

CITY OF PASADENA
City Council Minutes
December 15, 2003 - 5:30 P.M.
City Hall Council Chamber

REGULAR MEETING

OPENING:

Mayor Bogaard called the regular meeting of the City Council to order at 5:47 p.m. (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

On order of the Mayor, the regular meeting of the City Council recessed at 5:47 p.m., to discuss the following closed sessions:

CITY COUNCIL CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL REGARDING PENDING LITIGATION pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(a) Name of Cases: San Diego Gas & Electric Company v. Sellers of Energy and Ancillary Service into Markets Operated by the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange (FERC Docket No. EL00-95-069) and Investigation of Practices of the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange (FERC Docket No. EL00-98-058)

PASADENA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8
Property Address: 730-790 N. Fair Oaks Avenue, Pasadena, California
City Negotiators: Richard Bruckner and Gregory Robinson
Negotiating Parties: Pasadena Housing Investors, L. P.
Under Negotiation: Price and Terms

CITY COUNCIL CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL REGARDING POTENTIAL LITIGATION - CONSIDERATION OF INITIATION OF LITIGATION pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(c): One potential case

The above closed sessions were discussed, with no reportable action at this time.

On order of the Mayor, the regular meeting of the City Council reconvened at 6:56 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Bogaard.

ROLL CALL:

Councilmembers:

Mayor Bill Bogaard
Vice Mayor Paul Little
Councilmember Victor Gordo
Councilmember Steve Haderlein (Absent)
Councilmember Chris Holden
Councilmember Steve Madison (Absent)
Councilmember Joyce Streater
Councilmember Sidney F. Tyler, Jr.

Staff:

City Manager Cynthia J. Kurtz
City Attorney Michele Beal Bagneris
City Clerk Jane L. Rodriguez

CEREMONIAL

Mr. Bill Flinn, Chief Operating Officer with the Tournament of Roses and member of the Salvation Army Church, spoke in recognition of the Salvation Army's 115th Year Anniversary. Mr. Flinn introduced Captain Edward Hill, Commanding Officer with the Salvation Army.

Captain Hill distributed a handout and provided a brief presentation on the work and programs of the Salvation Army.

Councilmember Streater spoke regarding the interior renovations at La Pintesca Library, and the open house and ribbon cutting ceremony held at the Library on Saturday. She invited the community to visit the Library and also encouraged the public to become members of Friends of the Library.

Mayor Bogaard spoke regarding the celebration which took place on Wednesday, December 10, in celebration of the Metropolitan Water District's 75th anniversary.

Vice Mayor Tyler announced the opening of the AARP offices in Pasadena.

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON
MATTERS NOT ON THE
AGENDA**

Ms. Natalia Porche, with the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD), introduced herself as the new liaison to the San Gabriel Valley and briefly reported on the SCAQMD's services and programs.

Mr. Daniel Wang, Falun Gong Practitioner, provided a brief introduction for the speakers on the issue of Falun Gong.

Ms. Wen Chen, Falun Gong Practitioner, described the practice of Falun Gong.

Mr. Daniel Sanchez, Falun Gong Practitioner, submitted material and provided an update and status of the persecution of Falun Gong in China and in the United States. He spoke regarding past presentations made to Council and to the Human Relations Commission on the persecution of Falun Gong.

Mr. John Li, Falun Gong Practitioner, expressed support and reiterated Mr. Sanchez's comments.

Councilmember Gordo indicated he recalled referring the issue of Falun Gong to the Human Services Commission, and requested to see or hear the majority/minority reports from the Commission.

The City Manager indicated she would check on the report and agendaize this issue for January.

Ms. Tara Houshiar, Woodland Hills resident, and Ms. Celeste Draisner, representing Citizens for Clean Air, spoke regarding air pollution.

