

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING
INCLUDING THE ANTIOCH CITY COUNCIL
ACTING AS SUCCESSOR AGENCY/HOUSING SUCCESSOR
TO THE ANTIOCH DEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

**Study Session/Regular Meeting
5:45 P.M.**

**May 12, 2015
Council Chambers**

5:00 P.M. - CLOSED SESSION

- 1. PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT APPOINTMENT:** City Attorney– This Closed Session is authorized by California Government Code section 54957/CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR – This Closed Session is authorized by California Government Code section 54957.6. Agency Designated Representative: City Manager, Administrative Services Director, City Attorney and Phil McKenney of Peckham & McKenney regarding the recruitment and appointment of a City Attorney.
- 2. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS –** This Closed Session with the City's Labor Negotiators is authorized by California Government Code section 54957.6; City designated representatives: Michelle Fitzer, Denise Haskett and Glenn Berkheimer; Employee organizations: Operating Engineers Local Union No. 3 (OE3) and Public Employees Union Local 1.
- 3. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL REGARDING LIABILITY CLAIM –** pursuant to Government Code section 54956.95 against the City of Antioch; claimants: Aleksandra Sutton and Karen Quesada.
- 4. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION –** This Closed Session is authorized by California Government Code §54957 – City Manager.

Mayor Harper called the meeting to order at 6:01 P.M., and City Clerk Simonsen called the roll.

Present: Council Members Wilson, Ogorchock, Tiscareno, Rocha and Mayor Harper

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Harper led the Council and audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

STUDY SESSION – SPECIAL MEETING

- 1. 2015-17 BUDGET DEVELOPMENT FOR SPECIAL REVENUE, CAPITAL PROJECT, ENTERPRISE, INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS, 5-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM AND A GENERAL FUND UPDATE**

Finance Director Merchant presented the staff report dated May 12, 2015 recommending the City Council provide direction and feedback regarding the budget development information provided for fiscal years 2015-17.

Water and Sewer Funds

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal explained the technician positions would be support staff responsible for training, regulatory requirements, programming and public outreach. He noted they would also allow for the management staff currently performing some of these duties, to be more responsive.

Councilmember Tiscareno stated that while he understood the need to add these positions, he felt approving them at a time when the City was considering rate increases was not appropriate.

Councilmember Rocha voiced her support for providing oversight of regulatory requirements and community outreach.

Mayor Harper expressed concern adding new positions at this time and suggested the possibly of reorganizing job duties within the department.

Fredy Leon, representing East County Regional Group, stated he was opposed to the City increasing rates and adding two new positions in the water and sewer departments.

In response to Mayor Harper, Deputy Director of Public Works Bechtholdt clarified the positions would assist the City in meeting new and existing regulations as well as be responsible for training and public outreach while coordinating field work with staff. He added that current staff was falling behind in responding to the calls for service which put the City at risk for fines.

Following discussion, Mayor Harper and Councilmembers Tiscareno and Wilson stated that while they supported the technician positions; it was not feasible to fund them at this time.

A motion by Councilmember Rocha, seconded by Councilmember Ogorchock, to approve technician positions failed by the following vote:

Ayes: Rocha, Ogorchock

Noes: Harper, Wilson, Tiscareno

General Fund Update

Following discussion, Council directed staff to bring back costs associated for reinstating earthquake insurance and library hours, for future consideration.

5-Year Capital Improvement Program

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal gave a power point presentation of the 5-Year Capital Improvement Program.

In response to Mayor Harper, Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal stated Contra Loma Park was a priority and they were currently considering playground area design for the first phase. He noted the item would be coming to Council in June or July.

Following discussion, Council directed staff to bring back cost alternatives for the removal and replacement of the tennis courts with basketball courts.

Janet Costa, East County Regional Group (ECRG), requested the City Council allocate Capital Improvement Funds for surveillance cameras and lighting for Contra Loma and Prosserville Parks.

Fredy Leon, ECRG of First Five, thanked the City Council for supporting the improvements at Contra Loma Park and stated he supports replacing the tennis courts with basketball courts.

Tonya Love, Healthy and Active Before 5, thanked the City Council and the Public Works Department for supporting their requests for the improvements at Contra Loma Park. She committed to providing programming at the park.

