

City of Fresno

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Meeting Agenda - Final

Thursday, December 31, 2020

4:00 PM

Special Emergency Meeting

Electronic Meeting

City Council

President - Miguel Angel Arias

Vice President - Paul Caprioglio

Councilmembers:

*Esmeralda Z. Soria, Mike Karbassi, Luis Chavez, Garry Bredefeld, Nelson
Esparza*

City Manager - Wilma Quan

City Attorney - Douglas T. Sloan

City Clerk - Yvonne Spence, MMC

PUBLIC ADVISORY:

THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS AND CITY HALL WILL NOT BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

While Emergency Order No. 2020-12 is in effect, City of Fresno public meetings will be conducted electronically and telephonically only. No one will be physically present in the Chambers, and the Chambers will not be open to the public. City Hall remains closed to the public.

You can also participate in the meeting on our City's website click on the URL <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> and click on the "In progress" link under "video" for the corresponding meeting. The Council meeting can also be viewed live at 9:00 A.M. on Comcast Channel 96 and AT&T Channel 99.

Members of the public are encouraged to participate electronically because of limited seating in the Chamber due to social distancing.

PUBLIC COMMENT: The following options are available for members of the public who want to address City Council:

1. eComment at <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>.

a) eComments is a tool for citizens to use to make comments on agenda items. It will be open during the Council meeting and closed at the end of the meeting and will be a part of the official record. The User Agreement and Procedures document for eComment can be accessed by the URL <https://www.fresno.gov/cityclerk/>

b) eComments will be a maximum of 450 words.

OR

2. You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: December 31, 2020 04:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Topic: December 31, 2020 Special Emergency Meeting

a) Register in advance for this webinar:

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN__HRyPNJ3SXGVo6ICOdKNVw

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

b) If you do not wish for your name to appear on the screen, then use the drop

down menu and click on “rename” to rename yourself.

c) If you wish to address Council during the public comment portion of the agenda, click on the icon labeled “Participants” at the bottom center of your PC or Mac screen. At the bottom of the window on the right side of the screen, click the icon labeled “RaiseHand”. Your digital hand will now be raised.

d) Those addressing Council must state their name for the record.

e) To facilitate electronic access, no person shall speak until recognized by the Presiding Officer.

OR

3. Email: to clerk@fresno.gov

a) Residents may also email comments to be read during the meeting. Please include the agenda date and item number you wish to speak on in the subject line of your email.

b) Emails will be a maximum of 450 words.

c) All comments received will be distributed to Council prior and during the meeting and will be a part of the official record.

All participants will be on mute until they are called upon at which point they will be unmuted. To prevent participants from having their video on, we will remove the option to show their video.

Pursuant to the Executive Order, and in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, If you need additional accommodations such as interpreters, sign language signers, or the services of a translator, please contact the office of the City Clerk at (559) 621-7650 or clerk@fresno.gov. To ensure availability, you are advised to make your request at least three business days prior to the meeting.

The City of Fresno thanks you in advance for taking all precautions to prevent spreading COVID-19 virus.

ASESORIA PÚBLICA:**LAS CÁMARAS DEL AYUNTAMIENTO Y EL AYUNTAMIENTO NO ESTARÁN ABIERTAS AL PÚBLICO**

Mientras la Orden de Emergencia No. 2020-12 esté vigente, las reuniones públicas de la Ciudad de Fresno se llevarán a cabo únicamente de manera electrónica y telefónica. Nadie estará físicamente presente en las Cámaras y las Cámaras no estarán abiertas al público. El Ayuntamiento permanece cerrado al público.

Usted puede participar en la junta en el sitio de internet de nuestra ciudad, haga clic en el URL <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> y haga clic en el enlace "En progreso" debajo de "video" para la junta correspondiente. La reunión del Consejo también se puede ver en vivo a las 9:00 a.m. en el Canal 96 de Comcast 96 y el Canal 99 de AT&T.

Se anima a los miembros del público a participar electrónicamente dado al espacio de asientos limitados en las Cámaras del Consejo dado al distanciamiento social.

COMENTARIO PÚBLICO: Las siguientes opciones están disponibles para los miembros del público que desean dirigirse al Consejo de la Ciudad:

1. Comentario electrónico en <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>.

a) Los eComments (comentarios electrónicos) estarán abiertos durante la reunión del Consejo y se cerrarán al final de la reunión y formarán parte del registro oficial. Se puede acceder al documento de Acuerdo del Usuario y Procedimientos para eComment a través de la URL <https://www.fresno.gov/cityclerk/>

b) Los comentarios electrónicos serán de un máximo de 450 palabras.