CONSENT CALENDAR

AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT NO. 18,172 FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY ACQUISITION SERVICES FOR THE STATE ROUTE 710 MITIGATION PROJECT - LAKE AVENUE AT WALNUT STREET AND HILL AVENUE AND WALNUT STREET INTERSECTION MOBILITY IMPROVEMENT

Recommendation of City Manager: Authorize the City Manager to execute an amendment to Contract No. 18,172 with PSOMAS for right-of-way acquisition services for the State Route (SR) 710 Mitigation - Lake Avenue at Walnut Street and Hill Avenue at Walnut Street Intersection Mobility Improvement Project increasing the total contract "not to exceed" amount by \$11,855 from \$93,000 to \$104,855. (Contract Amendment No. 18,172-1)

APPROVAL OF FINAL TRACT MAP NO. 54377, BEING A MIXED USE PROJECT AT 175 SOUTH LAKE AVENUE AND 160 SOUTH HUDSON AVENUE

Recommendation of City Manager: Adopt a resolution to approve final Tract Map No. 54377 and authorize the City Clerk to execute the Certificate on the map showing the City's approval of said map. (Resolution No. 8320)

CONTRACT AWARD TO RUSSELL WARNER INC. DBA ADVANCED SEWER TECHNOLOGIES FOR SEWER INSPECTION PHASE I FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$260,000

Recommendation of City Manager: It is recommended that the City Council accept the bid, dated December 3, 2003, submitted by Russell Warner, Inc. dba Advanced Sewer Technologies in response to the Specifications for the Sewer Inspection Phase I, reject all other bids received, and authorize the City Manager to enter into such contract as is required. (Contract No. 18,403)

AUTHORIZE THE AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT NO. 18,312 WITH STEWART AND ASSOCIATES FOR ADDITIONAL CONTRACT SERVICES FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE WATER & POWER SECURITY/ACCESS CONTROL SYSTEM TO INCLUDE THE POWER PLANT AND YARD FACILITY

Recommendation of City Manager: Authorize an increase of

\$195,000 to Contract No. 18,312 with Stewart and Associates for a total contract value of \$269,897 to expand the Water and Power Security and Access Control system to include the Power Plant and Yard facility. Competitive bidding is not required pursuant to City Charter Section 1002(F), contracts for professional or unique services.

It is further recommended that to the extent the proposed additional work scope could be considered separate from the original work scope and therefore subject to a competitive selection process, that the City Council exempt the proposed amendment from the competitive selection process pursuant to Pasadena Municipal Code Section 4.08.049(B), contracts for which the City's best interests are served. (Contract No. 18,312-1)

AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH HIGH LINE CORP, FOR SERVICES RELATED TO FUNCTIONALITY REVIEW AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE PERSONALITY 2000 PAYROLL/HR SYSTEM

Recommendation of City Manager: Authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with High Line Corporation in an amount not to exceed \$125,000 for services related to a functionality review and enhancement of the Personality 2000 Payroll/HR System. This review is necessary prior to implementation of the web-based employee self-service module and time card entry that was presented to City Council as part of the 2004 Capital Improvement Program Budget. Competitive bidding is not required pursuant to City Charter Section 1002(F), contracts for professional or unique services.

It is further recommended that the City Council grant the proposed contract an exemption from the competitive selection process of the Competitive Bidding & Purchasing Ordinance, pursuant to Pasadena Municipal Code Section 4.08.049(B), contracts for which the City's best interests are served. (Contract No. 18,404)

MINUTES APPROVED

November 17, 2003

CLAIMS RECEIVED AND FILED

Claim No. 9443	Kevin Durston	\$ 444.20
Claim No. 9444	Christina Gilman	200,000+
Claim No. 9445	Cindy Welch	25,000+
Claim No. 9446	Dawayne Owney	40.00

It was moved by Councilmember Little, seconded by Vice Mayor Tyler, to approve the Consent Calendar. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM OFFICERS AND DEPARTMENTS

ACTIONS FOR PASADENA CONFERENCE CENTER EXPANSION

Recommendation of Pasadena Center Operating Company (PCOC):

It is recommended that the City Council authorize the PCOC to terminate the Agreement with Zimmer Gunzul Frasca Partnership

