caitlin Jachimowicz

Cappy Myers

Monica Pette

Erik Hansen

Kirk Bertolet

Gavin Daprile

Daniel Kenney

Carla Ernest

Action: On a motion by Council Member Spring and seconded by Council Member Constantine, conducting call back interviews at the January 18, 2017 meeting at 7:00 p.m. for Caitlin Jachimowicz, Danielle Davenport, John McKay, and Carol Fredrickson and conduct initial interview for Mariana Solomon. The motion passed by the following vote:

Ayes: 4 - Carr, Constantine, Tate, Spring

Noes: 0

Absent: 0

FUTURE COUNCIL INITIATED AGENDA ITEMS:

None.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 10:22 p.m.

MINUTES PREPARED BY:

Michelle Wilson, Deputy City Clerk

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City Council's Priorities, Goals, and Strategies

2016

2016 Commitment

The City Council is committed to engaging the community and being responsible stewards of public resources.

Ongoing Priorities

The City Council is committed to providing high quality and sustainable services for the entire Morgan Hill community. Fundamental to the City Council's success are the ongoing priorities of:

- Enhancing public safety
- Protecting the environment
- Maintaining fiscal responsibility
- Supporting youth
- Fostering a positive organizational culture
- Preserving and cultivating public trust

2016 Focus Areas

In addition to the City Council's priorities, five specific focus areas were recognized by the Council that will require significant resources in 2016.

- Planning Our Community
- Developing Our Community
- Enhancing Our Services
- Improving Our Communication
- Participating In Regional Initiatives