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CITY MANAGER



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EMMA ACOSTA, DISTRICT 3
CARL L. ROBINSON, DISTRICT 4
MICHEL R. NOE, DISTRICT 5
CLAUDIA ORDAZ, DISTRICT 6
LILY LIMÓN, DISTRICT 7
CORTNEY CARLISLE NILAND, DISTRICT 8

MINUTES FOR REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

May 24, 2016
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
8:00 AM

ROLL CALL

The City Council met in regular session at the above place and date. Meeting was called to order at 8:01 a.m. Mayor Pro Tempore Michiel Noe present and presiding and the following Council Members answered roll call: Jim Tolbert, Carl Robinson, Claudia Ordaz and Lilia Limón. Late arrivals: Emma Acosta at 8:11 a.m., and Peter Svarzbein at 8:15 a.m. Not Present: Cortney Niland. Mayor Oscar Leeser requested to be excused. A moment of silence, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

REGULAR AGENDA – PUBLIC HEARINGS AND SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES

1. Goal 3: Promote the Visual Image of El Paso

1.1. ORDINANCE 018506

The City Clerk read an Ordinance entitled: **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 20 (ZONING), CHAPTER 20.10 (SUPPLEMENTAL USE REGULATIONS), SECTION 20.10.680 (TEMPORARY USES) OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE, TO ALLOW FOR TEMPORARY PLACES OF ASSEMBLY ON UNDEVELOPED LOTS AND IN THE RANCH AND FARM ZONING DISTRICT; AND TO APPLY CHAPTER 20.14 (OFF-STREET PARKING, LOADING AND STORAGE) REGULATIONS AND ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS TO TEMPORARY PLACES OF ASSEMBLY ON UNDEVELOPED LOTS. THE PENALTY IS AS PROVIDED FOR IN CHAPTER 20.24 OF THE EL PASO CITY CODE.**

Ms. Kimberly Forsyth, Program Manager, Planning and Inspections, presented a

PowerPoint presentation (copy on file in City Clerk's Office).

Representatives Robinson, Limón, Acosta, Svarzbein, and Noe commented.

The following City staff members commented:

1. Ms. Sylvia Firth, City Attorney, gave legal advice.
2. Ms. Elizabeth Gibson, Program Manager, One Stop Shop
3. Ms. Karla Nieman, Assistant City Attorney, gave legal advice.
4. Mr. Larry Nichols, Director of Planning and Inspections

The following members of the public commented:

1. Mr. Rodrigo Acosta
2. Ms. Veronica Hernandez
3. Ms. Joni Superville, Townsquare Media

Motion duly made by Representative Robinson, seconded by Mayor Pro Tempore Noe, that the Ordinance be **ADOPTED**. Whereupon the Mayor ordered that a vote be taken on the passage and adoption of the Ordinance which when so done resulted as follows:

AYES: Representatives Svarzbein, Tolbert, Acosta, Robinson, Noe, and Ordaz

NAYS: Representative Limón

NOT PRESENT FOR THE VOTE: Representative Niland

Whereupon the Mayor ordered that, the vote having been cast in favor of the Ordinance, the same be and the same are hereby **ADOPTED**.

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ADJOURN

Motion made by Representative Limón, seconded by Mayor Pro Tempore Noe, and unanimously carried to **ADJOURN** this meeting at 8:47 a.m.

NOT PRESENT FOR THE VOTE: Representative Niland

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APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Richarda Duffy Momsen, City Clerk