

Gridley City Council – Special Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 12, 2023; 6:00 pm
Gridley City Hall, 685 Kentucky Street, Gridley, CA 95948

“Our purpose is to continuously enhance our community’s vitality and overall quality of life. We are committed to providing high quality, cost-effective municipal services and forming productive partnerships with our residents and regional organizations. We collectively develop, share, and are guided by a clear vision, values, and meaningful objectives.”

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Farr called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers

Present: Farr, Johnson, Roberts, Sanchez, Calderon
Absent: None
Arriving after roll call: None

Staff Present: Cliff Wagner, City Administrator
Rodney Harr, Police Chief
Tony Galyean, City Attorney
Jake Carter, Utility Director
Elisa Arteaga, Finance Director

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilmember Roberts led the Pledge of Allegiance.

INVOCATION - None

PROCLAMATIONS - None

INTRODUCTION OF NEW OR PROMOTED EMPLOYEES – None

CONSENT AGENDA - None

ITEMS FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION

1. Review Cost of Services Studies and Findings – Electrical Service

Mark Beauchamp of Utility Financial Solutions presented the electric rate design and requested Council and public input. Council and Beauchamp had extensive conversations and looked at many different rate structures. City Administrator Wagner recommended Council focus on adopting the rate design for the next two years and reevaluating at the 2 year mark.

Pat Coughlan, Gridley Resident, spoke against the rate change.

Motion to have Beauchamp re-present the design with the recommended 8% increase for the next two years was made by Councilmember Roberts and seconded by Councilmember Calderon.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Ayes: Farr, Calderon, Roberts, Sanchez

Noes: Johnson

Motion carried, 4-1

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION FORUM - None

CITY STAFF AND COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS - None

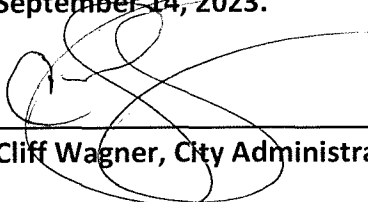
POTENTIAL FUTURE CITY COUNCIL ITEMS - (Appearing on the Agenda within 30-90 days):

Council Study Session – Water/Wastewater Rates	9/14/2023
2022 Power Source Disclosure Report	9/18/2023
Finance Policies	9/18/2023
Soccer Park Plan Review	9/18/2023

CLOSED SESSION – None

ADJOURNMENT

With no further items left to discuss, Mayor Farr adjourned to the next special meeting on ~~September 14, 2023.~~



Cliff Wagner, City Administrator