

MINUTES OF COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING – NOVEMBER 20, 2012

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THE WEST VALLEY CITY COUNCIL MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2012, AT 6:30 P.M., IN THE GREAT HALL AT THE UTAH CULTURAL CELEBRATION CENTER, 1355 WEST 3100 SOUTH, WEST VALLEY CITY, UTAH. THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND CONDUCTED BY MAYOR WINDER.

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE PRESENT:

Mike Winder
Steve Buhler
Don Christensen
Tom Huynh
Corey Rushton
Steve Vincent

Wayne Pyle, City Manager
Sheri McKendrick, City Recorder

ABSENT: Karen Lang

STAFF PRESENT:

Paul Isaac, Assistant City Manager
Jim Welch, Finance Director
Kevin Astill, Parks and Recreation Director
Buzz Nielsen, Police Chief
John Evans, Fire Chief
Russell Willardson, Public Works Director
Nicole Cottle, CED Director
Eric Bunderson, City Attorney
Layne Morris, CPD Director
Jake Arslanian, Public Works Department
Aaron Crim, Administration
Kevin Conde', Administration
Craig Thomas, Administration
Angel Pezely, Administration
Ross Olsen, Administration
Susan Klinker, Administration

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The Opening Ceremony was conducted by Tom Huynh who noted tonight was very special and related his personal story of immigrating to the United States, learning English and becoming a citizen. He discussed the freedoms enjoyed as a citizen of the U.S. and our obligation to obey the laws while having the

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opportunity to be successful. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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SCOUTS

Mayor Winder welcomed Scout Troop No. 1489 in attendance to complete requirements for the Citizenship in the Community and Communications merit badges.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD NOVEMBER 6, 2012

The Council read and considered Minutes of the Regular Meeting held November 6, 2012. There were no changes, corrections or deletions.

After discussion, Councilmember Christensen moved to approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting held November 6, 2012, as written. Councilmember Huynh seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Vincent	Yes
Mr. Buhler	Yes
Mr. Huynh	Yes
Mr. Rushton	Yes
Mr. Christensen	Yes
Mayor Winder	Yes

Unanimous.

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PRESENTATION OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AWARDS

City Manager, Wayne Pyle, stated presentation of the English Language Awards had been scheduled.

Upon request of Mayor Winder, background information was given by Councilmember Buhler regarding the West Valley City's English Language Initiative and its guiding principles. Councilmember Buhler stated one of those guiding principles was the desire to be able to communicate with residents of the West Valley City community.

Upon invitation of Mayor Winder, recipients of the English Language Awards introduced themselves including their country of origin. Mayor Winder noted he counted 14 different countries of origin were represented. The City Council congratulated the students and expressed great appreciation to the instructors of the program, after which a group photograph was taken.

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COMMENT PERIOD

Upon inquiry by Mayor Winder there was no one in attendance who desired to address the City Council during the comment period.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS OF THE WEST VALLEY COUNCIL, THE STUDY MEETING OF TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2012, WAS ADJOURNED AT 6:55 P.M., BY MAYOR WINDER.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true, accurate and complete record of the proceedings of the Regular Meeting of the West Valley City Council held Tuesday, November 20, 2012.

Sheri McKendrick, MMC
City Recorder