(ZGF) for Architectural Design Services as per the negotiated Contract Termination Agreement, and authorize the PCOC to enter into an Agreement with Fentress, Bradburn Architects for an amount not to exceed \$3,609,240 for Architectural Design Services, subject to approval of the PCOC Board at a special meeting to be held at 11:00 A.M. on Monday December 15, 2003. Competitive bidding is not required pursuant to City Charter Section 1002(F) contracts for professional or unique services. It is further recommended that to the extent this may be considered a new selection process and not an extension of the process initiated in 2001, the City Council find that it is exempt from the Competitive Selection process of the Competitive Bidding and Purchasing Ordinance, pursuant to Pasadena Municipal Code Section 4.08.049(B), contracts for which the City's best interests are served.

Mr. Roger Smith, Chief Executive Officer, Pasadena Center Operating Company, summarized the report and reviewed PCOC's revised recommendation dated December 15, 2003, and responded to questions.

Mr. James Canfield, Executive Director of the Pasadena Center, and Mr Jim Bradbury with Fentress Bradburn, also responded to questions.

It was moved by Councilmember Holden, seconded by Councilmember Gordo, to approve the Pasadena Center Operating Company's recommendation, to terminate the agreement with Zimmer Gunzul Frasca Partnership (ZGF) for Architectural Design Services as per the negotiated Contract Termination Agreement. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

In response to a question, it was confirmed that the Contractor's performance includes delivering a project that meets the City's overall budget.

It was moved by Councilmember Holden, seconded by Councilmember Gordo, to approve the PCOC's revised recommendation, to authorize the PCOC staff to negotiate and enter into an architectural Agreement with Fentress Bradburn in an amount not to exceed \$3,659,249 and that Fentress Bradburn be required to include the services of the architectural firm Miralles and Wu Architects, a local firm with an emphasis on historic preservation as a part of the Agreement. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

ALAMEDA CORRIDOR-EAST (ACE) PROJECT VIDEOTAPE PRESENTATION (Vice Mayor Tyler)

Vice Mayor Tyler introduced the item.

Mr. Rick Richmond, Chief Executive Officer, Alameda Corridor-East Construction Authority, provided a videotape presentation of the ACE Project which consist of railroad crossing safety improvements along the 35-mile Alameda Corridor-East, and responded to questions.

Councilmember Little referred to a resolution adopted by the City when the Project was first considered, and suggested reminding our local legislatures that Pasadena supports this Project.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARING: REVISIONS TO THE ZONING CODE REGARDING PARKING FOR TAKE OUT RESTAURANTS, RENTAL OF BEDROOMS, CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR SIGNIFICANT TOBACCO SALES, APPEALS AND CALLS FOR REVIEW AND OTHER MINOR AMENDMENTS

Recommendation of City Manager: It is recommended that the City Council continue the public hearing to January 26, 2004, at 8:00 p.m.

On order of the Mayor, and with the consensus of Council, the above public hearing was continued to January 26, 2004, at 8:00 p.m.

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM OFFICERS AND DEPARTMENTS

RESIGNATION OF VICKI I SARMIENTO FROM THE HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION (District 6 Nomination)

APPOINTMENT OF MARTHA YOHALEM TO THE HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION (District 7 Nomination)

It was moved by Vice Mayor Tyler, seconded by Councilmember Little, to accept the resignation with regrets, and approve the above appointment with pleasure. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

REAL PROPERTY LEASE EXTENSION FROM CITY OF PASADENA TO JET PROPULSION LABORATORY, HAHAMONGNA WATERSHED PARK, JPL CONTRACT NO. 960266

The above item was held at the request of the City Manager to a meeting in January.

RECESS

On order of the Mayor, the regular meeting of the City Council recessed at 8:22 p.m. to the regular meeting of the Community Development Commission.

RECONVENED

On order of the Mayor, the regular meeting of the City Council reconvened at 8:28 p.m. (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

RECESS/JOINT MEETING

On order of the Mayor, the regular meeting of the City Council recessed at 8:28 p.m. to a joint meeting with the Community Development Commission.

