	City Council Study Session August 31, 2020 - 5:30 PM Virtual MINUTES Watch the meeting video Meeting videos are not available until 72 hours after the meeting has concluded.
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I. CALL TO ORDER

Deputy Mayor DaCorsi called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of Auburn City Hall, 25 West Main Street in Auburn.

II. VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION LINK

A. Virtual Participation Link

The City Council Meeting was held virtually in the Council Chambers.

B. Roll Call

Councilmembers virtually present: Deputy Mayor Claude DaCorsi, Bob Baggett, Larry Brown, James Jeyaraj, Robyn Mulenga and Chris Stearns. Councilmember Yolanda Trout-Manuel was excused.

Mayor Nancy Backus and the following department directors and staff members were present: Innovation and Technical Support Specialist Danika Olson, Director of Innovation & Technology David Travis, Chief of Police Dan O'Neil and City Clerk Shawn Campbell.

The following department directors and staff members attended the meeting virtually: City Attorney Kendra Comeau, Assistant Director of Innovation and Technology Ashley Riggs, Director of Public Works Ingrid Gaub, Director of Parks, Arts, and Recreation Daryl Faber, Director of Human Resources and Risk Management Candis Martinson and Director of Administration Dana Hinman.

III. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS

There were no modifications to the agenda.

IV. AGENDA ITEMS FOR COUNCIL DISCUSSION

A. Resolution No. 5543 (Comeau)

A Resolution amending the City Council Rules of Procedure

City Attorney Comeau presented the proposed rule revisions to the Council Rules of Procedure. She reviewed the changes to regular meeting seating assignments, allowing for virtual meetings, meeting notification

changes, clarifying that closed and executive sessions can be in regular meetings or study sessions, allowing for written comments, notifications for missing meetings, allowing for remote attendance, prohibiting the use of cell phones during meetings, motions to table, updates to the roll call vote, timekeeping for public comments, the Deputy Mayor appointment process, duties and responsibilities of the Deputy Mayor, removing the matrix and how topics are added to the agenda, formalizing appointments to codified and non-codified Council Boards and Committees, formalizing communication between the Deputy Mayor and Council and use of City email.

Council discussed changes to the Deputy Mayor appointment, appointments to boards and commissions, seating assignments at the dais, communications between Councilmembers and use of cell phones during meetings.

V. OTHER DISCUSSION ITEMS

There were no other discussion items.

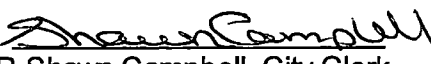
VI. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 6:33 p.m.

APPROVED this 8th day of September, 2020.



CLAUDE D'ACORSI, DEPUTY MAYOR Shawn Campbell, City Clerk

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