

REGULAR WORK SESSION
TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2017
6:00 P.M.

The Regular Work Session of the City Council of the City of Vineland was called to order by the President, Paul F. Spinelli.

The following members were present at roll call:

Councilman David Acosta (*arrived at 6:10 p.m.*)
Councilman Ronald J. Franceschini, Jr.
Councilman Albert Vargas
President Paul F. Spinelli

Councilwoman Angela Calakos was absent.

Also present were: Mayor Anthony R. Fanucci
Richard P. Tonetta, Esq., City Solicitor
Robert E. Dickenson, Jr., Business Administrator
Susan M. Baldosaro, Chief Finance Officer

President Spinelli 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 28, 2016 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 Spinelli asked if anyone from the public would like to comment.

There was no public comment.

Council members sang "Happy Birthday" to Mayor Fanucci and presented him with a birthday cake. Mayor Fanucci thanked Council members for the recognition.

The Municipal Clerk reviewed the agenda.

Solicitor Tonetta spoke briefly about the LOSAP program for volunteer firefighters.

Councilman Franceschini requested an update from Matt Rabbai, director of the department of Licenses & Inspections. The director will be invited to attend the next work session on August 15.

President Spinelli reported that the Puerto Rican Festival Parade was successful. He stated his belief that all electric bills, water bills, property taxes, etc. should be paid up current before the city issues any street closing or other permits for events. He reported about the recent Jamaican flag raising at City Hall. The World Series champion Pigtail team will be honored with a parade on Friday.

President Spinelli also advised Council members they should not include items in their reports that are not a "done deal."

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

Paul F. Spinelli
President of Council

ATTEST:

Keith Petrosky, RMC
Municipal Clerk