JOINT ACTION: APPROVE THE DESIGN DEVELOPMENT PLANS FOR THE PASADENA CIVIC CENTER/MID-TOWN DISTRICT DESIGN PROJECT

Recommendation of City Manager/Chief Executive Officer: It is recommended that the City Council/Community Development Commission (PCDC):

- (1) Find the project Categorical Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per Sections 15301(b) and (c), 15304(b), and 15331; and
- (2) Approve the Design Development Elements for the Pasadena Civic Center/Mid-Town District Design Project as outlined in the Executive Summary document (Attachment No. 1 of the agenda report).

Recommendation of City Advisory Bodies: The City Center Implementation Task Force (the "Task Force") recommended that the City Council/PCDC approve the Design Development Plan document; the Arts Commission recommended approval of the Public Arts Programming component of the Plan; the Urban Forestry Advisory Committee approved the choice of replacement tree for Holly Street; the Community Development Committee recommended approval of the Plan; the Historic Preservation Commission did not have a quorum vote to make a formal recommendation; the Design Commission recommended approval of the Plan with inclusion of specific advisory comments; and Pasadena Sister Cities Committee supports the recommendations identified in the Design Development plans. A summary of Advisory Body comments and recommendations and staff responses is found in Attachment No. 2 of the agenda report.

The City Manager introduced the item.

Ms. Karen Balchunas, Project Planner, summarized the report, provided a short video presentation on the Centennial Square water element, and responded to questions.

Councilmember Holden acknowledged and thanked staff and Task Force members for their dedication and work throughout the years on this project.

Vice Mayor Tyler requested staff provide Council/Commission with a picture and description of the London Plane Tree to be planted on Holly Street.

Ms. Kathryn Nack, Chair, City Center Implementation Task Force, summarized the recommendation of the Task Force and spoke in support of the Plan.

Mr. Mark Nay, City Center Implementation Task Force Member, spoke in support of the Plan and responded to questions regarding the replacement trees to be planted along Holly Street and the Centennial Square water element.

Ms. Renee Morgan-Hampton, City Center Implementation Task Force Member, spoke in support of the overall Plan, but expressed concern regarding the water feature and suggested that it be studied further. She also spoke regarding the replacement trees for Holly Street and noted the need to revisit this issue.

Ms. Susan Mossman, Pasadena Heritage and City Center Implementation Task Force Member, submitted and summarized her letter dated December 15, 2003, echoed Ms. Morgan-Hampton's comments, and urged more thought be given to the trees and the water element.

Mr. Richard Quirk, City Center Implementation Task Force Member, spoke in support of the overall Plan, but noted the tree issue needs to be studied further.

Mr. Larry Morrison, Team Pasadena consultant, spoke in support of the Plan and responded to questions regarding the water element.

Mr. Stephen Carroll, Team Pasadena consultant, spoke in support of the Plan and responded to questions regarding the London Plane trees and the different species.

It was moved by Councilmember Holden, seconded by Councilmember Little, to approve the City Manager's/Chief Executive Officer's recommendation with the suggestion that if there are any dedicated dollars left over from the City Hall seismic retrofit project, that they be dedicated to this project first.

Councilmember Streater expressed concern regarding the London Plane tree to be planted along Holly Street and how these trees would fare in Southern California, concern that they might be high maintenance, and concern that they might be susceptible to fungus.

Vice Mayor Tyler and Councilmember Gordo suggested holding approval of the water feature to allow for further public participation and input, and to provide the community with additional information on the recommended fountain and the alternates considered by the Task Force.

The City Manager suggested not revisiting these issues immediately. She spoke regarding the difficulty in getting the community engaged in the project at this time and suggested waiting until the City Hall seismic retrofit is underway to allow for more public attention.

Councilmember Streator noted when Council went through the budget for the City Hall seismic retrofit project, some elements of restoration were eliminated in order to reach targeted amounts, and indicated she would hope that any left over funds go to those projects which were eliminated before they go to the above project.

