



CITY OF SURPRISE
Regular City Council Work Session
16000 North Civic Center Plaza
Surprise, AZ 85374

Tuesday, August 18, 2020 @ 5:00PM

Call To Order

Roll Call

Mayor Hall called to order the Regular City Council Work Session of August 18, 2020 at 5:00 PM at Surprise City Hall Council Chambers, 16000 N Civic Center Plaza, Surprise, Arizona 85374. Also in attendance with Mayor Hall were Council Members; Vice Mayor Judd, Winters, Duffy, Sanders and Remley.

Staff Present: City Manager, Michael Frazier; City Attorney, Robert Wingo and City Clerk, Sherry Ann Aguilar.

Pledge of Allegiance

Call To The Public

Regular City Council Work Session Agenda

REGULAR AGENDA ITEM - NON-PUBLIC HEARING:

1. Discussion and presentation regarding the Surprise AZ TechCelerator business incubator/accelerator program - NO ACTION

[Jeanine Jerkovic, Economic Development Director gave an overview on this item then led into a powerpoint presentation.](#)

[Julie Neal, AZTechcelerator Manager continued the presentation highlighting the different types of business and meeting spaces available.](#)

[Gerard Rodriguez with Vetlink Solutions continued the presentation and spoke about their success at this site.](#)

[Public Comments:](#)

[Cheryl Packham - Surprise resident, Local Biz, LLC. Questioned how the AZTechcelerator helps small businesses in Surprise. Ms. Packham read several points of concern. Asked that Council suspend future funds to the Techcelatore until an investigation has been done.](#)

Executive Session

Adjournment

Council Member Remley made the motion to adjourn the Regular City Council Work Session of August 18, 2020 at 5:41 PM. Council Member Hayden seconded the motion. Seven yes votes, motion carried.

Skip Hall, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk, MMC

CERTIFICATION:

I, Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk for the City of Surprise, Maricopa County, Arizona, do hereby verify that these are the true and correct minutes of the Regular City Council Work Session of **Tuesday, August 18, 2020.**

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk, MMC