

# Gridley City Council – Special City Council Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 10, 2020; 6:00 pm  
Gridley City Hall, 685 Kentucky Street, Gridley, CA 95948

Approved as Submitted

*“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.”*

## Notice of Temporary City Council Meeting Procedures

This meeting is being held in accordance with the Brown Act as currently in effect under the State Emergency Act, Governor Gavin Newsom’s Emergency Declaration related to COVID-19, and Governor Newsom’s Executive Order N-29-20 issued March 17, 2020 that allows attendance by City Council, City staff and the public to participate and conduct the meeting by teleconference and to participate in the meeting to the same extent as if they were present. Comments from the public on agenda items will be accepted until 4 pm on June 10, 2020, via email to [jmolinari@gridley.ca.us](mailto:jmolinari@gridley.ca.us) or via the payment/document drop box at Gridley City Hall and will be conveyed to the Council for consideration. The Mayor and Council appreciate the public’s adaptation and patience during this crisis.

You may attend via teleconference:

- Dial 1-888-204-5987
- Enter the Access Code 5767603#

## CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

## ROLL CALL

### Council members

Present: Borges, Crye, Torres, Williams, Johnson  
Absent: None  
Arriving after roll call: None

Staff present: Paul Eckert, City Administrator/Finance Director  
Tony Galyean, City Attorney  
Danny Howard, Electric Utility Director  
Ross Pippitt, Public Works Director  
Rodney Harr, Police Chief  
Ruben Quihuiz, Lieutenant

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Council member Torres led the Pledge of Allegiance

## INVOCATION - None

**PROCLAMATIONS – None**

**INTRODUCTION OF NEW OR PROMOTED EMPLOYEES - None**

**COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION FORUM**

The Mayor opened the forum and seeing no one present wishing to speak the forum was closed.

**CONSENT AGENDA - None**

**ITEMS FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION**

1. FY 2020-21 Annual Budget Public Meeting #2

Administrator Eckert continued the budget review from the first meeting on June 1. He highlighted the budget policies, basic priorities, etc. and invited Council perspective. Also presenting were Chief Ken Lowe of CAL Fire, City Contract Engineer Dave Harden of Bennett Engineering, Public Works Director Ross Pippitt and Electric Utility Director Danny Howard.

**CITY STAFF AND COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

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

Police Department Digital Radio System Budget Review	6/15/2020
Budget Review and Adoption	6/15/2020
Additional Budget Session if required	6/24/2020
Garbage Services RFP Approval	9/7/2020

**CLOSED SESSION – None**

**ADJOURNMENT**

With no items for further discussion, Council adjourned to the Regular Council meeting scheduled for June 15, 2020.

  
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Paul Eckert, City Clerk