



CITY OF SURPRISE
City Council Meeting Minutes
100 North Civic Center Plaza
Surprise, AZ 85374

Thursday, October 21, 2010 @ 04:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER.

A. Roll Call

Mayor Truitt called the **Special City Council Meeting** to order at 04:00 p.m. Surprise City Hall Council Chamber 16000 North Civic Center Plaza Surprise, Arizona 85374 , on **Thursday, October 21, 2010**. Also in attendance with Mayor Truitt were Vice Mayor Alton, Council Member Wolcott, Council Member Villanueva, Council Member Woodard, and Council Member Hall.

Staff Present: Interim City Manager, Mark Coronado, City Attorney, Michael Bailey, and City Clerk, Sherry Aguilar.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

Special City Council Meeting Agenda:

CALL TO THE PUBLIC: None

REGULAR AGENDA ITEM - NON-PUBLIC HEARING:

#1. Consideration and possible action regarding the hiring of a City Manager.

Mayor Truitt opened with a statement regarding the short notice for this meeting and one Councilmember is absent.

Council Member Hall made the motion to adjourn the meeting without considering the remaining agenda. Council Member Villanueva seconded the motion. Three yes votes, three no votes (Wolcott, Alton and Woodard). Motion died.

Vice Mayor Alton called for point of order.

Council Member Woodard called for point of order.

Vice Mayor Alton commented on getting city business done and Chief of Police timeline.

Council Member Hall stated that Council agreed on the process and agreed on waiting until January.

Council Member Wolcott commented on term of Interim, Town Hall Meeting at Sun City Grand and the process.

Mayor Truitt commented on the process.

Council Member Villanueva stated that Council needs to stick with the guidelines that were agreed upon.

Council Member Hall commented on making tough decisions.

Vice Mayor Alton commented on having a hidden agenda.

Mayor Truitt commented on destabilization throughout the organization.

Council Member Wolcott commented on respecting opinions, changing landscape and doing the people's business.

Council Member Hall commented on Monday meeting with City Manager.

Vice Mayor Alton made the motion to approve starting the process to hire a City Manager. Council Member Woodard seconded the motion. Roll call vote; Mayor Truitt (No), Vice Mayor Alton (Yes), Council Member Wolcott (Yes), Council Member Villanueva (No), Council Member Hall (No) and Council Member Woodard (Yes). Motion died.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

#2. Discussion/consultation with the City Attorney and City Manager to discuss and consider the hiring of a City Manager. (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(1)(3)).

#3. Consideration and action on executive session items.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor Truitt adjourned the Special City Council Meeting of October 21, 2010 at 4:55 p.m.

L.E. Truitt, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk,

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 Special City Council Meeting of **Thursday, October 21, 2010.**

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk,