REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2021 6:30 P.M.

The Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Vineland was called to order by the President, Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur.

The following members were present at roll call:

Councilman David Acosta Councilman Ronald J. Franceschini, Jr. Councilman Albert Vargas President Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur

Councilman Paul F. Spinelli was absent.

Also present were:Robert E. Dickenson, Jr., Business Administrator
Richard P. Tonetta, Esq., City Solicitor
Edwin Alicea, Director of Public Safety

The President led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Deputy Clerk stated Public Notice of this meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given on December 8, 2020 by the City Clerk, in the following manner:

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the 2021 minutes of the Pre-Meeting Conference and Regular Meeting of August 24; and the Work Session of September 7 be approved as submitted.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard at this time.

Steve Lewis, Vineland resident stated he was very happy to see a nice 9/11 ceremony this past Saturday at City Hall and also the Last Salute ceremony put on by Rone Funeral Home at Landis Park this past Sunday. He was proud of Vineland the City administration for the nice ceremonies. He also mentioned Sunday, September 26th is Gold Star Families say and also NJ Parents of Fallen military personnel day and thinks the City should support and acknowledge the day.

There being no one else to be heard, the Deputy Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (VARIOUS TITLES OF I.B.E.W., LOCAL 210, UNIT #3), which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52.

There being no one to be heard, the President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the public hearing on ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52 be closed.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52 be taken up for second and final reading and adopted according to law.

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There being no one to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll:

YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52 by title and announced the vote tally.

The President directed the Deputy Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2021-52 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Deputy Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2021-53 which was ready for First Reading.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-53 be taken up for the First Reading.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2021-53, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (BUILDING MAINTENANCE WORKER PART-TIME).

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-53 be passed for First Reading and that a Public Hearing be held on Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no one to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll:	YEAS:	Councilman Acosta
		Councilman Franceschini
		Councilman Vargas
		President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2021-54 which was ready for First Reading.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-54 be taken up for the First Reading.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2021-54, ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2004-25, AS AMENDED, ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CENTER CITY REDEVELOPMENT PLAN CONSISTENT WITH RESOLUTION 5203 OF THE PLANNING BOARD OF THE CITY OF VINELAND SO AS TO AMEND BLOCK 3016 LOT 22 CONSISTENT WITH RESOLUTION 6463 OF THE PLANNING BOARD.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-54 be passed for First Reading and that a Public Hearing be held on Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no one to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas

President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2021-55 which was ready for First Reading.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-55 be taken up for the First Reading.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

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The Deputy Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2021-55, ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2004-25, AS AMENDED, ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CENTER CITY REDEVELOPMENT PLAN CONSISTENT WITH RESOLUTION 5203 OF THE PLANNING BOARD OF THE CITY OF VINELAND SO AS TO AMEND BLOCK 4007 LOT 22 CONSISTENT WITH RESOLUTION 6462 OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-55 be passed for First Reading and that a Public Hearing be held on Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no one to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll:	YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas
	President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2021-56 which was ready for First Reading.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-56 be taken up for the First Reading.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta

Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2021-56, BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FIRE STATION IN AND BY THE CITY OF VINELAND, IN THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, NEW JERSEY, APPROPRIATING \$17,000,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$16,150,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE CITY TO FINANCE PART OF THE COST THEREOF.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-56 be passed for First Reading and that a Public Hearing be held on Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion, the Deputy Clerk called the roll:	YEAS:	Councilman Acosta
		Councilman Franceschini
		Councilman Vargas
		President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2021- 57, which was ready for a First Reading.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021-57 be taken up for the First Reading.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta

Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2021-57, ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2006-53, AS AMENDED, CHAPTER 29 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF VINELAND ENTITLED VINELAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2021- 57 be passed for First Reading and that a Public Hearing be held on Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta

Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-412, A RESOLUTION APPROVING AGREEMENT WITH THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS, LOCAL 210, UNIT-3 FROM JANUARY 1, 2022 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2025.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-412 be adopted according to law.

