



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

Tuesday, May 7, 2019 @ 5:00PM

A. Call To Order

B. Roll Call

Mayor Hall called the Regular City Council Work Session to order at 05:00 p.m. at Surprise City Hall Council Chamber, 16000 North Civic Center Plaza Surprise, Arizona 85374, on Tuesday, May 7, 2019. Also in attendance with Mayor Hall were Vice Mayor Winters, Council Member Duffy; Council Member Sanders; Council Member Judd and Council Member Remley. (Council Member Hayden - excused)

Staff Present:

City Manager, Michael Frazier, City Attorney, Robert Wingo and City Clerk, Sherry Ann Aguilar.

C. Pledge of Allegiance

H. Regular City Council Work Session Agenda

REGULAR AGENDA ITEM - NON-PUBLIC HEARING:

G. Call To The Public

1. Presentation and discussion regarding the City of Surprise becoming a Dementia Friendly City - NO ACTION

[HSCV Director, Seth Dyson introduced Lori Nisson, Banner Sun Health Research Institute and Deb Richards from Sun Health to lead a powerpoint presentation on Dementia Friends Surprise.](#)

[The concept for this presentation is based on an Alzheimer's Society in the United Kingdom, a social grassroots movement.](#)

[Relevant stats were discussed. Arizona is the fastest growing state for Alzheimer's and dementia and an increase of 42.9 percent by 2025.](#)

[Council Member Sanders - How do you get the word out about this?](#)

[Ms. Nisson - Many different ways and resources available. A resource sheet was passed out to the Council.](#)

Council Member Remley - This is a very timely topic, most of us know someone or have a family member that has this. I spent many years as a caregiver and it's tough. The Cafe's you are talking about is very helpful and a resource with others dealing with the same thing. At our Techcelerator we have a company called MAGQ, developed a test for Alzheimer's 10 years in advance to start medications early.

Ms. Nisson - Yes the disease is very long 8 to 10 years, and the caregivers go through emotionally, financially and physically, many caregivers are exhausted and feelings of guilt.

Mayor Hall - Directed to Mr. Dyson - How do you see us interfacing with the memory cafe and coordination of this effort.

Mr. Dyson - We are looking for Council direction to explore the options on how to proceed.

Mayor Hall - Benevilla and Sun Health Organizations have unbelievable resources. Can you set up tours for us?

Ms. Nisson -Yes absolutely.

K. Executive Session

L. Adjournment

Council Member Remley made the motion to adjourn the Regular City Council Work Session of May 7, 2019 at 5:29 PM. Vice Mayor Winters seconded the motion. Six yes votes, one excused (Hayden), 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, May 7, 2019.**

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk, MMC