



REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Date: 10/26/2021

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Regular Meeting Location: [Zoom.us/join](https://zoom.us/join) – ID# 998 8073 4930

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Regular Session ([Zoom.us/join](https://zoom.us/join) – ID# 998 8073 4930)

A. Call To Order

B. Roll Call

C. Agenda Review

Agenda Review provides advance notice to members of the public and City staff of any modifications to the agenda order and any requests from City Councilmembers under City Councilmember reports.

D. Presentations and Proclamations

- D1. Proclamation: Recognizing Children's Environmental Health Month ([Attachment](#))

E. Public Comment

Under “Public Comment,” the public may address the City Council on any subject not listed on the agenda. Each speaker may address the City Council once under public comment for a limit of three minutes. Please clearly state your name and address or political jurisdiction in which you live. The City Council cannot act on items not listed on the agenda and, therefore, the City Council cannot respond to non-agenda issues brought up under public comment other than to provide general information.

F. Consent Calendar

- F1. Accept the City Council meeting minutes for September 21, October 5, 12, and 13, 2021 ([Attachment](#))
- F2. Adopt Resolution No. 6682 to continue conducting the City’s Council and advisory body meetings remotely due to health and safety concerns for the public ([Staff Report #21-211-CC](#))
- F3. Authorize the Mayor to sign the City’s response to the San Mateo County’s grand jury report: “California’s Ground Zero for Sea Level Rise” ([Staff Report #21-207-CC](#))
- F4. Adopt Resolution No. 6680 to amend the tenant assistance program administered by Samaritan House to increase program funding with the use of American Rescue Plan funds in the amount of \$250,000 and expand program guidelines to include mortgage assistance ([Staff Report #21-208-CC](#))
- F5. Adopt Resolution No. 6681 authorizing the removal of the left turn restriction at 105-125 Constitution Drive ([Staff Report #21-209-CC](#))
- F6. Award vehicle purchase contracts to National Auto Fleet Group, Altec Industries, Tesla, and Volvo Construction Equipment and Services for the purchase and modifications of electric and hybrid police vehicles, medium/heavy-duty trucks, and a towable compressor; approve the purchase of Tesla police patrol electric vehicles as a pilot program; and approve an appropriation from the unassigned general fund balance for the fiscal year 2021-2022 vehicle purchase ([Staff Report #21-213-CC](#))

- F7. Adopt Resolution No. 6683 modifying the City Council's regular meeting schedule to include November 16 and December 7, 2021 ([Staff Report #21-212-CC](#))

G. Public Hearing

- G1. Resolution No. 6679: Consider adoption of a Resolution of Necessity and authorize the initiation of eminent domain proceedings to acquire property interests necessary for the Menlo Park Community Campus Project ([Staff Report #21-206-CC](#))

H. Regular Business

- H1. Adopt Resolution No. 6678 to ratify a successor agreement between the City of Menlo Park and Menlo Park Police Officers' Association expiring August 31, 2024 ([Staff Report #21-204-CC](#))

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- H2. Consider land use strategy options to meet the City's Housing Element Regional Housing Needs Allocation for the planning period 2023-2031, and identify a preferred land use scenario for further evaluation as part of the environmental review process ([Staff Report #21-210-CC](#)) ([Presentation](#))

[Web form public comment on item H2.](#)

I. Informational Items

- I1. City Council agenda topics: November 2021 ([Staff Report #21-205-CC](#))

J. City Manager's Report

K. City Councilmember Reports

L. Adjournment

At every regular meeting of the City Council, in addition to the public comment period where the public shall have the right to address the City Council on any matters of public interest not listed on the agenda, members of the public have the right to directly address the Council on any item listed on the agenda at a time designated by the chair, either before or during the City Council's consideration of the item.

At every special meeting of the City Council, members of the public have the right to directly address the City Council on any item listed on the agenda at a time designated by the chair, either before or during consideration of the item. For appeal hearings, appellant and applicant shall each have 10 minutes for presentations.

If you challenge any of the items listed on this agenda in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Menlo Park at, or prior to, the public hearing.

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