



Item:	B-1
Minutes for:	06/30/2021s
Adopted:	10/06/2021

## Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Madera City Council

**June 30, 2021**  
**6:00 p.m.**

**Council Chambers**  
**City Hall**

This meeting was conducted pursuant to the provisions of the Governor's Executive Order which suspends certain requirements of the Ralph M. Brown Act. The City Council meeting was live streamed on the City's website at [www.madera.gov/live](http://www.madera.gov/live). Members of the public were able to participate in the meeting remotely through an electronic meeting via phone by dialing (669) 900-6833 enter ID: 949 6327 9573# followed by \*9 on their phone to speak. Comments were also accepted via email at [citycouncilpubliccomment@madera.gov](mailto:citycouncilpubliccomment@madera.gov) or by regular mail at 205 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Madera, CA 93637.

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

### **ROLL CALL:**

**Present:** Mayor Santos Garcia  
Mayor Pro Tem Artemio Villegas, District 6  
Councilmember Jose Rodriguez, District 2  
Councilmember Steve Montes, District 3  
Councilmember Anita Evans, District 4

**Absent:** Councilmember Cece Gallegos, District 1  
Vacant, District 5

Others present were City Manager Arnoldo Rodriguez, City Clerk Alicia Gonzales, City Attorney Hilda Cantu Montoy, Chief Building Official Steve Woodworth, City Engineer Keith Helmuth, Financial Services Director Roger Sanchez, Fire Division Chief Matt Watson, Grants Administrator Ivette Iraheta, Human Resources Director Wendy Silva, Information Services Manager Mark Souders, Planning Manager Gary Conte, Chief of Police Dino Lawson, Interim Public Work Director Dan Foss, and Interim Program Manager-Grants Alex Estrada.

**INVOCATION:** Councilmember Anita Evans

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Planning Manager Gary Conte

### **LATE DISTRIBUTION ANNOUNCEMENT:**

City Clerk Alicia Gonzales announced that pursuant to Government Code Section 54957, members of the public were advised that less than 72 hours prior to that evening's meeting, Item A-2 was distributed to the Council after the agenda packet was finalized. Members of the public wishing to view or obtain a copy of the item may do so by visiting the City of Madera meeting and agenda page located on the City's website.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

**ON MOTION BY COUNCILMEMBER MONTES AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMEMBER EVANS, THE AGENDA WAS APPROVED BY A 5/0 VOTE. ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBER GALLEGOS AND DISTRICT 5 IS CURRENTLY VACANT. ABSTAIN: NONE.**

**THE MOTION PASSED WITH THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

**YES: 5 – COUNCILMEMBER RODRIGUEZ  
COUNCILMEMBER MONTES  
COUNCILMEMBER EVANS  
MAYOR PRO TEM VILLEGAS  
MAYOR GARCIA**

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Members of the public shall have an opportunity to address the City Council regarding matters on this Agenda at the time the agenda item is called. Speakers should limit their comments to three (3) minutes.

No Public Comment was submitted. Public Comment was closed.

**A. PETITIONS, BIDS, RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES, AND AGREEMENTS:**

**A-1 Conduct Workshop and Adopt a Resolution Continuing Expenditures and Revenues in Accordance with the 2020/2021 City Budget Pending Further Review and Adoption of Fiscal Year 2021/2022**

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution Continuing Expenditures and Revenues Pending Further Review and Adoption of Fiscal Year (FY) 2021/2022 Budget (Report by Roger Sanchez)

**ON MOTION BY COUNCILMEMBER RODRIGUEZ AND SECONDED BY MAYOR PRO TEM VILLEGAS, ITEM A-1 WAS APPROVED BY A 5/0 VOTE. ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBER GALLEGOS AND DISTRICT 5 IS CURRENTLY VACANT. ABSTAIN: NONE.**

**THE MOTION PASSED WITH THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

**YES: 5 – COUNCILMEMBER RODRIGUEZ  
COUNCILMEMBER MONTES  
COUNCILMEMBER EVANS  
MAYOR PRO TEM VILLEGAS  
MAYOR GARCIA**

**RES 21-82 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MADERA CONTINUING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE 2020/2021 CITY BUDGET PENDING FURTHER REVIEW AND ADOPTION OF 2021/2022 BUDGET ADOPTION**

**A-2 Memorandum of Understanding with the Mid Management Employee Group (MM)**

**Recommendation: Adopt a Minute Order**

- 1) Approving the MOU between the City of Madera and MM effective July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2025;
- 2) Authorizing the City Manager to sign the MOU; and
- 3) Authorizing the Director of Financial Services to designate and classify reserves from the general fund unassigned fund balance into the assigned classification for the portion of the health insurance increase and the one-time annual employee payouts related to the four-year MOU (Report by Wendy Silva)

**ON MOTION BY COUNCILMEMBER MONTES AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMEMBER EVANS, ITEM A-2 WAS APPROVED BY A 4/1 VOTE. NO: COUNCILMEMBER RODRIGUEZ. ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBER GALLEGOS AND DISTRICT 5 IS CURRENTLY VACANT. ABSTAIN: NONE.**

**THE MOTION PASSED WITH THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

**YES: 4 – COUNCILMEMBER MONTES  
COUNCILMEMBER EVANS  
MAYOR PRO TEM VILLEGAS  
MAYOR GARCIA**

**NO: 1 - COUNCILMEMBER RODRIGUEZ**

**ADJOURNMENT** – The meeting was adjourned at 7:24 p.m. Next regular meeting July 7, 2021.

**CONSISTENCY WITH THE VISION MADERA 2025 PLAN**

Approval of the minutes is not addressed in the vision or action plans; the requested action is also not in conflict with any of the actions or goals contained in that plan.

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ALICIA GONZALES, City Clerk

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SANTOS GARCIA, Mayor

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MINUTES PREPARED BY  
ZELDA LEON, Deputy City Clerk