



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

Tuesday, August 23, 2011 @ 04:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER.

A. Roll Call

Mayor Truitt called the **Regular City Council Work Session** to order at 04:30 p.m. Surprise City Hall Council Chamber 16000 North Civic Center Plaza Surprise, Arizona 85374 , on **Tuesday, August 23, 2011.** Also in attendance with Mayor Truitt were Vice Mayor Hall, Council Member Biundo, Council Member Alton, Council Member Williams, Council Member Villanueva, and Council Member Woodard.

Staff Present: City Manager, Chris Hillman, City Attorney, Michael Bailey, and City Clerk, Sherry Aguilar.

Regular City Council Work Session Agenda:

REGULAR AGENDA ITEM - NON-PUBLIC HEARING:

#1. Presentation of the Arts & Cultural Advisory Board Strategic Plan - NO ACTION

Community and Recreation Services Liaison for the Arts and Cultural Advisory Board, Tara Combs introduced Sandra Stahle, Arts Board Chair to discuss the strategic plan and introduced the entire Arts Board to the Council.

Ms. Stahle gave a brief presentation regarding the updated version, the art displays through City Hall and talked about different types of events that can be held in the City.

Mayor Truitt thanked the board for their hard work.

Vice Mayor Hall thanked board for their efforts and asked for clarification on the amount of funding being requested for the Arts Display.

Council Member Alton asked if the art that is on display be for sale.

#2. Update to City Council on Economic Development activities - NO ACTION

Community and Economic Development Director, Jeff Mihelich gave a presentation regarding Economic Development activities; Brentwood, Rio Glass- Spain, Gestamp Solar Steel.

Presentation

Council Member Woodard inquired about the Auto Mall.

Council Member Villanueva inquired about Speed World.

Council Member Williams commented on the website the business guide.

Council Member Biundo inquired about future updates.

Mayor Truitt thanked staff for their efforts.

#3. Call for public input regarding agendized items.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor Truitt adjourned the Regular City Council Meeting of August 23, 2011 at 5:30 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 Regular City Council Work Session of **Tuesday, August 23, 2011.**

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk,