

JOINT MEETING OF THE CONCORD  
CITY COUNCIL AND THE  
COMMUNITY SERVICES  
COMMISSION (CSC)  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
CONCORD CITY COUNCIL  
PERMIT CENTER CONFERENCE  
ROOM  
1950 PARKSIDE DRIVE  
CONCORD, CALIFORNIA  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2014

The Concord City Council met in a joint meeting with the Community Services Commission in the Permit Center Conference Room located at 1950 Parkside Drive at 5:35 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5, 2014, with Mayor Grayson presiding. Vice Mayor Leone led the Pledge of Allegiance. Minutes follow in abbreviated form per Resolution 3361 and Council Minutes of September 26, 1966.

ROLL CALL

COUNCILMEMBERS PRESENT: Edi Birsan, Dan Helix, Laura Hoffmeister, Ron Leone, Tim Grayson (Councilmember Hoffmeister arrived at 5:40 p.m.)

COUNCILMEMBERS ABSENT: None

COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION  
MEMBERS PRESENT: Kurt Brogger, Jeanette Green, Ajit Kaushal, David Miller, David Molstad, Develyn Sewell, Mark Weinmann

COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION  
MEMBERS ABSENT: Ronald Glas

STAFF PRESENT: Valerie Barone, City Manager; Mark Coon, City Attorney; Susanne Brown, Senior Assistant City Attorney; Joelle Fockler, City Clerk; Joan Carrico, Director of Community and Recreation Services; Brenda Kain, Community Services Program Manager; Marla Parada, Community Services Program Manager; Cathy Gaughan, Admin. Support

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC  
WHO ADDRESSED THE COUNCIL: Ray Barbour, Concord; George Fulmore, Concord; Neil Zarchin, Concord; Ana Cardenas, Concord

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Ray Barbour, Concord, congratulated the incumbents on their victory in yesterday's election and commended the Measure Q Committee on its work.

George Fulmore, Concord, spoke of the open enrollment period for Covered California and encouraged community members to get the word out to enroll in Covered California.

STUDY SESSION – 2015/20 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG)  
FUNDING – A continuation of the October 28, 2014 Study Session

Mayor Grayson introduced Program Manager Brenda Kain, who gave a report, referring to her memorandum dated November 5, 2014. Ms. Kain noted that the study session was intended to focus on future activities for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding, which will meet the priority needs of Concord's lower income neighborhoods and residents, and to provide guidance to the CSC to move forward with the FY 2015/17 grant funding cycle.

Following questions by the Council, Mayor Grayson opened a public comment period.

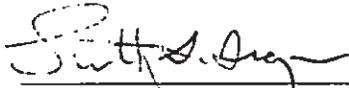
Neil Zarchin, Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano, thanked the Council and Commission for support and requested continued support.

Ana Cardenas, Meals on Wheels, thanked the Council and Commission for support and requested continued support.

Mayor Grayson closed the public comment period.

After discussion, it was the consensus of the Council to narrow the categories in the Priority Matrix, reducing the number of categories by combining categories, and also for the priorities to focus on the handicapped, homeless, seniors, economic development, and infrastructure.

By order of the Mayor, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.



TIMOTHY S. GRAYSON  
MAYOR



JOELLE FOCKLER, CMC  
CITY CLERK