

APPROVAL OF MINUTES
EL MONTE CITY COUNCIL ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING
OF JANUARY 22, 2019

MEETING JOINTLY AND REGULARLY WITH THE EL MONTE HOUSING AUTHORITY; EL MONTE PUBLIC FINANCING AUTHORITY; EL MONTE WATER AUTHORITY; EL MONTE PARKING AUTHORITY; SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE FORMER EL MONTE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY; HOUSING SUCCESSOR AGENCY; AND, FROM TIME TO TIME, SUCH OTHER BODIES OF THE CITY WHOSE MEMBERSHIP IS COMPOSED EXCLUSIVELY OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CITY COUNCIL

1. CALL TO ORDER: **6:03 p.m.**

2. ROLL CALL FOR CITY COUNCIL AND AUTHORITY BODIES:

Andre Quintero, Mayor/Chair – **present**
Jerry Velasco, Mayor Pro Tem/Authority Member – **present**
Jessica Ancona, Councilmember/Authority Member – **present**
Victoria Martinez Muela, Councilmember/Authority Member – **present**
Maria Morales, Councilmember/Authority Member – **absent**

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

m) Mayor Quintero
s) Councilmember Martinez Muela **4-0 (Councilmember Morales absent)**

4. CLOSED SESSION (6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.):

The City Council and the various Authority Bodies whose membership is composed exclusively of the membership of the City Council (collectively, the “Council”) will attempt to address and complete all Closed Session business between 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. If the Council completes all Closed Session business prior to 7:00 p.m., the Council will take a short recess and commence all Open Session proceedings promptly at 7:00 p.m. In the event the City Council is unable to address or complete all agendaized Closed Session items by 7:00 p.m., the Council will hear all such remaining items toward the end of the meeting, immediately following Council Communications. Should any member of the public wish to address the Council on any *agendaized* Closed Session matter, the Council shall allow such person to address the Council on such matter prior to going into Closed Session, provided that all persons wishing to address the Council on an agendaized Closed Session matter shall fill out a speaker card and be subject to a speaker’s time limit of 3 minutes per speaker and further provided that the Council shall be under no obligation to respond to or deliberate upon any specific questions or comments posed by a speaker or take action on any issue raised by a speaker beyond such action as the City Council may be lawfully authorized to take on an agendaized Closed Session matter pursuant to the Brown Act (Govt. Code Section 54950 et seq.).

Mayor Quintero invited members of the public to address the City Council on Closed Session Items 4.1 and 4.2.

Mayor Quintero and the City Council recessed into Closed Session at approximately 6:07 p.m. Councilmember Morales joined the City Council prior to entering into Closed Session.

Mayor Quintero and the City Council reconvened from Closed Session at approximately 7:12 p.m.

Assistant City Attorney Joaquin Vazquez reported out of Closed Session with respect to Items 4.1 and 4.2.

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- 4.1 Closed Session Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1) – Conference with Legal Counsel to Discuss Matter of Existing Litigation – Nakada & Associates, Inc. et al. vs. City of El Monte, USDC Case No. 5:16-CV-01467-GW-SP.

General update, no final action

- 4.2 Closed Session Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2) and 54956.9(e)(3) – Conference with Legal Counsel regarding Anticipated Litigation – Significant Exposure to Litigation – One (1) Matter.

General update, no reportable action was taken in Closed Session

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Martinez Muela 5-0

OPEN SESSION PROCEEDINGS

(Commencing at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the City Council reconvene from Closed Session/Short Recess)

5. INVOCATION: Chaplain Manny Coronilla, Calvary Chapel El Monte. **Present**

6. FLAG SALUTE: William Robles from Cortada Elementary School. **Present**

7. RECOGNITIONS, HONORS AND COMMUNITY INTEREST PRESENTATIONS:

- 7.1 Presentation by the City Council to William Robles, from Cortada Elementary School for Leading the Pledge of Allegiance. **Present**

8. PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING NON-AGENDIZED MATTERS:

This time has been set aside for persons in the audience to make comments or inquiries on matters within the general subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council, the Housing Authority, the Financing Authority and/or the Water Authority (collectively, the “Council”) that **are not listed on this agenda**. Although no person is required to provide their name and address as a condition to attending a Council meeting, persons who wish to address the Council are asked to state their name and address. Each speaker will be limited to three (3) continuous minutes. Speakers may not lend any portion of their speaking time to other persons or borrow additional time from other persons.