OR

2. Únase en línea por Zoom

Estás invitado a un seminario web de Zoom

Cuándo: 31 de diciembre de 2020 4:00 PM, hora del Pacífico (EE. UU. Y Canadá)

Tema: 31 de diciembre de 2020 Reunión ordinaria

a) Regístrese con anticipación para este seminario web

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN__HRyPNJ3SXGV06ICOdKNVw

b) Si no desea que su nombre aparezca en la pantalla, utilice el menú desplegable y

haga clic en "cambiar nombre" para renombrarse.

c) Si desea dirigirse al Consejo de la Ciudad durante la sección de comentarios públicos de la agenda, haga clic en el icono con la etiqueta "Participantes" en la parte inferior central de la pantalla de su PC o Mac. En la parte inferior de la ventana en el lado derecho de la pantalla, haga clic en la parte inferior con la etiqueta "Levantar la Mano". Su mano digital ahora se levantará.

d) Aquellos que se dirijan al Consejo deben indicar su nombre para el registro.

e) Para facilitar el acceso electrónico, ninguna persona hablará hasta que el Dirigente Oficial lo reconozca.

OR

3. Correo electrónico: a clerk@fresno.gov

a) Los residentes también pueden enviar comentarios por correo electrónico para ser leídos durante la reunión. Incluya la fecha del agenda y el número de artículo sobre el que desea hablar en la línea de asunto de su correo electrónico.

b) Los correos electrónicos tendrán un máximo de 450 palabras.

c) Todos los comentarios recibidos se distribuirán al Consejo antes y durante la reunión y formarán parte del registro oficial.

Todos los participantes estarán en silencio hasta que se les elija, en cuyo punto se desactivara el silenciador. Para evitar que los participantes tengan su video encendido, eliminaremos la opción de mostrar su video.

En conformidad con la Orden Ejecutiva, y en conformidad con la Ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades, si necesita adaptaciones adicionales, como intérpretes, un signante del lenguaje a señas o los servicios de un traductor, comuníquese con la oficina del Secretario de la Ciudad al (559) 621-7650 o clerk@fresno.gov. Para asegurar disponibilidad, le aconsejamos que haga su petición por lo menos tres días de negocio antes de la reunión.

La Ciudad de Fresno le agradece de antemano por tomar todas las precauciones para evitar la propagación del virus COVID-19.

COV LUS TSHAJ TAWM RAU COV PEJ XEEM:
LUB NROOG SUAV CHAMBERS THIAB LUB NROOG HU YUAV TSIS QHIB RAU COV PEJ XEEM

Thaum Daim Ntawv Sau Tseg Thaum Muaj Xwm Ceev No. 2020-12 tseem tab tom siv, Lub Nroog Fresno cov rooj sib tham yuav yog siv hluav taws xob thiab xov tooj xwb. Yuav tsis muaj ib tus neeg lub cev nyob hauv Chambers, thiab Chambers yuav tsis qhib rau pej xeeem. Lub Nroog Tseem Ceeb raug kaw rau hauv zej zog.

Koj koom tau nrog lub rooj sib tham hauv Lub Nroog qhov vesxaij nias rau qhov URL <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> thiab nias rau qhov sau tias "In progress" hauv qab qhov sau tias "video" kom koj pom tau lub rooj sib tham. Peb yuav tso Pab Pawg Tswj Xyuas Lub Nroog lub rooj lus sib tham tib lub sijhawm lawv tham ntawd thaum 9:00 A.M. ntawm Comcast Tshooj 96 thiab AT&T Tshooj 99.

Peb txhawb kom cov pej xeeem koom hauv istawsnev vim tias peb tsis muaj rooj zaum ntau hauv Lub Tsev Sib Tham kom nyob nrug deb tau ntawm lus tus.

LUS LOS NTAWM COV PEJ XEEM : Peb muaj cov kev ntawm no rau cov pej xeeem uas xav hais lus rau Pab Pawg Tswj Xyuas Lub Nroog:

1. Saum eComment ntawm <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>.

a) Peb yuav qhib eComment lub sijhawm Pab Pawg Tswj Xyuas Lub Nroog tseem tuav lub rooj sib tham thiab peb yuav kaw thaum lub rooj sib tham xaus thiab peb yuav khaws tseg cov lus hauv rau peb cov ntaub ntawv. Koj mus saib tau Cov Lus Pom Zoo thiab Cov Txheej Txheem Rau Tus Neeg Siv eComment ntawm qhov chaw nyob URL <https://www.fresno.gov/cityclerk/>

b) Peb tsuas pub koj sau 450 cov lus hauv eComments xwb.

OR

2. YKoj raug caw tuaj koom lub rooj sib tham Zoom

a) Thaum: Lub Kaum Ob Hlis 31, 2020 04:00 PM Pacific Lub Sijhawm (Tebchaws Asmeskas thiab Canada)

Cov ntsiab lus: Lub Kaum Ob Hlis 31, 2020 Kev Sib Tham Sib Tham
Tso npe rau npe ua ntej lub webinar:

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN__HRyPNJ3SXGVo6ICOdKNVw

Tom qab sau npe, koj yuav tau txais email kabke muaj cov ntaub ntawv hais txog

koom nrog lub webinar.

b) Yog tias koj tsis xav kom pom koj lub npe ntawm daim screen rau txhua tus pom, ces nias rau qhov menu kom nws tshwm qhov sau tias "rename" kom koj sau tau ib lub npe rau koj tus kheej.

c) Yog tias koj xav hais lus rau Pab Pawg Tswj Xyuas Lub Nroog lub sijhawm lawv qhib rau cov pej xeem hais lus, nias rau qhov sau tias "Participants" uas nyob hauv qab lub nrab ntawm koj daim screen rau lub PC lossis Mac. Hauv qab koj daim screen ntawm sab xis, nias qhov sau tias "Raise Hand". Thaum koj ua li no nws yuav pom koj tsa koj txhais tes.

d) Cov uas hais lus rau Pab Pawg Tswj Xyuas Lub Nroog yuav tsum qhia lawv lub npe rau peb muab ntaus cia.

e) Kom peb pab cov tib neeg saum istawsnev, peb yuav tsis pub leej twg hais lus txog txij Tus Tswj Saib Xyuas tso cai tso.

OR

3. Email: rau clerk@fresno.gov

a) Cov tib neeg uas nyob hauv lub nroog kuj email tau lawv cov lus tuaj rau peb nyeem thaum peb tuav lub rooj sib tham los tau thiab. Thov sau lub hnub tim ntawm lub rooj sib tham thiab tus lej ntawm qhov koj xav tham txog uas koj xav hais lus rau ntawm kab subject line (kab qhia txog cov ntsiab lus ntawm tsab email) rau koj qhov email.

b) Peb tsuas pub koj sau mus txog 450 cov lus rau hauv koj qhov email xwb.

c) Tagrho cov lus yuav muab faib rau Pab Pawg Tswj Xyuas Lub Nroog pom ua ntej thiab thaum luv tseem tuav lub rooj sib tham thiab peb yuav khaws tseg tagrho cov lus hais rau peb cov ntaub ntawv.

Peb yuav tua kom txhob hnov cov neeg koom lub suab hais txog txij lawv hu nws lub npe ces thaum ntawd mam li taws pub hnov nws hais lus. Kom peb pab tiv thaiv kom tsis txhob pom cov neeg koom, peb yuav tua qhov pom tus neeg.

Raws li Cov Lus Khoo Los Ntawm Cov Nom Tswv, thiab kom peb ua tau raws li Txoj Cai Tiv Thaiv Cov Neeg Asmesliskas Uas Muaj Tej Yam Kev Xiam Oob Qhab, Yog tias koj tim-tsum tej kev pab xws li neeg txhais lus, neeg txhais lus piav tes, los sis ib tug

neeg txhais ntawv, thov hu rau qhov chaw ua haujlwm City Clerk ntawm (559) 621-7650 los sis clerk@fresno.gov. Txhawm rau kom muaj qhov muaj, koj tau hais qhia kom koj thov li tsawg kawg peb hnub cov hnub ua haujlwm ua ntej lub rooj sib tham.

Lub Nroog Fresno xav ua tsaug rau koj ua ntej los xyuam xim tiv thaiv kom tus kab mob COVID-19 tsis txhob kis tau ntxiv.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL EMERGENCY OPEN AND CLOSED SESSION MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRESNO**DATE:** Thursday, December 31, 2020**TIME:** 4:00 P.M., or soon thereafter as it may be heard**LOCATION:** Electronic Meeting Only

Please Take Notice the Council of the City of Fresno hereby calls a Special Emergency Meeting of the City Council pursuant to California Government Code section 54956 at the above stated time and place. The Council meeting will be conducted electronically and telephonically only. The purpose of the special meeting is to meet and consider the following:

4:00 P.M. ROLL CALL

APPROVE AGENDA[ID 21-110](#)

Notice of Special Emergency Closed and Open Session Meeting - SIGNED

Sponsors:

Council President Arias

CLOSED SESSION[ID 21-106](#)

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - PUBLIC SECURITY - Government Code Section 54957(a):
Matters posing a threat to the security of public buildings, the security of essential public services, and to the public's right of access to public services and public facilities, and related actions pertaining to the Declaration by Governor Newsom of a State of Emergency to Help State Prepare for Broader Spread of COVID-19, and related local concerns.

Sponsors:

Council President Arias

OPEN SESSION**A.** [ID 21-107](#)

Actions pertaining to extension of food distribution contracts:
1. ***RESOLUTION - 57th Amendment to the Annual Appropriation Resolution (AAR) appropriating \$1,000,000 to fund extension of food distribution contracts (Requires 5 votes) (Subject to Mayor's Veto).

2. Authorize and direct extension of contracts with the following providers for food distribution necessitated by the COVID-19 pandemic:

- a. Neighborhood Industries
- b. Reading and Beyond
- c. The Fresno Center
- d. Every Neighborhood Partnership
- e. Education and Leadership Foundation
- f. Southeast Fresno Community Economic Development Association, Inc.
- g. Pardini's Catering, Inc.

3. Authorize and direct execution of grant agreements with the following providers for food distribution necessitated by the COVID-19 pandemic:

- a. Centro La Familia
- b. Central California Food Bank

Sponsors:

Council President Arias, Councilmember Chavez and Councilmember Soria

B. [ID 21-115](#)

Authorize and direct execution of grant agreements with the following providers for food distribution necessitated by the COVID-19 pandemic:

- a. Fresno Economic Opportunities Commission

Sponsors:

Council President Arias and Councilmember Soria

ADJOURNMENT