



**CITY OF HUGHSON
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
7018 Pine Street, Hughson, CA**

**MINUTES
MONDAY, MARCH 12, 2018 – 7:00 P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Jeremy Young

ROLL CALL:

Present: Mayor Jeremy Young
Councilmember Harold Hill
Councilmember Mark Fontana
Mayor Pro Tem George Carr
Councilmember Ramon Bawanana

Absent:

Staff Present: Raul L. Mendez, City Manager
Susana Diaz, Deputy City Clerk
Daniel J. Schroeder, City Attorney
Jaylen French, Community Development Director
Larry Seymour, Chief of Police Services
Shannon Esenwein, Director of Finance and Admin Services
Lisa Whiteside, Finance Manager
Sam Rush, Public Works Superintendent
Jaime Velazquez, Utilities Superintendent

FLAG SALUTE: Mayor Jeremy Young

A Moment of Silence for Former City Employee Sandy Cortes

INVOCATION: Hughson Ministerial Association

1. PUBLIC BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR (No Action Can Be Taken):

Mark Galvan, Hughson resident, expressed concern in his perception of a rise in crime in Hughson recently.

Tamara Thomas, Hughson resident, expressed concern with the established process set in place by the City of Hughson in the selection and appointment of Parks, Recreation & Entertainment Commissioners.

2. PRESENTATIONS: NONE.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR:

All items listed on the Consent Calendar are to be acted upon by a single action of the City Council unless otherwise requested by an individual Councilmember for special consideration. Otherwise, the recommendation of staff will be accepted and acted upon by roll call vote.

3.1: Approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 26, 2018.

3.2: Approve the Warrants Register.

3.3: Adopt Resolution No. 2018-08, Approving the Second Amendment to the Agreement with the Hughson Chamber of Commerce for Promotional and Notary Services.

YOUNG/HILL 5-0-0-0 motion passes to approve the Consent Calendar as presented.

4. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

4.1: Approval to Adopt Resolution No. 2018-09, Supporting the Hughson Fire Protection District 2018 Special Tax Initiative Providing Funding for Fire Protection and Emergency Services.

City Manager Raul Mendez presented the staff report on item 4.1.

Councilmember Fontana inquired of the Fire Protection and Emergency Services tax rate assessed to churches. The City Council directed staff to bring item 4.1 back to Council on March 26, 2018 to provide clarification.

No action taken on item 4.1.

5. PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING: NONE.

6. NEW BUSINESS:

- 6.1:** Adopt Resolution No. 2018-10, Amending the Classification Plan for City of Hughson Employees Creating a Water Treatment/Distribution System Operator Job Classification Series; Approving the Reclassification of a Maintenance Worker to a Water Treatment/Distribution System Operator I/II; Approving the Reclassification of a Water Distribution System Operator to a Water Treatment/Distribution System Operator II; and Updating the Publicly Available Salary Schedule Consistent with the Requirement of California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Section 570.5.

Community Development Director Jaylen French presented the staff report on item 6.1.

CARR/FONTANA 5-0-0-0 motion passes to approve the Resolution No. 2018-10, Amending the Classification Plan for City of Hughson Employees Creating a Water Treatment/Distribution System Operator Job Classification Series; Approving the Reclassification of a Maintenance Worker to a Water Treatment/Distribution System Operator I/II; Approving the Reclassification of a Water Distribution System Operator to a Water Treatment/Distribution System Operator II; and Updating the Publicly Available Salary Schedule Consistent with the Requirement of California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Section 570.5.

7. CORRESPONDENCE: NONE.

8. COMMENTS:

- 8.1:** Staff Reports and Comments: (Information Only – No Action)

City Manager:

City Manager Mendez reminded Council of the League of California Cities quarterly dinner meeting in Livingston, CA on March 22, 2018.

City Manager Mendez introduced the City of Hughson's Health Promotion Interns, Gerardo Quintanilla and Selene Millan.

City Manager Mendez addressed former Parks, Recreation & Entertainment Commissioner Tamara Thomas, with respect to the breakdown of communication in the selection and appointment of Parks, Recreation & Entertainment Commissioners. He indicated that City staff would be implementing improvements to the selection process.

Community Development Director:

Director French updated the Council on the Hughson Downtown Revitalization Plan coming in the Spring of 2018.

Director French sympathized with former Parks, Recreation & Entertainment Commissioner Tamara Thomas.

Director of Finance and Administrative Services:

Director Esenwein updated the Council on the progress with the Tyler Incode Financial Systems implementation.

Police Services:

Chief Larry Seymour introduced Deputy Michael Ghimenti as the newest member to Police Services. Chief Seymour provided the City Council with the latest Crime Statistic Report. Chief Seymour addressed the recent social media activity in Hughson related to crime.

City Attorney: None.

8.2: Council Comments: (Information Only – No Action)

Councilmember Bawanana attended the Hughson Fruit & Nut Festival meeting. He also reminded Council of the upcoming City Wide Clean Up Day, and the City-Wide Yard Sale events. He thanked staff for their dedicated work to the City of Hughson.

Councilmember Hill attended the 2+2 Fire District Committee meeting.

Councilmember Fontana – No Report

Mayor Pro Tem Carr attended the Hughson Ag Boosters Crab feed event.

8.3: Mayor's Comments: (Information Only – No Action)

Mayor Young – No Report

9. CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING:

9.1: CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS

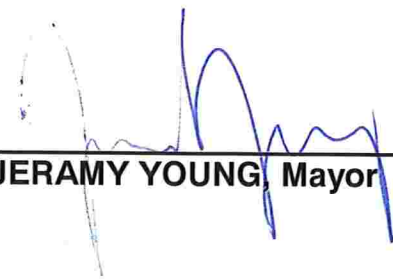
Agency designated representatives: Raul Mendez, City Manager
Employee Organization: Operating Engineers Local Union 3.

10. REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION:

All of the Councilmembers were present and there was no reportable action.

ADJOURNMENT:

YOUNG/BAWANANA 5-0-0-0 motion passes to adjourn the meeting at 9:38 P.M.



JERAMY YOUNG, Mayor



SUSANA DIAZ, Deputy City Clerk