Mayor Harper and Councilmember Rocha thanked East County Regional Group, First Five and Health and Active Before 5 for advocating on behalf of the children in Antioch.

Mayor Harper called the meeting to order at 7:05 P.M., and City Clerk Simonsen called the roll.

Present: Council Members Wilson, Ogorchock, Tiscareno, Rocha and Mayor Harper

City Attorney Nerland reported the City Council had been in Closed Session and gave the following report: **#1 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT: City Attorney and CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS**, Direction given to Labor Negotiator, **#2 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS**, Direction given to Labor Negotiators, **#3 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL REGARDING LIABILITY CLAIMS**, Direction given to Legal Counsel, and; **#4 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION**, Continued to May 26, 2015.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Alex and Edgar, students from Mayor Harper's Law Enforcement Career Class from Antioch High School, led the Council and audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PROCLAMATIONS

National Public Works Week, May 17-23, 2015

National Water Safety and Drowning Prevention Month, May 2015

Older Americans Month, May 2015

Municipal Clerks Week, May 3-9, 2015

On motion by Councilmember Rocha, seconded by Councilmember Wilson, the Council unanimously approved the Proclamations.

Councilmember Tiscareno presented the proclamation for *National Public Works Week* to Deputy Director of Public Works Bechtholdt and Assistant City Engineer Filson on behalf of the Public Works Department, who thanked the City Council for the recognition.

Councilmember Ogorchock presented the proclamation for *National Water Safety and Drowning Prevention Month* to Director of Parks and Recreation Kaiser, Justin Pitcher and Tracy Newman who thanked the City Council for the recognition. They provided brochures for the Antioch Water Park 2015 season.

Councilmember Rocha announced youth scholarships were available for qualifying families wishing to participate in classes or water park activities.

Councilmember Rocha presented the proclamation for *Older Americans Month* to members of the Antioch Senior Club who thanked the City Council for the proclamation and invited them to the Senior Picnic on May 15, 2015.

Mayor Harper presented the proclamation for *Municipal City Clerks Week* to City Clerk Simonsen who thanked the City Council for the recognition and their support.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF CIVIC AND COMMUNITY EVENTS

Alissa Friedman, representing Opportunity Junction, announced applications would be available for their job training and placement program at 10:00 A.M. on May 18, 2015. She invited the community to their graduation at 7:00 P.M. on May 28, 2015 at the El Campanil Theater and thanked the City Council for their support.

Julie Haas-Wajdowicz announced the following events:

- Bike to Work Day – May 14, 2015
- Free Composting Class – 9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. on May 16, 2015
- Laundry to Landscape Workshop – 11:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. on May 17, 2015

She encouraged residents to participate in the Community Resilience Challenge by pledging sustainable actions. Contact information was provided.

Dr. Sean Wright, representing the Antioch Chamber of Commerce, announced the following events:

- Student Career Pathway Expo – May 14, 2015 at Pittsburg High School
- State of the City Luncheon - May 29, 2015
- Antioch Care and Share Fair – 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. on June 13, 2015

Martha Parsons, Antioch resident, announced the Memorial Day Celebration would be held at 10:00 A.M. on May 25, 2015 at Oak View Memorial Park. She thanked the volunteers and sponsors of the event.

Councilmember Rocha announced an Open House for Assemblyman Frasier's office would be held 5:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M. on May 21, 2015 at Brentwood City Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF BOARD AND COMMISSION OPENINGS

City Clerk Simonsen announced the following Board and Commission openings:

- *Economic Development Commission: Four (4) vacancies; deadline date is May 29, 2015*

He reported applications would be available online at the City's website and at the City Clerk's and Deputy City Clerks offices.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Fred Hoskins, Antioch resident, reiterated his request for the City to contact the Department of Finance and advocate in support of the Friends of the Roswell Butler Hardhouse's efforts to restore the property.

PRESENTATION

Keep Antioch Beautiful Day Awards Ceremony

Martha Parsons and Julie Haas-Wajdowicz gave an update on the Keep Antioch Beautiful Day event. Mayor Harper joined them in announcing and presenting awards to the following participants:

- Antioch High School
- Deer Valley High School
- Dozier-Libbey Medical High school
- Black Diamond Middle School
- Park Middle School
- Dallas Ranch Middle School
- Holy Rosary School
- Turner Elementary
- Antioch Charter Academy

They recognized and thanked all the volunteers and sponsors of the event.

