AGENDA
CITY OF WATSONVILLE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING

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Rebecca J. Garcia, Mayor, District 5
Trina Coffman-Gomez, Mayor Pro Tempore, District 6

Felipe Hernandez, Council Member, District 1
Aurelio Gonzalez, Council Member, District 2
Lowell Hurst, Council Member, District 3
Francisco Estrada, Council Member, District 4
Ari Parker, Council Member, District 7

Matt Huffaker, City Manager
Alan J. Smith, City Attorney
Beatriz Vázquez Flores, City Clerk

Special Closed Session Meeting

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2:00 p.m.

1. CLOSED SESSION
   (City Council Conference Room, 275 Main Street, 4th Floor)

   1) Public Comments regarding the Closed Session agenda will only be accepted by the City Council at this time.

   2) Closed Session Announcement
      The City Council will now recess to discuss those items listed on the Closed Session Statement attached to the Agenda.

2. PRESENTATIONS & ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

   This time is set aside for members of the general public to address the Council on any item not on the Council Agenda, which is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council. No action or discussion shall be taken on any item presented except that any Council Member may respond to statements made or questions asked, or may ask questions for clarification. All matters of an administrative nature will be referred to staff. All matters relating to Council will be noted in the minutes and may be scheduled for discussion at a future meeting or referred to staff for clarification and report. ALL SPEAKERS ARE ASKED ANNOUNCE THEIR NAME IN ORDER TO OBTAIN AN ACCURATE RECORD FOR THE MINUTES.

   A. REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

      Attachments: CLOSED SESSION AGENDA

3. ADJOURNMENT

   Pursuant to Section 54954.2(a)(1) of the Government Code of the State of California, this agenda was posted at
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2:00 P.M.                                                                                     Remote/Teleconference Meeting

_____Regular _____ Adjourned  X  Special Meeting of ___May 20, 2020___
[Date]

The City Council of the City of Watsonville will recess to Closed Session to discuss the matters that follow:

A.  CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR
(Government Code Section 54957.6)

1.  Agency negotiator:  Nathalie Manning and Matt Huffaker

   Employee organizations:  Clerical Technical
                            Confidential Unit
                            Executive Team
                            IAFF Local 1272 (Fire)
                            Management Unit
                            Mid-Management Unit
                            Operating Engineers Local Union No. 3 for employees in the Public Works Unit
                            Police Officers Association
                            Public Safety Mid-Management Unit

B.  PERSONNEL MATTERS
(Government Code Section 54957)

1.  PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

   Title:  City Manager
   Title:  City Clerk

Dated:  Monday, May 18, 2020

Prepared by: ________________________________________
Alan J. Smith, City Attorney