

# Gridley City Council – Regular Meeting Minutes

Monday, December 19, 2022; 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.”*

## CALL TO ORDER

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

## ROLL CALL

### Councilmembers

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

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

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Vice Mayor Johnson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## INVOCATION – None

## PROCLAMATION – None

## INTRODUCTION OF NEW OR PROMOTED EMPLOYEES

Police Chief, Rodney Harr, mentioned that Officer Garrett Mauldin was not able to attend and will be formally introduced at the next regular meeting.

## COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION FORUM

The forum was opened and seeing no one was present to speak, was closed.

## CONSENT AGENDA

1. City Council Minutes Dated December 5<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Motion to approve consent agenda was made by Vice Mayor Johnson, seconded by Councilmember Sanchez.**

**ROLL CALL VOTE:**

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

**ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION**

2. Resolution No. 2022-R-044: Authorization for the Supplemental Appropriation and Funding to Purchase an Additional Four (4) Body Worn Cameras, Licensing and Cloud Storage

**Chief Harr addressed the Council and explained that with the recent addition of Police Officers, the Gridley Police Department was in need of four additional body worn cameras. Also requested was the purchase of more cloud storage to accommodate the extra cameras.**

**Motion to approve Resolution No. 2022-R-044 was made by Councilmember Calderon, seconded by Councilmember Sanchez.**

**ROLL CALL VOTE:**

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

3. Gridley City Council Committee Assignments

**City Administrator Wagner displayed the proposed Council Committee Assignments that included Councilmember Roberts being assigned those that were previously held by outgoing Councilmember Torres. Motion to approve the assignments as presented was made by Councilmember Roberts, seconded by Vice Mayor Johnson.**

**ROLL CALL VOTE:**

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

**CITY STAFF AND COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Councilmember Calderon reported on his attendance at the Butte County Air Quality Management meeting.**

**CITY ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS**

**Administrator Wagner reported on his attendance at the Emergency NCPA Utility Directors meetings regarding the current market disruptions being seen in natural gas and energy prices. He explained that NCPA will continue to meet on an emergency weekly basis until further notice.**

**He also informed Council that the new Police Department hire, Officer Garrett Mauldin, is the recent Police Academy graduate sponsored by the City of Gridley.**

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

Treasurer's Report FYE 21-22	1/16/2023
Broadband Feasibility Study Proposal	1/16/2023
Orchard View Tentative	1/16/2023
Highway 99 Retail Center – GPA, RZ, Lot Merger, SDP, MND	1/16/2023
Orchard View Final Map	2/6/2023
General Plan Amendment/Pre-zone	2/6/2023
Butte County/City of Gridley Land Development	2/6/2023
General Plan, Sphere of Influence Amendment Contract Award	3/20/2023
Industrial Park Final Map	3/20/2023

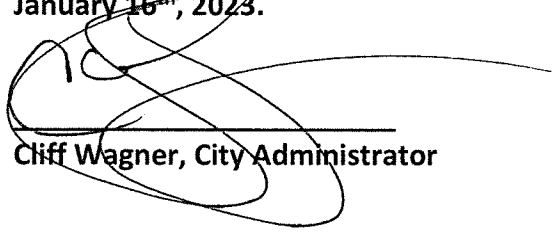
**CLOSED SESSION**

4. Closed Session Conference with Legal Counsel to Pursuant to Government Code 54956.9 to Discuss Existing Litigation: Case of Angel Barrera Alvarado vs. City of Gridley, Anthony Lara, Jennifer Silva and Does 1-10, Inclusive, Case No. 2:22cv-01202-TLN-DMC Pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California.”
5. Public Employment (GC: 54957) Position: Utility Director
6. Public Employee Performance Evaluation: City Administrator (GC: 54957)

**Council went into closed session at 6:28 p.m. and came out approximately at 7:10 p.m. with no reportable action.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**With no further items left to discuss, Mayor Farr adjourned to the next regular meeting on January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023.**



Cliff Wagner, City Administrator