Introduction of new Community Development Director

Mayor Harper introduced newly hired Director of Community Development Forest Ebbs.

Mr. Ebbs thanked Mayor Harper for the introduction and stated he was excited to be joining the City on June 1, 2015.

Mayor Harper also introduced Interim City Attorney Derek Cole.

Interim City Attorney Cole stated he would be working with Former Antioch City Attorney Bill Galstan to provide Interim City Attorney services while the City is in the process of hiring a new City Attorney.

Police Statistics First Quarter Report 2015

Chief Cantando gave a presentation of the Police Statistics for First Quarter 2015 including the following information:

- Part 1 Crime Statistics
- Bureau of Support Services
- Bureau of Field Services
- Current Staffing Levels
- New Developments

He announced the Antioch Police Department was accepting applications for the Antioch Citizen's Police Academy beginning July 15, 2015. Deadline for applications is June 15, 2015. Contact information was given.

Mayor Harper thanked Chief Cantando for the report and the Antioch Police Department for their service.

In response to Council, Chief Cantando provided an update on body cameras, East Bay Regional Communication System Authority (EBRCSA), Antioch Police Activities League (PAL) and the Multi-housing Crime Prevention programs.

COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

Councilmember Rocha reported on her attendance at the Prayer Breakfast.

MAYOR'S COMMENTS

Mayor Harper reported on his attendance at the City Council Team Building Workshop, High School award ceremonies, Mayor's Conference, assembly at Park Middle School, roller skating event and Prayer Breakfast.

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3. **COUNCIL CONSENT CALENDAR *for City /City as Successor Agency/Housing Successor to the Antioch Development Agency***
 - A. **APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MINUTES FOR APRIL 28, 2015**
 - B. **APPROVAL OF COUNCIL WARRANTS**
 - C. **REJECTION OF CLAIM**
 1. **Marion and Donald Valdez on behalf of minor Sophia Valdez (personal injury)**
 - D. **ORDINANCE NO. 2102-C-S DROUGHT ORDINANCE UPDATE (*Introduced on 04/28/15*)**
 - E. **ORDINANCE NO. 2103-C-S UPDATE PROCEDURES IN SEWER SYSTEM ORDINANCE AND WATER SYSTEM ORDINANCE (*Introduced on 04/28/15*)**
 - F. **ORDINANCE NO. 2104-C-S POLICE SERVICES RELATED TO UNRULY GATHERINGS AND NUISANCES INCLUDING WHEN MINORS POSSESS ALCOHOL OR ILLEGAL DRUGS (*Introduced on 04/28/15*)**
 - G. **RESOLUTION NO. 2015/21 DESIGNATING THE CITY OF ANTIOCH REPRESENTATIVES TO THE MUNICIPAL POOLING AUTHORITY BOARD**
 - H. **RESOLUTION NO. 2015/22 APPROVING UPDATED CLASS SPECIFICATIONS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIRECTOR, EQUIPMENT OPERATOR AND WATER DISTRIBUTION SUPERVISOR, WITHOUT ANY SALARY CHANGE**
 - I. **RESOLUTION NO. 2015/23 ADOPTING THE MEASURE J GROWTH MANAGEMENT PROGRAM COMPLIANCE CHECKLIST FOR REPORTING CALENDAR YEARS 2012 AND 2013 FOR THE SALES TAX/TRANSPORTATION INITIATIVE**
 - J. **RESOLUTION NO. 2015/24 TO VACATE A SURPLUS PUBLIC SANITARY SEWER EASEMENT AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS THAT MAY BE NECESSARY TO VACATE THE EASEMENT AND QUITCLAIM ANY INTEREST TO THE UNDERLYING FEE OWNER (FITNESS INTERNATIONAL, LLC) FOR THE CITY SPORTS CLUB (PW 371-RA-53, UP-14-07, AR-14-02)**
 - K. **MARINA LEASE: TWIN RIVERS MARINE INSURANCE**
 - L. **APPROVAL OF SOLE SOURCE REQUEST AND PROPOSAL, AND AUTHORIZATION FOR THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF, INC. TO CONDUCT CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION SERVICES FOR**

THE 2015 PAVEMENT MAINTENANCE RUBBERIZED CAPE SEAL PROJECT (P.W. 328-8)

M. ANIMAL SERVICES UPDATE REGARDING A TRAP NEUTER RETURN (TNR) PROGRAM FOR DOWNTOWN ANTIOCH

On motion by Councilmember Wilson, seconded by Councilmember Rocha, the City Council unanimously approved the Council Consent Calendar with the exception of Item M, which was removed for further discussion.

Item M – Holly Cuciz, Susan Smith and Lisa Kirk thanked the City Council, staff and the rescue groups for their direction and leadership in working toward implementing a Trap Neuter and Return (TNR) program in Antioch. Lisa Kirk provided Council with additional information on TNR programs.

Councilmember Tiscareno thanked the stakeholders for working together toward a positive resolution.

On motion by Councilmember Tiscareno, seconded by Councilmember Rocha, the City Council unanimously approved Item M.

PUBLIC HEARING

4. DROUGHT-WATER CONSERVATION POLICY

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal presented the staff report dated May 12, 2015 recommending the City Council hold the scheduled public hearing and adopt the Resolution identifying water conservation measures and penalties effective May 12, 2015. He noted Tim Forester representing the Antioch Unified School District had provided comments that they were happy with the efforts they were making together to conserve more water for the School District.

City Attorney Nerland provided the speakers rules for the public hearing.

Mayor Harper opened the public hearing.

Mayor Harper read written comment from Nora Gatchalian that indicated she had filed a protest against the water and sewer rate increases.

Mayor Harper closed the public hearing.

Councilmember Tiscareno discussed the importance of clearly communicating conservation requirements to the community.

RESOLUTION NO. 2015/25

On motion by Councilmember Rocha, seconded by Councilmember Wilson, the City Council unanimously adopted the Resolution identifying water conservation measures and penalties effective May 12, 2015.

Mayor Harper declared a recess at 8:36 P.M. The meeting reconvened at 8:50 P.M. with all Councilmembers present.

5. WATER AND SEWER CHARGES

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal presented the staff report dated May 12, 2015 recommending the City Council conduct a public hearing on proposed Water and Sewer Rate and Capacity Charges Increases and: 1) Adopt the Resolution approving Water and Sewer Rates proposed in the March 2015 Water and Sewer Rates and Capacity Charges Study received at the March 24, 2015 City Council Meeting and listed in the Proposition 218 Notice; 2) Adopt the Resolution approving Water and Sewer Capacity Charges proposed in March 2015 Water and Sewer Rates and Capacity Charges Study received at the March 24, 2015 City Council Meeting.

City Attorney Nerland explained the Public Hearing and protest tabulation procedures for the Water and Sewer charges. She noted that following the public hearing the City Council would recess to allow Marv Winer and Karen Rios to tabulate the protests.

Tom Pavletic, Municipal Financial Services, gave a Power Point presentation of the Water and Sewer Rate Study.

In response to Mayor Harper, Mr. Pavletic stated they met with staff and legal counsel who all agreed the methodology used for the tiered rate was sound and would resist litigation.

Mayor Harper opened the public hearing.

City Clerk Simonsen reported he had received three protest votes, which would be turned over when protests were tabulated.

Louis Renner, Antioch resident, spoke in opposition to rate increases and expressed concern the City had not provided sufficient information to justify the additional costs. He requested the City inform the public what they would be purchasing with the rate increase.

Cheryl Jones, Antioch resident, stated she agreed with the previous speaker and opposed tiered rates.

David Fradsen, Antioch resident, stated he was opposed the rate increases. He expressed concern that there were no seasonal adjustments and the City had not provided data showing why increases were necessary. He stated he felt this item was taking advantage of a water crisis that may be temporary; however, the rate structure remained long term. He presented his protest to City Clerk Simonsen.

Bob Martin, Antioch resident, stated the City had approved a penalty for not conserving water and he felt approval of the rate increase would add another penalty for the same issue. He questioned if the City would be installing electronic meters so consumers could review their water consumption data.

Mayor Harper closed the public hearing.

City Attorney Nerland announced the last call for any written protests or written withdraw of protests.

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal stated he could research the ability for the City to provide customers with access to daily water usage data. He noted proposed rates were needed to sustain the enterprise for the next 5-years. He clarified residents using over 13 units would go into the second tier and when conservation measures were used it was not difficult to achieve the lower rates.

Marv Winer, Municipal Financial Services, added the purpose of the tiered rate was to recover costs from users equal to their use of the system.

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal explained that water usage would be compared with the 2013 monthly usage, as required by the Governor's mandate.

In response to Councilmember Ogorchock, Tom Pavletic explained the methodology used to determine the amount of revenues needed for the next 5 years. He noted with tiered rates, many customers would have a decrease in their water bill for the winter months.

Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal added that with the drought situation being fluid they would be back before the City Council in approximately 2 years with an update.

In response to Councilmember Tiscareno, Tom Pavletic explained they had discussed all types of rate structures and they elected to use a 2 tiered rate structure since it would be easily understood by rate payers.

City Attorney Nerland reported the tabulation process would be occurring in the City Hall foyer for anyone wishing to observe.

Mayor Harper declared a recess at 9:51 P.M. to allow for the tabulation of protests. The meeting reconvened at 10:17 P.M. with all Councilmembers present.

Marv Winer provided the following tabulation results for the protests received:

- 31056 water and sewer customers were mailed notices informing them of rate increases for both utilities
- 46 protests were received against both rate increases

- 5 protests were received against water only
- 3 comments were received

City Attorney Nerland stated based on the results of the tabulations and in accordance with procedures, there was no majority protest.

In response to Councilmember Ogorchock, Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal stated the goal was for the City to reduce their 2013 usage by 28%. He noted regardless of family size, the goal was to manage personal water usage to avoid going into the second tier.

In response to Councilmember Rocha, Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal clarified rates were not appealable.

In response to Mayor Harper, Director of Public Works/City Engineer Bernal explained there were no penalties; however, if residents used more water they would pay the tiered rate.

In response to Councilmember Ogorchock, City Attorney Nerland clarified the water and sewer rates being proposed were noticed and based on the rate study, which staff and the consultant believed were legally and operationally defensible.

Councilmember Ogorchock stated she believed there should be a rate increase; however, she did not support the tiered rate structure.

Following discussion and after conferring with staff and the consultant, City Attorney Nerland reported if it was the Council's desire to support uniformed rates instead of those proposed, the City would be required to start the proposition 218 process for notifications from the beginning.

City Manager Duran added a uniformed rate would be higher than the lower tiered rate; therefore, the average user would be paying more. He noted the uniformed rate would eliminate any incentive to conserve.

Councilmember Tiscareno stated he was concerned for the methodology used regarding homes with families of different sizes using the same tiered system. He urged staff to address that either through an appeal or education process.

A motion was made by Councilmember Rocha and seconded by Councilmember Tiscareno, to approve the resolutions. The maker of the motion and second withdrew their motion in response to Councilmember Ogorchock's request to take separate action on the resolutions.

RESOLUTION NO. 2015/26

On motion by Councilmember Rocha, seconded by Councilmember Tiscareno, the City Council approved 1) Adopted the Resolution approving Water and Sewer Rates proposed in the March

2015 Water and Sewer Rates and Capacity Charges Study received at the March 24, 2015 City Council Meeting and listed in the Proposition 218 Notice. The motion carried the following vote:

Ayes: Wilson, Tiscareno, Rocha and Harper

Noes: Ogorchock

RESOLUTION NO. 2015/27

On motion by Councilmember Rocha, seconded by Councilmember Tiscareno, the City Council unanimously Adopted the Resolution approving Water and Sewer Capacity Charges proposed in March 2015 Water and Sewer Rates and Capacity Charges Study received at the March 24, 2015 City Council Meeting.

COUNCIL REGULAR AGENDA

6. 2015-20 CONTRA COSTA CONSORTIUM CONSOLIDATED PLAN AND 2015-16 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT ACTION PLAN

CDBG/Housing Consultant House presented the staff report dated May 12, 2015 recommending the City Council: 1) It is recommended the City Council adopt the resolution approving the Contra Costa Consortium 2015-2020 Consolidated Plan. 2) It is recommended that the City Council approve the funding recommendations of the CDBG subcommittee and adopt the Resolution approving the draft fiscal year (FY) 2015-16 Action Plan. 3) It is recommended that the Housing Successor to the Antioch Development Agency approve the funding recommendations of the CDBG subcommittee and adopt the Resolution approving Housing Successor funding for homeless services outlined in the 2015-16 Annual Action Plan. She announced there was written comment received from Anka Behavioral Health Inc. Bay Area Legal Aid and Contra Costa Child Care Council that would be entered into the public record.

Mayor Harper thanked Councilmembers Wilson and Rocha for serving on the CDBG subcommittee.

Alissa Friedman, representing Opportunity Junction, thanked committee members for the consideration and reviewed the impact their program has had on the community. She thanked the City Council for their support and urged them to approve the recommendation.

Councilmember Rocha complimented Ms. Friedman for her efforts to seek out additional funding to support their program.

Mitchell Hardim Jr., Antioch resident, reported that they had not received a recommendation for funding this year and thanked the City for the opportunity. He reviewed services they provided to the community.

RESOLUTION NO. 2015/28
RESOLUTION NO. 2015/29

RESOLUTION NO. 2015/30

On motion by Councilmember Rocha, seconded by Councilmember Wilson, the City Council unanimously approved 1) Adopting the resolution approving the Contra Costa Consortium 2015-2020 Consolidated Plan. 2) Approved the funding recommendations of the CDBG subcommittee and adopt the Resolution approving the draft fiscal year (FY) 2015-16 Action Plan. 3) Approved the funding recommendations of the CDBG subcommittee and adopted the Resolution approving Housing Successor funding for homeless services outlined in the 2015-16 Annual Action Plan.

7. DISCUSS AND APPROVE THE UPDATE TO THE CITYWIDE SPECIAL EVENT POLICY

Director of Park and Recreation Kaiser presented the staff report to May 12, 2015 recommending the City Council discuss and approve an update to the citywide Special Event Policy and direct staff to implement effective July 1, 2015.

Following discussion, the City Council supported listing City programs in the event policy document.

On motion by Councilmember Ogorchock, seconded by Councilmember Tiscareno, the City Council approved an update to the citywide Special Event Policy and directed staff to implement effective July 1, 2015 with the addition of City programs listed in the final document.

PUBLIC COMMENTS – None

STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

City Manager Duran announced Councilmember Tiscareno won the “Top Chef” competition and he reported on his attendance at the Prayer Breakfast.

COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS

Mayor Harper reported at the City Council Team Building workshop they discussed installing Wounded Warrior and Disabled Veteran parking spaces at City Hall and encouraging other businesses in the City to do the same. He requested this item be agendaized.

Councilmember Ogorchock reported the City Council also discussed allowing Antioch High School to use utility boxes for their art program.

Councilmember Wilson reported on her attendance at the Urban Farm in Concord and suggested Antioch consider building one in the future. She reported on her attendance at the Youth Summit and the East Contra Costa County Leadership Initiative.

Councilmember Tiscareno reported on his attendance at a tour of the Fairfield Public Safety Academy and the Fairfield Activities League. He requested a presentation of these programs be agendized.

Councilmember Rocha announced the following events:

- Antioch Police Department Awards Ceremony at 3:00 P.M. on May 14, 2015
- Smart and Final grand opening at 6:00 P.M. on May 13, 2015
- Senior Picnic at 10:30 A.M. May 15, 2015
- 726 Safe Working Days lunch for Public Works at 12:00 P.M. on May 15, 2015 at Prewett Park.

She invited the community to attend her Bocce Tournament fundraiser on May 16, 2015.

Mayor Harper announced it was City Attorney Nerlands' last City Council meeting with the City of Antioch.

The City Council recognized City Attorney Nerland for her professionalism, thanked her for her dedicated service and stated she would be missed.

City Attorney Nerland stated she was grateful for the opportunity to serve the City of Antioch as City Attorney and stated she would miss the City Council, staff and community.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, Mayor Harper adjourned the meeting at 11:13 P.M. to the next regular Council meeting on May 26, 2015.

Respectfully submitted:

Kitty Eiden

KITTY EIDEN, Minutes Clerk