

CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF JULY 9, 2013

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Huerta called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mayor Huerta, Mayor Pro-tem Hurley, Councilmember Moreno, Councilmember Rodriguez and Councilmember Walker

ABSENT: None

STAFF: City Manager Stanton, Assistant City Manager Mugan, City Attorney Faught, City Clerk Rathbun

GUESTS: Ray Diaz, Beatriz Diaz, Avelina Torres, Juergen Smith, Stephanie Garcia, Jessica Bautista

INVOCATION

There was a moment of silent prayer.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

All recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

AGENDA REVIEW

No changes were made.

PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Juergen Smith suggested that the City have a memorial for the fallen soldiers of Greenfield.

Bea Diaz stated she wanted to thank the Council for having the summer art camp/science camp. She also stated that King City and Gonzales were sharing animal control services and asked what Greenfield was doing to address these issues. She also addressed the Council regarding the Chief of Police.

CONSENT CALENDAR

A MOTION by Mayor Pro-tem Hurley, seconded by Councilmember Moreno to approve Warrants #292694 through #292735 in the amount of \$18,414.17. All in favor. Motion carried.

CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD APPROVING THE ENGINEER'S REPORT REGARDING THE PROPOSED LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS FOR THE CITY OF GREENFIELD LANDSCAPE AND LIGHTING MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 1, FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE LANDSCAPING AND LIGHTING ACT OF 1972

RESOLUTION #2013-49

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD ORDERING THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF GREENFIELD LANDSCAPING AND LIGHTING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014

RESOLUTION #2013-50

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD APPROVING THE ENGINEER'S REPORT REGARDING THE PROPOSED LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS FOR THE CITY OF GREENFIELD LANDSCAPE AND LIGHTING MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 2, FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE LANDSCAPING AND LIGHTING ACT OF 1972

RESOLUTION #2013-51

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD ORDERING THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF GREENFIELD LANDSCAPING AND LIGHTING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 2 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014

RESOLUTION #2013-52

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD APPROVING THE ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR THE CITY OF GREENFIELD'S STREET AND DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014

RESOLUTION #2013-53

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD ORDERING THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF GREENFIELD STREET AND DRAINAGE MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014

RESOLUTION #2013-54

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD APPROVING THE ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR THE CITY OF GREENFIELD'S STREET AND DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 2 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014

RESOLUTION #2013-55

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD ORDERING THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF GREENFIELD STREET AND DRAINAGE MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 2 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014

RESOLUTION #2013-56

Staff report was given by City Manager Stanton.

Jenifer Storsteen, Willdan Financial, gave a brief report regarding the assessments.

Mayor Huerta opened the public hearing at 6:18 p.m.

Stephanie Garcia asked about the assessments.

City Attorney Faught stated that it was mandated that this process be done annually.

Mayor Huerta closed the public hearing at 6:21 p.m.

A MOTION by Mayor Pro-tem Hurley, seconded by Councilmember Rodriguez to adopt **Resolution #2013-49, "A Resolution of the City of Greenfield Approving the Engineer's Report Regarding the Proposed Levy and Collection of Assessments for the City of Greenfield Landscape and Lighting Maintenance District No. 1, Fiscal Year 2013/2014, Pursuant to the Provisions of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972,"**; **Resolution #2013-50, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Greenfield Ordering the Levy and Collection of Assessments within the City of Greenfield Landscape and Lighting Maintenance District No. 1 for Fiscal Year 2013/2014,"**; **Resolution #2013-51, "A Resolution of the City of Greenfield Approving the Engineer's Report Regarding the Proposed Levy and Collection of Assessments for the City of Greenfield Landscape and Lighting Maintenance District No. 2, Fiscal Year 2013/2014, Pursuant to the Provisions of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972,"**; **Resolution #2013-52, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Greenfield Ordering the Levy and Collection of Assessments within the City of Greenfield Landscape and Lighting Maintenance District No. 2 for Fiscal Year 2013/2014,"**; **Resolution #2013-53, "A Resolution of the City of Greenfield Approving the Engineer's Report for the City of Greenfield's Street and Drainage District No. 1 for Fiscal Year 2013/2014,"**; **Resolution #2013-54, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Greenfield Ordering the Levy and Collection of Assessments within the City of Greenfield Street and Drainage Maintenance District No. 1 for Fiscal Year 2013/2014,"**; **Resolution #2013-55, "A Resolution of the City of Greenfield Approving the Engineer's Report for the City of Greenfield's Street and Drainage District No. 2 for Fiscal Year 2013/2014,"**; and **Resolution #2013-56, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Greenfield Ordering the Levy and Collection of Assessments within the City of Greenfield Street and Drainage Maintenance District No. 2 for Fiscal Year 2013/2014"**. All in favor. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD CERTIFYING COMPLIANCE WITH STATE LAW WITH RESPECT TO THE LEVYING OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, AND PROPERTY-RELATED FEES AND CHARGES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013/2014
RESOLUTION #2013-57

Staff Report was given by City Manager Stanton.

