City of Oceanside

300 North Coast Highway, Oceanside, California 92054



Clerk's Action Minutes

Wednesday, February 12, 2025 5:30 PM

Council Chambers 300 North Coast Highway Oceanside, CA 92054

City Council

5:30 P.M. – ROLL CALL

Present: Jimmy Figueroa, Eric Joyce, Rick Robinson, Esther Sanchez, and

Peter Weiss

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

WORKSHOP ITEMS - CITY COUNCIL:

- 1. Receive a comprehensive report on the state of the City's homeless service strategies and provide staff direction on recommendations to be incorporated into an updated Homelessness Action Plan which will be brought back to City Council for future consideration. Staff also recommends consideration of the following key initiatives which are further described in this staff report:
 - Expanding outreach and support services by strengthening collaboration with social service and behavioral health professionals while lessening the need for direct Police Department intervention.
 - Diversifying short-term, housing-focused solutions to include options such as additional safe parking programs, tiny homes, and low-barrier shelters.
 - Scaling up long-term housing inventory, including development of affordable housing, shared housing programs and additional housing vouchers tailored to vulnerable populations.
 - Minimizing public health and safety impacts through enhanced encampment resolution strategies and access to non-emergency healthcare services.
 - Ensuring the sustainability of the homeless response system by improving regional collaboration, aligning with best practices, and pursuing additional funding opportunities.

MOTION TO DIRECT STAFF TO ACCEPT THE STANDARDIZED ENCAMPMENT RESOLUTION FUND (ERF) MODEL, THE BY-NAME LIST (BNL) APPROACH, AND MOVE PREVENTION SERVICES TO ITS OWN

FOCAL POINT: JOYCE SECOND: SANCHEZ APPROVED: 5-0

MOTION TO DIRECT STAFF TO BRING BACK A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE HOMELESS SHELTER:

JOYCE

SECOND: SANCHEZ

APPROVED: 3-2 (ROBINSON, WEISS - NO)

MOTION TO DIRECT STAFF TO MOVE FORWARD ON SHORT-TERM HOUSING FOCUS SOLUTION SCALING UP TO LONG-TERM HOUSING INVENTORY INCLUDING ADDING COMMUNITY HOUSING TRUST: JOYCE

SECOND: SANCHEZ APPROVED: 5-0

MOTION TO DIRECT STAFF TO MOVE FORWARD WITH RECOMMENDATIONS TO MINIMIZE THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

IMPACTS OF HOMELESSNESS: JOYCE

SECOND: SANCHEZ APPROVED: 5-0

MOTION TO DIRECT STAFF TO MOVE FORWARD WITH ENSURING THE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE HOMLESS RESPONSE SYSTEM BY IMPROVING REGIONAL COLLABORATION, ALIGNING WITH BEST PRACTICES, AND PURSUING ADDITIONAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

JOYCE

SECOND: SANCHEZ APPROVED: 5-0

MOTION TO DIRECT STAFF TO MOVE FORWARD ON NEW AREA OF FOCUS FOR HOUSING STABILITY AND THE PRESERVATION OF

CURRENT AFFORDABLE HOUSING: JOYCE

SECOND: SANCHEZ APPROVED: 5-0

RESULT: APPROVED

MOVER: Eric Joyce

SECONDER: Esther Sanchez

Aye: Figueroa, Joyce, Robinson, Sanchez, and Weiss

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2. Communications from the public regarding items not on this agenda

1 SPEAKER

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