



**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING  
NATIONAL CITY COUNCIL**

**October 5, 2021**

This meeting was conducted utilizing teleconferencing and electronic means consistent with State of California Executive Order N-29-20 dated March 17, 2020, regarding the COVID-19 pandemic.

**OPEN SESSION**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 3:02 p.m. by Mayor Sotelo-Solis.

**ROLL CALL**

Councilmembers present: Bush, Morrison, Rios, Rodriguez, and Sotelo-Solis.

Administrative Officials present: Raulston, Winney, Bell Jr., Chapel, Brennan, Valadez, and Munoz.

Consultants/Advisors: Rene Farjeat and Eddie Kreisberg.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None.

Members retired into Closed Session at 3:05 p.m.

**CLOSED SESSION**

1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION  
Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2)  
One (1) Potential Case

*Members retired into Closed Session at 3:05 p.m. and returned at 3:24 p.m. with all members present in attendance: Bush, Morrison, Rios, Rodriguez, Sotelo-Solis, Raulston, Winney, Bell Jr., and Outside Counsel Rene Farjeat.*

2. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE EMPLOYMENT  
Government Code Section 54957  
Performance Evaluation: City Attorney

*Members retired into Closed Session at 3:24 p.m., City Attorney Bell left Closed Session and returned to the meeting room at 3:37 p.m. Mayor Sotelo-Solis and City Councilmembers remained in Closed Session for discussion, and returned at 3:40 p.m. with all members present in attendance: Bush, Morrison, Rios, Rodriguez, Sotelo-Solis, and Bell Jr.*

3. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS

Government Code Section 54957.6

Employee Organizations: Municipal Employees' Association (SEIU, Local 221), National City Firefighters Association (Local 2744), Police Officers Association (POA)

Unrepresented Groups: Executive, Confidential, and Management

Agency Designated Representatives: Eddie Kreisberg (Labor Negotiator), Brad Raulston (City Manager), Tony Winney (Assistant City Manager), Molly Brennan (Administrative Services Director), Paul Valadez (Budget Manager - Finance), Lilia Munoz (Human Resources Manager)

*Members retired into Closed Session at 3:41 p.m. and returned at 5:31 p.m. with all members present in attendance: Bush, Morrison, Rios, Rodriguez, Sotelo-Solis, Raulston, Winney, Bell Jr., Brennan, Valadez, and Munoz.*

*Guest: Eddie Kreisberg (Labor Negotiator)*

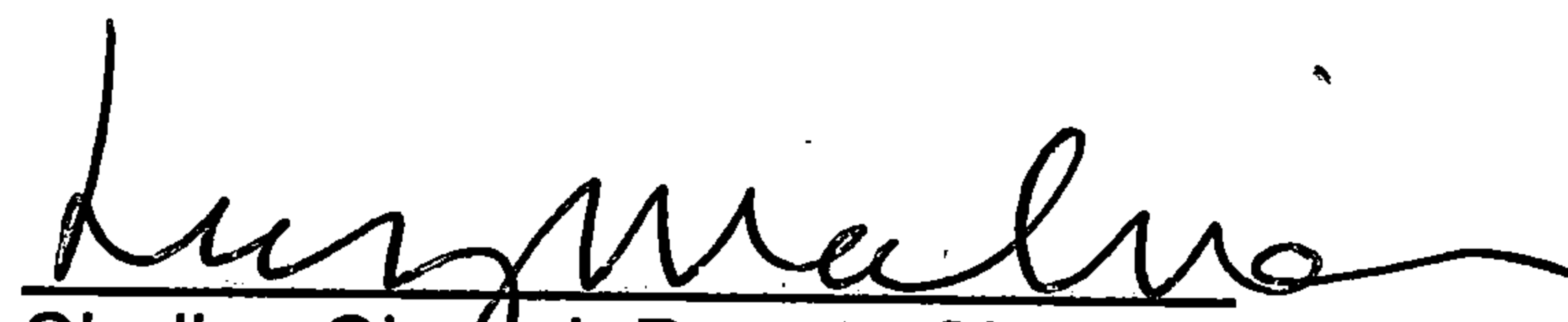
**CLOSED SESSION REPORT PROVIDED AT END OF REGULAR MEETING**

Members returned from Closed Session at 5:31 p.m. with all members present except Assistant City Manager Winney.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Sotelo-Solis adjourned to the Special Meeting to the Regular Meeting of the City Council and Community Development Commission - Housing Authority of the City of National City to be held Tuesday, October 5, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. via teleconference.

The meeting adjourned at 5:31 p.m.

  
Shelley Chapel, Deputy City Clerk

The foregoing minutes were approved at the Regular Meeting of November 16, 2021.

  
Alejandra Sotelo-Solis, Mayor