Except as otherwise provided under the Brown Act (Gov. Code Section 54950 et seq.), the Council may not deliberate or take action upon any matter not listed on this posted agenda but may order that any such matter be placed on the agenda for a subsequent meeting. The Council may also direct staff to investigate certain matters for consideration at a future meeting.

All comments or queries presented by a speaker shall be addressed to the Council as a body and not to any specific member thereof. No questions shall be posed to any member of the Council except through the presiding official of the meeting, the Mayor and/or Chair. Members of the Council are under no obligation to respond to questions posed by speakers but may provide brief clarifying responses to any comment made or questions posed. The Council may not engage in any sort of prolonged discussion or deliberation with any speaker or group of speakers on matters that are not listed on this agenda.

Enforcement of Decorum: The Chief of Police, or such member, or members of the Police Department as the Chief of Police may designate, shall serve as the Sergeant-at-Arms of any Council meeting. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall carry out all orders and instructions given by the presiding official for the purpose of maintaining order and decorum at the meeting. While members of the public are free to level criticism of City

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policies and the action(s) or proposed action(s) of the Council or its members, members of the public may not engage in behavior that is disruptive to the orderly conduct of the proceedings, including, but not limited to, conduct that prevents other members of the public from being heard when it is their opportunity to speak or which prevents members of the audience from hearing or seeing the proceedings. Members of the public may not threaten any person with physical harm or act in a manner that may reasonably be interpreted as an imminent threat of physical harm. All persons attending the meeting must adhere to the City's policy barring harassment based upon a person's race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, medical condition, marital status, gender, sexual orientation or age.

Ke-Wei Zhao – I spoke last time on the 8th of January and I raised my concern about the marijuana growth here in El Monte. As a researcher I do not object to the use but I am very concerned about the recreational use of marijuana. You also knew that the neighboring individuals voiced their concern and the City of Temple City is starting to sue the City of El Monte and it will place a burden on the City. I would like to raise the question again for the Council to reconsider and withdraw the agreement so the City may avoid the expenses.

Jane Myring – I am here to speak on the Women's Club scholarship dinner coming up February 22, 2019, this is to help all our kids in El Monte to raise money to give them scholarships. Last year we gave 22 \$900 scholarships. This dinner will be catered by El Sombrero. We hope that you all come and support our children.

Giselle Sorial – I just wanted introduce myself I am the District Director for Senator Susan Rubio. We look forward to working with you all in supporting our shared constituents of El Monte. To all the residents of El Monte we are here to support you so if you are having any issues with any agencies that starts with California we are here to help.

9. CITY TREASURER'S REPORT: **No material submitted.**

10. DEMAND RESOLUTION NO. D-590
A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL MONTE, CALIFORNIA, ALLOWING CERTAIN CLAIMS AND DEMANDS AND SPECIFYING THE FUNDS OUT OF WHICH THE SAME ARE TO BE PAID.
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL MONTE, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS: SECTION 1. That the attached list of claims, demands, and payroll totaling \$4,488,688.56 have been examined by the City Treasurer and that warrant numbers 1079453 through 1079900 inclusive are hereby allowed in the amounts and ordered paid out of the respective funds as set forth.

m) Mayor Quintero
s) Councilmember Martinez Muela 5-0

11. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: **No material submitted.**

12. CONSENT CALENDAR:

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine in nature and may be enacted by one motion approving the recommendation listed on the Agenda. One or more items may be removed from the Consent Calendar so that they may be discussed, considered and voted upon individually by the Council. A matter may be removed from the Consent Calendar and taken up separately by way of a seconded motion of any member of the Council with the approval of a majority of the Council quorum.

12.1 Requests to Serve Alcohol at the Grace T. Black Auditorium.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

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It is recommended that the City Council consider and approve the requests listed below to serve/sell alcohol at the Grace T. Black Auditorium:

<u>Private User</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>
Maria Noguera (Grace T. Black Auditorium)	50 th Birthday (Attendance 160)	Saturday, February 23, 2019 5:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Estela Raygoza-Sanchez (Grace T. Black Auditorium)	Sweet 16 (Attendance 150)	Saturday, May 11, 2019 6:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Lilian De Loza-Gutierrez (Grace T. Black Auditorium)	Quinceañera (Attendance 160)	Saturday, May 25 , 2019 5:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
<u>Organization</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>
El Monte Women’s Club (Grace T. Black Auditorium)	Scholarship Fundraiser Dinner (Attendance 300)	Friday, February 22, 2019 5:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

m) Mayor Quintero
s) Councilmember Ancona **5-0**

- 12.2 Approval of a Resolution Approving a Parkview Elementary School Request for Street Closures and Processing of a Special Event Permit for the Annual Americanism Parade.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Consider and adopt a Resolution approving the request by Parkview Elementary School for assistance from the City to coordinate street closures and to process a Special Event Permit for the purpose of conducting the Annual Americanism Parade on Wednesday February 27, 2019; and
2. Waive all fees associated with this event.

Total Cost: N/A Account No: N/A
Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

Resolution No. 9937

m) Mayor Quintero
s) Councilmember Ancona **5-0**

- 12.3 Approval of a First Amendment to the Professional Services Agreement with Tom Dodson & Associates to Increase the Not-to-Exceed Amount of \$60,000 by \$28,800 and Allow for an Additional Six (6) Months for the Completion of the Work to Update the 2007 Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan Set Forth in the 2007 Environmental Impact Report for the El Monte Gateway Specific Plan (Formerly, the “El Monte Transit Village Specific Plan”) in Light of Recent Proposed Development Projects.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Consider and approve the proposed First Amendment to the Professional Services Agreement (Attachment 1) with Tom Dodson & Associates to increase the not-to-exceed amount of \$60,000 by \$28,800 and allow for an additional six (6) months for the completion of the work to update the 2007

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Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan set forth in the 2007 Environmental Impact Report for the El Monte Gateway Specific Plan; and

2. Authorize the City Manager to execute the First Amendment to the Professional Services Agreement with Tom Dodson & Associates; and
3. Authorize an increase in appropriation of an additional \$88,800 in the Community & Economic Development Department FY 2018/19 operating budget to Account No. 100-61-841-6111 (General Contract Services), and authorize the use of General Fund Reserves for this budget amendment.

Total Cost: \$88,800

Account No: General Fund Reserve

Is the cost of this item budgeted? No

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Ancona 5-0

- 12.4 Approval of Request to Accept the Catch Basin Retrofit Project (CIP No. 691) as Complete by the Contractor United Stormwater, Inc.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Accept the Catch Basin Retrofit Project (CIP 691) as completed by the contractor United Stormwater, Inc.; and
2. File the Notice of Completion (NOC) with the Los Angeles County Recorder's office.

Total Cost: (\$182,461) Cost Savings

Account No: General Fund

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Ancona 5-0

13. PUBLIC HEARINGS:

- 13.1 A Public Hearing to Consider and Approve a Resolution of the City Council of the City of El Monte, California Ordering the Public Street Vacation of a Portion of the East-West Public Alley Located South of Ramona Boulevard Connecting Tyler Avenue and California Avenue, Making Requisite Findings in Accordance with Streets and Highways Code Section 8300 et seq., and Directing the Recordation of Notice of Street Vacation.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Open and continue the public hearing.

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

m) Mayor Quintero

**s) Councilmember Martinez Muela
Open the P.H.
5-0**

m) Mayor Quintero

**s) Councilmember Martinez Muela
Continue the PH to February 5, 2019
5-0**

- 13.2 A Public Hearing to Consider and Approve a Resolution Approving an Annual Cost-Recovery Regulatory Permit Fee for its Sidewalk Vending Permitting Program Pursuant to Urgency Ordinance No. 2940, Resolution No. 9934, and California Senate Bill 946.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

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It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Open the public hearing;
2. Receive presentation from staff;
3. Pose questions to staff;
4. Allow members of the public to offer comment;
5. Pose follow up questions to staff;
6. Close the public hearing;
7. Adopt, by no less than three (3) affirmative votes, a Resolution (Attachment 1) approving an annual cost-recovery regulatory permit fee for its sidewalk vending permitting program pursuant to Urgency Ordinance No. 2940, Resolution No. 9934, and California Senate Bill 946.

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

Resolution No. 9938

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Ancona
Open the P.H.
5-0

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Ancona
Close P.H.
5-0

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco
Resolution No. 9938
5-0

- 13.3 A Public Hearing to Consider and Approve a Resolution Approving Specific Plan Amendment SP 02-18 for the Annexation of Parcels from the Main Street Sub Area to the Monte-Vista Sub Area of the Main Street Downtown Transit Oriented District Specific Plan; 3701 Santa Anita Avenue.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Open the public hearing;
2. Receive presentation from staff;
3. Pose questions to staff;
4. Allow members of the public to offer comment;
5. Pose follow up questions to staff;
6. Close the public hearing;
7. Adopt, by no less than three (3) affirmative votes, a Resolution approving Specific Plan Amendment SP 02-18 for the annexation of parcels from the Main Street Sub Area to the Monte-Vista Sub Area of the Main Street Downtown Transit Oriented District Specific Plan; 3701 Santa Anita Avenue.

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

Resolution No. 9939

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco
Open the P.H.
5-0

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Martinez Muela
Close P.H.
5-0

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Martinez Muela
Resolution No. 9939
5-0

- 13.4 A Public Hearing to Consider an Appeal of Planning Commission Resolution No. 3525 Denying Conditional Use Permit No. 16-18 to Allow Licensing for Off-Premise Beer and Wine Sales within an Existing 1,246 Square Foot Gas Station at 4378 Santa Anita Avenue.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

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1. Open the public hearing;
2. Receive presentation from staff;
3. Pose questions to staff;
4. Allow members of the public to offer comment;
5. Pose follow up questions to staff;
6. Close the public hearing;
7. Adopt, by no less than three (3) affirmative votes: (a) a Resolution to uphold the Planning Commission's decision denying Conditional Use Permit No. 16-18; or (b) a Resolution to reverse the Planning Commission's decision and approve Conditional Use Permit No. 16-18

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

Resolution No. 9940

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Morales
Open the P.H.
(Reverse) 5-0

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco
Close P.H.
5-0

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco
Resolution No. 9940
5-0

14. REGULAR AGENDA:

- 14.1 Receive and File the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) of the City of El Monte for the Year Ending June 30, 2018.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Receive and file the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) of the City of El Monte for the Year Ending June 30, 2018.

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

Ke-wei Zhao - First of all I would like to see if these reports could be reviewed online and also I would like to bring up the higher and higher tax burdens on property owners. City of El Monte has one of the highest property taxes in the Country. I would like to ask the members when you are spending if you can consider what you are spending money on and to see if you can lower the property taxes.

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Martinez Muela 5-0

- 14.2 Consideration and Approval of a Resolution Updating the Citywide Classification and Compensation Plan and Repealing Resolution No. 9928 Approved December 4, 2018.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Consider and approve the attached Resolution establishing an updated Citywide Classification and Compensation Plan, effective as of the dates stated therein.

Total Cost: \$29,920

Account No: Multiple

Is the cost of this item budgeted? No

Resolution No. 9941

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco 5-0

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- 14.3 Consideration and Approval of a Resolution Authorizing the Recordation of an Irrevocable Offer of Dedication of a Segment of Parcel 8579-002-004 for Public Right-of-Way on Santa Anita Avenue (El Monte Gateway).

