

# **Gridley City Council – Regular Meeting Minutes**

Monday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022; 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.”*

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## **CALL TO ORDER**

**Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:01 pm.**

## **ROLL CALL**

### **Councilmembers**

Present: Johnson, Torres, Calderon, Farr, Sanchez

Absent: None

Arriving after roll call: None

Staff present: Cliff Wagner, City Administrator  
Tony Galyean, City Attorney  
Rodney Harr, Chief of Police  
Ross Pippitt, Public Works Director  
Elisa Arteaga, Finance Director  
Sean Norman, Fire Chief

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**Councilmember Calderon led the Pledge of Allegiance.**

## **INVOCATION**

**Invocation was provided by Bishop Bob Bowling of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-Day Saints**

## **PROCLAMATION**

**Mayor Johnson read the Homeless and Runaway Youth Awareness Month proclamation for November 2022.**

## **INTRODUCTION OF NEW OR PROMOTED EMPLOYEES**

**Chief Harr introduced both Sergeant Eva Smith and Officer Emma Ziebarth to Council and expressed that the Gridley Police Department is grateful to have them.**

## **COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION FORUM**

**Kimberly Hogan, Gridley resident, expressed concerns about the appointment of the two new Councilmembers who will fill the two vacancies starting December 5, 2022.**

**Si Se Puede group spoke before Council to thank them for its unanimous decision to adopt the Smoke and Vape Free Parks ordinance at the September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022, City Council meeting.**

## **CONSENT AGENDA**

1. City Council Minutes Dated October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022
2. Resolution Number Correction of Previously Approved Resolution from 2022-R-038 to the Corrected Number 2022-R-039
3. Replacement of Gridley Reserve Fire Engine
4. Expenditure Reports 9/22, 10/22
5. Notice of Completion for Manuel Vierra Park, Tennis Court Rehabilitation

**Councilmember Sanchez requested that item #6 be removed from the consent agenda and placed on items for consideration.**

**Motion to approve consent agenda with item #6 being removed was made by Vice Mayor Farr, seconded by Councilmember Torres.**

## **ROLL CALL VOTE**

**Ayes: Johnson, Farr, Sanchez, Calderon, Torres**

**Motion passed, 5-0**

## **ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION**

6. Resolution No. 2022-R-040: A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Gridley Appointing Nominees for the Office of Gridley City Council for a Four – Year Term Beginning December 5, 2022

**City Administrator Wagner explained that the appointment of the two qualified nominees who will assume office December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022, is a result of only two individuals completing and filing all necessary documents with the City of Gridley for the two open vacancies.**

**Motion to approve Resolution No. 2022-R-040 was made by Vice Mayor Farr, seconded by Councilmember Torres.**

## **ROLL CALL VOTE**

**Ayes: Johnson, Farr, Sanchez, Calderon, Torres**

**Motion passed, 5-0**

7. Informational Update from Gridley CSO Officer, Katie Hill

**CSO Officer, Katie Hill, formally introduced herself to Council and gave a brief update on what her immediate and long-term goals for the City of Gridley are.**

8. Resolution No. 2022-R-041: A Resolution of the City of Gridley Authorizing the Donation to Gridley Invitational Basketball Tournament (GIBT) and Appropriation of Supplemental Funds

**GIBT Director, Chris McIntire, informed Council of what can be expected at the 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Gridley Invitational Basketball Tournament.**

**Motion to approve Resolution No. 2022-R-041 was made by Councilmember Calderon, seconded by Councilmember Sanchez.**

**ROLL CALL VOTE**

**Ayes: Johnson, Farr, Torres, Calderon, Sanchez**

**Motion passed, 5-0**

9. Gridley Clean Up Day Informational Update from Waste Management

**Joe Cadelago, of Waste Management, presented an informational update on the Gridley Clean Up Day. Cadelago stated the event went very well and that all volunteers played a huge part.**

10. SBFCA Development Impact Fee Informational Update

**Michael Bessette and Seth Wurzel presented the proposed regional development impact fees that will ensure future levee construction while also maintaining the current levees and their certifications per state and federal standards.**

**After brief public and Council discussion, motion to support the creation of SBFCA regional development impact fee was made by Councilmember Sanchez, seconded by Councilmember Torres.**

**ROLL CALL VOTE**

**Ayes: Farr, Calderon, Torres, Sanchez, Johnson**

**Motion Passed, 5-0**

11. Award for Contract for Folder/Inserter Lease

**Finance director, Elisa Arteaga, presented the staff report requesting Council authorize the upgrade of the City's outdated folder/inserter machine.**

**Motion to approve item was made by Councilmember Calderon, seconded by Vice Mayor Farr.**

**ROLL CALL VOTE**

**Ayes: Farr, Calderon, Johnson, Torres, Sanchez**  
**Motion passed, 5-0**

**CITY STAFF AND COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Councilmember Calderon thanked Ross Pippitt and the public works department for their park clean up that followed the Día De Los Muertos celebration.**

**Mayor Johnson reported on his attendance at the LAFCO meeting, where multiple properties were annexed into the City of Gridley.**

**CITY ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS - None**

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

Treasurer's Report FYE 21-22	11/21/2022
Broadband Feasibility Study Proposal	11/21/2022

**CLOSED SESSION – None**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**With no further items left to discuss, Council adjourned to the next regular meeting on November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022.**



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**Cliff Wagner, City Administrator**