A MOTION by Councilmember Rodriguez, seconded by Councilmember Moreno to adopt **Resolution #2013-57, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Greenfield Certifying Compliance with State Law with Respect to the Levying of General and Special Taxes, Assessments, and Property-Related Fees and Charges for Fiscal Year 2013/2014"**. All in favor. Motion carried.

CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD RECREATION AND SPECIAL EVENTS ADVISORY BOARD

Staff report was given by City Manager Stanton.

Jessica Bautista stated that she would like to have other things come to Greenfield such as dance, etc.

Councilmember Moreno stated that she would like to have Avelina Torres on the committee.

Councilmember Rodriguez suggested that Wendy Romero be on the committee.

Councilmember Walker suggested that Jessica Bautista, Diane Andrews and Leah Santibanez be on the committee.

Mayor Huerta suggested that Mrs. Martinez and Irma Montoya be on the committee.

It was the consensus of the City Council to postpone action on this item and advertise in the paper for the board.

DISCUSSION CONCERNING REMOVAL OF STOP SIGNS ON EL CAMINO REAL AT THE INTERSECTIONS OF CYPRESS AVENUE AND PINE AVENUE; AND SPEED LIMIT POSTING BETWEEN THORP AVENUE AND CHERRY AVENUE

Staff report was given by City Manager Stanton.

There was discussion regarding the removal of the stop signs among the City Council and staff.

It was the consensus of the City Council to remove the stop signs at El Camino Real and Pine Avenue.

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENFIELD TO ACCEPT AND EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT FOR THE GREENFIELD COMMUNITY SCIENCE WORKSHOP PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$31,500
RESOLUTION #2013-58**

Staff report was given by City Manager Stanton.

Jose Sanchez, Greenfield Science Workshop Coordinator, reviewed the grant and the program.

A MOTION by Mayor Pro-tem Hurley, seconded by Councilmember Walker to adopt **Resolution #2013-58, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Greenfield to Accept and Execute a Grant Agreement for the Greenfield Community Science Workshop Program in the Amount of \$31,500"**. All in favor. Motion carried.

CLOSED SESSION – CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS
AGENCY DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE: CITY MANAGER
EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION: SERVICE EMPLOYEES INTERNATIONAL UNION, LOCAL 521

CLOSED SESSION – CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS
AGENCY DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE: CITY MANAGER
EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION: GREENFIELD POLICE SUPERVISORS ASSOCIATION

CLOSED SESSION – CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS
AGENCY DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE: CITY MANAGER
EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION: GREENFIELD POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

CLOSED SESSION – CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS
AGENCY DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE: CITY MANAGER
EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION: UNREPRESENTED MISCELLANEOUS EMPLOYEES

Meeting adjourned to closed session at 7:00 p.m.

RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

Meeting reconvened to open session at 8:17 p.m.

There was no reportable action to report.

BRIEF REPORTS ON CONFERENCES, SEMINARS, AND MEETINGS ATTENDED BY MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

Mayor Huerta reported that he attended the League of California Cities, Monterey Bay Division yesterday and stated that State Assemblyman Mark Stone gave a legislative update. He reported that AMBAG would be having the Metropolitan Transportation Plan Sustainable Communities Strategy workshop on July 16th in Greenfield.

City Manager Stanton reported on the TMAC meeting.

Mayor Pro-tem Hurley stated that he attended the MST facility committee and reported on the meeting.

City Manager Stanton reported on the Planning Commission meeting.

COMMENTS FROM CITY COUNCIL/STAFF

Councilmember Moreno stated that she would like to have the garage sales signs taken down as soon as the event was over.

Councilmember Walker stated that he would like to have one location for all signs. He suggested that the City might want to honor fallen soldiers by placing a bench in a park with their name on it.

Mayor Pro-tem Hurley stated that he was working on getting bulletin boards for announcements, garage sale signs, etc. in different locations in the City. He also would like to add an item to the next agenda regarding the no U-turns at Tyler and Elm Avenue on El Camino Real.

City Manager Stanton suggested that there be a workshop on July 25, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. to discuss the streetscape.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:33 p.m.

Mayor of the City of Greenfield

City Clerk of the City of Greenfield