Vice Chair Tyler suggested making a decision on any left over funds when the time and opportunity arises rather than committing at this point.

Councilmember Streator suggested Councilmember Holden amend his motion to:

1) Remove from the motion the caveat regarding funding, and let the decision about funding occur at the time that it looks like there may be a surplus, 2) postpone a final decision on design of the water element until later (after seismic construction of City Hall begins) and not refer the issue back to the Task Force, and allow the Council to make a decision closer to the time on who will take the lead on the water element; and 3) some time in the near future, obtain more information regarding the different London Plane species.

Following further discussion, Councilmember Holden amended his motion, with consent of the seconder, to approve the City Manager's/Chief Executive Officer's recommendation as modified to (1) request staff come back within an appropriate period of time with a technical response regarding the proposed trees to be planted on Holly Street and the issue of tree fungus and other related matters; (2) the issue of the water feature to come back to the City Council/Commission at some future date to be determined by the City Manager/Chief Executive Officer; and (3) the issue of any monies that could be used for this project as a part of the retrofitting restoration project for City Hall would also come back at some future date to be determined if there are any surplus monies and how best to spend them related to this project. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

RECONVENED

On order of the Mayor, the joint meeting of the City Council adjourned at 10:16 p.m., and the regular meeting of the City Council reconvened at this time. (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison)

**ORDINANCE - FIRST
READING**

Conduct first reading of "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA AMENDING TITLE 17 OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE, THE REVISED ZONING CODE TO CREATE THE HEIGHT LIMIT (HL-1) OVERLAY DISTRICT, AND AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF THE CITY OF PASADENA ESTABLISHED BY SECTION 17.08.040 OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE TO APPLY THE HEIGHT LIMIT OVERLAY ON CERTAIN PROPERTIES IN ZONING STUDY AREAS 1C, 2 AND 12".

The above ordinance was offered for first reading by Vice Mayor Tyler :
AYES: Councilmembers Gordo, Holden, Little, Streator, Vice Mayor Tyler, Mayor Bogaard
NOES: None
ABSENT: Councilmembers Haderlein, Madison

**RECOMMENDATIONS
FROM OFFICERS AND
DEPARTMENTS**

AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS WITH THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC POWER AUTHORITY FOR THE PURCHASE OF UP TO FOUR AND ONE-HALF MEGAWATTS OF THE AMERESCO LANDFILL GAS POWER PROJECT OUTPUT

Recommendation of City Manager: Authorize the City Manager to enter into a Power Purchase Agreement and a Scheduling Service Agreement ("Contracts") with the Southern California Public Power Authority ("SCPPA") for up to a 4.5 MW share of the Ameresco Landfill Gas Project ("Project").

These contracts are exempt from competitive bidding pursuant to City Charter Section 1002(H), contracts with other governmental agencies or their contractors. (Contract Nos. 18,405 & 18,406)

Councilmember Holden was excused at 10:18 p.m.

Mr. Eric Klinkner, Business Development Manager, summarized the report and responded to questions.

It was moved by Vice Mayor Tyler, seconded by Councilmember Streator, to approve the City Manager's recommendation. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Holden, Madison)

NAMING THE BASEBALL FIELD AT ALLENDALE PARK "STAN GRAY FIELD AT ALLENDALE PARK"

Recommendation of City Manager: It is recommended that the City Council approve the request to name the Allendale Park Baseball Field in honor of Stan Gray.

Recommendation of Recreation and Parks Commission: At its December 2, 2003, meeting, the Recreation and Parks Commission voted unanimously to support the request to name the Allendale Park Baseball Field in honor of Stan Gray.

Vice Mayor Tyler briefly highlighted the accomplishments of Mr. Stan Gray.

Mr. Martin Pastucha, Director of Public Works, acknowledged trustees of the Stan Gray Trust who were present at the meeting.