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Consider and approve to adopt a Resolution authorizing the recordation of an Irrevocable Offer of Dedication of a segment of parcel 8579-002-004; and
2. Consider and approve to authorize the City Manager to execute the Irrevocable Offer of Dedication, and any related documents for the public right-of-way on Santa Anita Avenue.

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

Resolution No. 9942

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco

5-0

- 14.4 Consideration and Approval of the Title and Draft Text of Special Legislation Authorizing the City of El Monte's Realignment and Relocation of State Historical Marker No. 975 and other Portions of Pioneer Park and to Sell Such Lands for Transit-Oriented Development.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Receive presentation from staff; and
2. Approve, by motion, the title and draft of the proposed legislation.

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Mayor Pro Tem Velasco

5-0

- 14.5 Discussion and Appointments of City Liaisons to Outside Boards, Agencies and Districts.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Appoint a Delegate to the League of California Cities. Annual Meeting: Long Beach Convention Center, October 16-18, 2019.
No stipend pay;

DELEGATE: **Councilmember Jessica Ancona**

2. Appoint a Delegate and an Alternate to the Disaster Council.
No stipend pay;

DELEGATE: **Councilmember Victoria Martinez Muela**

ALTERNATE: **Councilmember Jessica Ancona**

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3. Appoint a Delegate to the Foothill Transit Zone.
100 South Vincent Avenue, Suite 200
West Covina, CA 91791
Stipend pay is \$150.00 per meeting;

DELEGATE: **Councilmember Jessica Ancona**

ALTERNATE: **Councilmember Maria Morales**

4. Appoint a Delegate and an Alternate to METRO. Board Meetings typically occur on the 2nd Monday of each month are held at the METRO Building:
1 Gateway Plaza
Los Angeles, CA 90012
Stipend pay is \$100.00 per meeting;

DELEGATE: **Councilmember Maria Morales**

ALTERNATE: **Councilmember Jessica Ancona**

5. Appoint a Delegate and an Alternate to Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG). Regional Council meetings typically occur on the 1st Thursday of each month are held at the SCAG Main Office:
818 West 7th Street, 12th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90017
No stipend pay.

DELEGATE: **Councilmember Maria Morales**

ALTERNATE: **Councilmember Jessica Ancona**

Total Cost: N/A

Account No: N/A

Is the cost of this item budgeted? N/A

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Martinez Muela 5-0

15. CITY ATTORNEY'S AGENDA:

- 15.1 City Attorney Report Regarding the Approval of State of California Commercial Cannabis Regulations Promulgated by the Bureau of Cannabis Control, California Department of Agriculture, and California Department of Public Health and Regulation No. 5416(D) Requiring Local Allowance of Retail Cannabis Deliveries in All Jurisdictions in the State.

RECOMMENDATION OF BUSINESS ITEM UNDER CONSIDERATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Receive and file the report from the City Attorney's Office.

Mandy Ng – Opposed to having marijuana in the City.

16. CITY MANAGER'S AGENDA:

- 16.1 Mobility on Demand Pilot Project Presentation by Metro.

- 16.2 Police Department Update.

17. WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS: **No material submitted.**

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18. COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS:

I just want to say happy New Year again and we are going to be having another happy New Year coming up in February so looking forward to the lunar New Year celebration.

18A. Mayor Quintero

18A.1 Discussion of Nomination for Appointments to the Planning Commission.

I would like to do my nominations here for the Planning Commission. Council you have each received a copy of the two applications that I am moving forward for consideration. We have two vacancies on the Planning Commission I believe that there is a training that the League of California Cities is doing in February so I want them to be strongly encouraged to attend.

m) Mayor Quintero

s) Councilmember Ancona 5-0

18B. Mayor Pro Tem Velasco

I would like to see how my colleagues feel about this idea, it is an idea that we were talking with Commissioner Mike Gomez and Assistant City Manager Alma Martinez of maybe and it won't cost the City anything is to try and help out the situation with the Federal employees with the shutdown. We do have several Federal employees in the area and we spoke to one of the items that we would like to incorporate, we spoke to one of our business partners Valley Vista and they are willing to jump on board and be part of it where we are asking them to hold back to wait for payment on the services and I know that our Assistant City Manager is also going to contact our other utility companies. I don't know if Longo Toyota has a finance department we are going to ask them also so that we can get three, four, or five companies that deal with the City to hold off on payment. Not to forgive the loan but once they get paid then they will get like an IOU situation so I would like to see if you ladies and gentleman like the idea.

18C. Councilwoman Ancona

I just want to say thank you to our Finance Department for a job well done and following through on the recommendations that were given in the past and also on the improvement of the financial reporting process also on the improvement of our credit rating. One thing I do want to mention and I am looking forward how we are going to come up with a solution on our pension liabilities this is something that is across several entities including as a school board member in the past that was a continued increased cost to districts where we weren't receiving additional funding so it did become a burden on our budget so I am looking forward to see what types of solutions we can come up for that. Also thank you to Chief Reynoso and his presentation on the El Monte Police Department improving the safety in our City by decreasing crime by 20 percent that is wonderful news and I have mentioned before I am proud in the decrease in our juvenile arrests and I know that comes from our continued partnership with our schools and I look forward to seeing our PD Department continue to provide that outreach and education to our students and our administrators in our schools. Lastly, I just want to mention about the Disaster Council, I would like to see us, the City, engage in communication with our school districts to see how can we plan to serve our City, our community in the event of a disaster in partnership with our school districts.

18D. Councilwoman Martinez-Muela

Community just one thing, tomorrow is a very special day at Mountain View High School at 4:30 pm we are going to be cutting a ribbon and celebrating with the Mountain View High School the Bobby Salcedo Student Union so I just wanted to put that out there that if you are around and you would like to come and see what they are doing at Mountain View come and join us tomorrow at 4:30 pm. It is a celebration of the work that he has done as an educator and of course gone too soon. So every student now will understand who Bobby Salcedo is and was to our community and to that particular

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education facility so I look forward to seeing you all there tomorrow at the Bobby Salcedo Student Union at 4:30 pm at Mountain View High School.

18E. Councilwoman Morales

I just wanted to say thank you to the staff for again putting together all the documents that we needed for today great work and I also wanted to give a shout out to my Rio Hondo Political Science students who are here joining us again they are showing their devotion to their community and the democratic process and learning about our policing powers as a City.

Councilmember Martinez-Muela – Since we have Senator Susan Rubio's staff here today we hope to see you coming back and letting us know what the Senator's office is up to. Here in the City of El Monte we have a very busy DMV and any support that the State can give us with regards to eliminating the incredible traffic that we got there and the long lines that our residents and the region residents have to suffer at our DMV. I take it very personal because it is in the City of El Monte that if we can do anything in collaboration to make sure that we get a much needed resources to support our DMV that would be great. It is great to see you and thank you for coming and staying the whole time with us. Quick recap if you are having problems with the real ID please see Senator Rubio's office.

19. ADJOURNMENT: Adjourn in memory of Mr. Tu Ly, Father of Kristina Lee, Finance Accountant.

With no objection Mayor Quintero adjourned the City Council meeting at 9:25 p.m.

The next Adjourned Regular Meeting of the City Council will be held on **February 5, 2019** at 6:00 p.m. This Agenda will be posted on the City's website, www.ci.el-monte.ca.us, and physically posted no less than 72 hours prior to the start of the subject regular meeting. Although it is the City's practice and desire to electronically post a copy of this Agenda along with supporting material as part of its website posting, the size or formatting of certain supporting materials may render their website posting infeasible. Nevertheless, all supporting materials related to any item on this Agenda, that is made available to the members of the council may be inspected by members of the public at the City Clerk's Office located at 11333 Valley Boulevard, El Monte, Monday through Thursday, 7:00 am – 5:30 pm. For more information, please call the City Clerk's Office at 626-580-2016.

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Catherine A. Eredia, City Clerk
City of El Monte

APPROVED:

Andre Quintero, Mayor
City of El Monte