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The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-413, A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING RECEIPT OF GRANT FUNDING FOR VINELAND MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE TO PREVENT ALCOHOLISM & DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM AND APPROVING MEMBERS OF THE VINELAND MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-413 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS:	Councilman Acosta
	Councilman Franceschini
	Councilman Vargas
	President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-414, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT FUNDING FROM NORC AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO FOR THE VINELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT'S PARTICIPATION IN IMPLEMENTING THE NEW STUDY, POP FOR YOUTH PROGRAM (PROBLEM ORIENTED POLICING) AND POP INTERVENTIONS.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-414 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-415, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE MADE AVAILABLE BY REVENUE REALIZED FROM NORC AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO – POP FOR YOUTH PROGRAM (PROBLEM ORIENTED POLICING) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$36,000.00 AND AN APPROPRIATION IN SAID BUDGET FOR LIKE SUM AND PURPOSE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-415 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS:	Councilman Acosta
	Councilman Franceschini
	Councilman Vargas
	President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-416, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE MADE AVAILABLE BY REVENUE REALIZED FROM A COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE GRANT TO PREVENT ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$23,231.00 AND AN APPROPRIATION IN SAID BUDGET FOR LIKE SUM AND PURPOSE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-416 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

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The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-417, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUB-GRANTEE AGREEMENTS FOR 2021-2022 VINELAND MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE PROGRAM ACTIVITIES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-417 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-418, RESOLUTION EXERCISING OPTION TO EXTEND CONTRACT C20-0075 FOR RADIO SYSTEM MAINTENANCE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-418 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-419, RESOLUTION EXERCISING OPTION TO EXTEND CONTRACT C20-0093 FOR SUPPLYING AND LAYING HOT MIX ASPHALT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-419 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-420, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH MANDERS MERIGHI PORTADIN FARRELL ARCHITECTS, LLC, VINELAND, NJ FOR ARCHITECTURAL/ENGINEERING WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE 5TH FLOOR RENOVATION PROJECT, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$37,000.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-420 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-421, RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH WALDRON ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION, INC. EXETER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR UNIT 11 FUEL OIL CONTAINMENT PROJECT – STORM WATER POLLUTION CONTROL UPGRADES, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$29,000.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-421 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

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The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-422, A RESOLUTION AWARDING AN OPEN-END CONTRACT TO CATERINA SUPPLY INC., WILLIAMSTOWN, NJ, FOR THE FURNISHING AND DELIVERY OF METER PITS AND FITTINGS FOR THE VINELAND WATER UTILITY, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$84,000.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-422 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-423, A RESOLUTION AWARDING A CONTRACT TO CHARLES MARANDINO LLC, MILMAY, NJ, FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE 2021 ROAD PROGRAM (SIXTH STREET), IN THE AMOUNT OF \$467,023.75.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-423 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-424, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF ONE NEW ISUZU 19500 GVWR TRASH TRUCK WITH SINGLE CART TIPPER FOR THE SOLID WASTE UTILITY FROM H.A. DEHART & SON, THOROFARE, NJ, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$116,887.00, PURSUANT TO A NATIONAL COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT WITH SOURCEWELL.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-424 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-425, A RESOLUTION AWARDING A CONTRACT TO SOUTH STATE INC., BRIDGETON, NJ FOR THE COMPLETION OF BURNS AVENUE PAVEMENT PRESERVATION AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS (SW BOULEVARD TO S. MAIN ROAD), IN THE AMOUNT OF \$293,845.60.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-425 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschi

Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-426, A RESOLUTION APPROVING CHARGE AGAINST VARIOUS LAND FOR LAND CLEARANCE AND AUTHORIZING SAID CHARGE TO BECOME A LIEN UPON SUCH LAND AND TO BE ADDED TO AND BECOME A PART OF THE TAXES TO BE ASSESSED AND LEVIED UPON SUCH LAND.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-426 be adopted according to law.

