



CITY OF BELL GARDENS
CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING - CLOSED SESSION
MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 2024
5:00 pm
AGENDA

LOCATION: CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 7100 GARFIELD AVENUE, BELL GARDENS, CA 90201

The meeting will be held at Bell Gardens City Hall in the Council Chambers. The public may attend the meeting in person or virtually as instructed below. You may view the meeting live on the City's website at <https://www.bellgardens.org/i-want-to/watch-city-council-meetings>.

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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: The members of the public may address the City Council on any item listed on the agenda. Public Comments are limited to three(3) minutes. Public comments can be made by any of the following ways:

IN-PERSON: Members of the public can provide in-person comments at the podium in the Council Chamber. The Council Chambers will have seating available for members of the public to attend the meeting in person, subject to capacity limits. Public comments are limited to (3) minutes per speaker, unless different time is announced by the presiding chair. Speakers who wish to address the City Council should do so by submitting a "Public Comment Card" by 5:00 pm.

BY TELEPHONE: Phone Number: (669)900-9128 Webinar ID: 813 3236 4343# Passcode: 2021# To address the City Council press *9 to raise your hand then *6 to unmute yourself when instructed.

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one (1) hour prior to the meeting. Those comments, as well as any comments received after, will be distributed to the members of the City Council and will be part of the official public record of this meeting.

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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL OF CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

Gabriela Gomez, Council Member / Agency Member
Maria Pulido, Council Member / Agency Member
Francis De Leon Sanchez, Council Member / Agency Member
Marco Barcena, Mayor Pro Tem / Vice Chair
Jorgel Chavez, Mayor / Chair

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

During this time, the members of the public may address the City Council regarding any items listed on the agenda. Public comments are limited to 3 minutes per person.

CLOSED SESSION (Item Nos. 1-3):

- 1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL ANTICIPATED LITIGATION - SIGNIFICANT EXPOSURE TO LITIGATION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9 SUBDIVISION (D)(2)**

One (1) Matter

- 2. PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54957 – ANNUAL PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION PURSUANT TO TERMS OF AGREEMENT**

Title: City Manager

- 3. PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54957.6 - CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR**

City Designated Representative: Stephanie Vasquez, City Attorney

Unrepresented Employee: City Manager

CLOSED SESSION REPORT

ADJOURNMENT

Agenda posted on January 18, 2024 by Daisy Gomez, City Clerk.