

REGULAR WORK SESSION
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2015
5:30 P.M.

The Regular Work Session of the City Council of the City of Vineland was called to order by the President, Anthony R. Fanucci.

The following members were present at roll call:

Councilwoman Angela Calakos
Councilwoman Maritza Gonzalez
Councilman Paul F. Spinelli
President Anthony R. Fanucci

Councilman John A. Procopio was absent.

Also present were: Richard P. Tonetta, City Solicitor
Greg Gallo, Business Administrator Staff
Joseph Isabella, Director of Municipal Utilities

President Fanucci led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Municipal Clerk stated Public Notice of this meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given on December 15, 2014 by the City Clerk in the following manner:

1. Posting written notice on the official bulletin board in the lobby of the City Hall on;
2. Providing written notice to the offices of The Daily Journal and The Press of Atlantic City;
3. Filing written notice in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Vineland.

President Fanucci asked if anyone from the public would like to comment.

There was no public comment.

The Municipal Clerk reviewed the agenda.

Council members questioned Ordinance No. 2015-40, specifically the reference to a Unit 2 employee as a "confidential employee." It was explained by Director Isabella that the employee will be handling natural gas equipment. This situation needs more clarification.

The Municipal Clerk distributed copies of the 2014 Annual Audit and advised each member of the governing body that they are obligated to at least read the section on findings and questioned costs. A resolution will be prepared for a future meeting certifying that this was done.

Councilman Spinelli reported that the Recreation Commission meets next week. President Fanucci stated that Superintendent Dale Elbeuf went above and beyond in a recent situation. Councilman Spinelli announced the VDDID Taste of Vineland will be in October. Councilman Spinelli also raised an issue of apparent L & I selective enforcement regarding a variance now cited regarding the takeover by Corning Glass of the Kimble facility.

Tax Collector Carmen DiGiorgio was present to answer questions about some problems with billing.

Councilwoman Gonzalez requested an update on the Cayenta system and the associated problems at the next work session.

President Fanucci requested a written report on where we are with winter preparedness and with the budget process. The October 6 work session will begin at 4:30 p.m. to accommodate the quarterly Board of Health meeting and any presentation from Public Works about their winter preparedness.

Councilman Spinelli also was displeased with the RFP being issued for EMS billing services.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Spinelli, and seconded by Councilwoman Gonzalez, to adjourn the meeting. The Clerk called the roll: YEAS:

Councilwoman Calakos
Councilwoman Gonzalez
Councilman Spinelli
President Fanucci

ATTEST:

Anthony R. Fanucci
President of Council

Keith Petrosky, RMC
Municipal Clerk