It was moved by Vice Mayor Tyler, seconded by Councilmember Gordo, to approve the City Manager's recommendation. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Holden, Madison)

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF ONE OR MORE CITY OF PASADENA PENSION OBLIGATION DEBENTURES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$6,038,106 AND AUTHORIZING OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO

Recommendation of City Manager: Adopt a resolution authorizing the issuance of one or more City of Pasadena Pension Obligation Debentures in the amount of \$6,038,106 and authorizing other matters relating thereto. (Resolution No. 8321)

The City Manager and Mr. Jay Goldstone, Finance Director, summarized the report.

It was moved by Councilmember Little, seconded by Vice Mayor Tyler, to approve the City Manager's recommendation. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Holden, Madison)

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STATE LEGISLATIVE PLATFORM

Recommendation of City Manager: It is recommended that the City Council approve the State legislative platform for 2004.

Vice Mayor Tyler, Chair of the Legislative Policy Committee, summarized the report and referred to Page 7, Gold Line Phase II, and noted it should reflect the previous action of the City Council, and defer any action at this time regarding AB 712.

Councilmember Gordo stressed the need to take aggressive steps to address nuisance liquor stores, and requested agendizing in the near future a discussion on convening a working group that looks at developing a solution to propose to our state legislatures to address nuisance liquor stores. He also referred to a memorandum prepared by the City Attorney, and requested the memorandum be distributed to the City Council, the Police Chief, Code Enforcement, and to our legislative representatives.

The City Attorney suggested refining and modifying her memorandum before sending it out.

It was suggested Council provide the City Attorney with suggestions on what areas within the memorandum need further research.

It was moved by Vice Mayor Tyler, seconded by Councilmember Little, to approve the City Manager's recommendation, amending Page 7, Gold Line Phase II, to defer any action at this time regarding Assembly Bill 712. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Holden, Madison)

APPROVAL OF COMPETITIVE PARK GRANTS APPLICATION PLAN

Recommendation of City Manager: It is recommended that the City Council approve the Competitive Park Grants Application Plan and adopt the seven resolutions approving the submittal of applications. (Resolutions No. 8322 - 8328)

Recommendation of Recreation and Parks Commission: At its regular meeting of November 4, 2003, the Recreation and Parks

Commission unanimously endorsed the Competitive Park Grants Application Plan.

Mr. Martin Pastucha, Director of Public Works, summarized the report and responded to questions.

It was moved by Councilmember Gordo, seconded by Councilmember Streator, to approve the City Manager's recommendation. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Holden, Madison)

SUPPORT FOR THE BUDGET ACCOUNTABILITY ACT FOR THE MARCH 2004 STATE BALLOT

Recommendation of City Manager: It is recommended that City Council:

- (1) Support the Budget Accountability Act to be placed on the March 2004 ballot; and
- (2) Authorize the Mayor to communicate Pasadena's position to appropriate authorities.

Ms. Stephanie DeWolfe, Assistant to the City Manager, summarized the report.

Vice Mayor Tyler, Chair of the Legislative Policy Committee, briefly summarized the Committee's concerns as outlined in the Assistant City Manager's memorandum dated December 15, 2003.


Following a brief discussion, it was moved by Councilmember Streator, seconded by Councilmember Gordo, to approve the City Manager's recommendation. (Motion unanimously carried) (Absent: Councilmembers Haderlein, Holden, Madison)

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Councilmember Gordo reported the Southwest Chamber Music recently became the first Southern California performing arts organization to receive a classical music nomination for the Grammys. He extended congratulations to Ms. Jan Karlin, Executive Director, and Mr. Jeff von der Schmidt, Artistic Director, and acknowledged they are Pasadena residents.

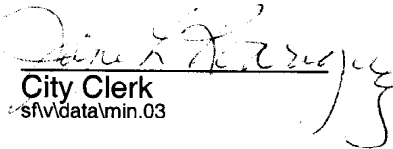
ADJOURNMENT

On order of the Mayor, the regular meeting of the City Council adjourned at 10:53 p.m.



Bill Bogaard, Mayor
City of Pasadena

ATTEST:



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