

**MINUTES  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MORENO VALLEY  
MORENO VALLEY COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT  
CITY AS SUCCESSOR AGENCY FOR THE  
COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE  
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY  
MORENO VALLEY HOUSING AUTHORITY**

**STUDY SESSION – 6:00 PM  
November 3, 2015**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The Study Session of the City Council of the City of Moreno Valley, Moreno Valley Community Services District, City as Successor Agency for the Community Redevelopment Agency of the City of Moreno Valley, Moreno Valley Housing Authority and Board of Library Trustees was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Mayor Molina in the Council Chamber located at 14177 Frederick Street

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Pro Tem Dr. Gutierrez.

**INVOCATION**

The invocation was given by Donovan Saadiq.

**ROLL CALL**

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| Council: | Jesse L. Molina          | Mayor          |
|          | Dr. Yxstian A. Gutierrez | Mayor Pro Tem  |
|          | Jeffrey J. Giba          | Council Member |
|          | D. LaDonna Jempson       | Council Member |
|          | George E. Price          | Council Member |

Council Member Jempson arrived at 6:17 p.m.

**INTRODUCTIONS**

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|--------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Staff: | Michelle Dawson    | City Manager                        |
|        | Paul Early         | Deputy City Attorney                |
|        | Jane Halstead      | City Clerk                          |
|        | Richard Teichert   | Chief Financial Officer             |
|        | Thomas M. DeSantis | Assistant City Manager              |
|        | Ahmad Ansari       | Public Works Director/City Engineer |
|        | Joel Ontiveros     | Police Chief                        |
|        | Abdul Ahmad        | Fire Chief                          |
|        | Mike Lee           | Economic Development Director       |
|        | Allen Brock        | Community Development Director      |
|        | Rick Sandzimier    | Planning Official                   |

Prem Kumar

Deputy Public Works Director/Assistant  
City Engineer

Eric Lewis

Traffic Engineer

**PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MATTERS EITHER ON THE AGENDA OR NOT ON THE AGENDA UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

Public comments were received from: Roy Bleckert, (Council), Robert Perez, (Item A.1) and Donovan Saadiq (Adrienne Mitchell Park, elections, truck parking, Item A.2)

**A. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS**

- A.1. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS OVERVIEW (HASAN IKHRATA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - POWERPOINT (Report of: City Manager)

Hasan Ikhata, Executive Director gave the presentation.

- A.2. DISCUSSION OF NEXTDOOR.COM ONLINE SOCIAL NETWORK (Report of: City Clerk)

Shanna Palau, Management Analyst for Council offices gave the presentation.

- A.3. CITY COUNCIL REQUESTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mayor Pro Tem Dr. Gutierrez thanked the presenters: Hasan IkHrata, Executive Director from Southern California Association of Governments and Shanna Palau, Management Analyst, City Clerk/Council offices.

Council Member Giba commented that the City's ordinances are in place to assist regarding the truck parking.

On November 21, 2015 the City is hosting a financial workshop at the Conference and Recreation Center, invited the public to attend *Everything you Wanted to Know About Finances*.

Council Member Price attended *Coffee with a Cop*; good turnout; thanked Chief and staff for being there.

Also attended the I-215 ribbon cutting, elected state representatives were in attendance.

The Metro Rail is doing testing on December 2, 2015.

Attended Adelante, Alia Rodriguez gave a presentation on El Nino.

On Friday at the Conference and Recreation Center, the Chamber will be holding a

Casino Night.

Council Member Jempson thanked several churches that provided opportunity for the communities children to trick or treat.

The hazard waste collection is coming up on Saturday; there are long lines but they move quickly.

Attended the Moreno Valley Friends of the Library Annual meeting to induct officers, it was a great event.

Council Member Jempson is very excited with a meeting being held with Steve Fries, Animal Services Division Manager and Chris Paxton, Human Resources Director for Pets for Vets.

For those neighborhood watches, please reach out to your Council Members.

Good to see Robert Perez;

Reminded everyone that on Saturday it is College Career Day at the Conference and Recreation Center.

Adriene Mitchell re-dedication is at 4:30 p.m. on November 10, 2015.

The City's Veterans event is at 3:30 p.m. on November 11, 2015.

Mayor Molina reported that tomorrow was Southwest Veterans event being held at the Conference and Recreation Center.

Thanked Shanna Palau for her presentation as she did a good job. Also thanked the backbone of the city; thanked those that are working hard.

For the El Nino storms there are sandbags available; is concerned with the safety of the public.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business the Study Session was adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Submitted by:

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Jane Halstead, City Clerk, CMC  
Secretary, Moreno Valley Community Services District  
Secretary, City as Successor Agency for the Community Redevelopment Agency of the  
City of Moreno Valley  
Secretary, Moreno Valley Housing Authority