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There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-427, A RESOLUTION APPROVING TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP OF MATTHEW BERTONAZZI FROM FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 2 TO FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 4.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-427 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-428, A RESOLUTION APPROVING VINELAND REVOLVING LOAN FUNDS FOR SALON PROMISE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (OR ASSIGNS).

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-428 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-429, A RESOLUTION CANCELING UNEXPENDED BALANCE OF APPROPRIATION AS AUTHORIZED BY ORDINANCE NO. 2017-74.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-429 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-430, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CANCELLATION OF TAXES FOR CY 2021 FOR THE REASON RECOMMENDED BY THE CITY OF VINELAND TAX COLLECTOR.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-430 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-431, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE REFUND OF TAXES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-431 be adopted according to law.

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There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-432, A RESOLUTION APPROVING SURETY REDUCTION, RELEASE OR RENEWAL AS SUBMITTED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-432 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-433, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING AND AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF BILLS AND DEMANDS AGAINST THE CITY OF VINELAND.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-433 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-434, A RESOLUTION APPROVING TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP OF MATTHEW RIGO FROM FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 2 TO FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 5.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-434 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-435, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE CITY OF VINELAND WITH RESPECT TO GARDEN ROAD & MILL ROAD TRAFFIC SIGNALIZATION (CON).

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-435 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-436, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF ORIGINAL AND RENEWAL TAXICAB LICENSES FOR THE YEAR 2021.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-436 be adopted according to law.

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There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented a COMMUNICATION from Mayor Anthony R. Fanucci appointing Councilman Paul Spinelli, Fernando Torres, Raquel Soto, And Suzette DeMarchi to the Enterprise Zone Development Corporation with the advice and consent of City Council.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the COMMUNICATION be received and filed according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-437, RESOLUTION RATIFYING AND CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF MAYOR ANTHONY FANUCCI, COUNCILMAN PAUL SPINELLI, FERNANDO TORRES, RAQUEL SOTO AND SUZETTE DEMARCHI AS MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ENTERPRISE ZONE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF VINELAND AND MILLVILLE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-437 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-438, RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION 2021-373 TO CORRECT A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR RELATING TO A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE FOR INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND MADE AVAILABLE FROM A NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY, FY2020 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (HMEP) PLANNING AND TRAINING GRANT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-438 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas

President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-439, RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH WALDRON ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION, INC. EXETER, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR UNIT 11 MECHANICAL PIPING RETROFIT, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$42,600.00

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-439 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta

Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-440, A RESOLUTION APPROVING SURETY REDUCTION, RELEASE OR RENEWAL AS SUBMITTED BY THE DIRECTOR F LICENSE AND INSPECTION.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-440 be adopted according to law.

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The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-441, A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MEMBERSHIP OF LINDSEY R. FINERFROCK TO FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 2.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-441 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion. There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta

Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-442, A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MEMBERSHIP OF MICHAEL P. DELUCA TO FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 2.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-442 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-443, A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MEMBERSHIP OF BRIAN J. SPEZIALI TO FIRE COMPANY NUMBER 2.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-443 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Vargas

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO 2021-444, A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE EXISTENCE OF AN EMERGENCY REQUIRING DRAINAGE REPLACEMENT ON MILL ROAD - PHASE A, BETWEEN LANDIS AVENUE AND PINE AVENUE AND AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF BILLS FOR SAID SERVICES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-444 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The Deputy Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2021-445, A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE EXISTENCE OF AN EMERGENCY REQUIRING DRAINAGE REPLACEMENT ON MILL ROAD - PHASE B, BETWEEN CHAMMINGS COURT AND GALLAGHER DRIVE AND AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF BILLS FOR SAID SERVICES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2021-445 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

Councilman Franceschini President Arthur

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There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

A COMMUNICATION from Mayor Anthony R. Fanucci reappointing Sandy Velez as a Class VI Member to the Planning Board, retroactive to January 1, 2021 and expiring December 31, 2024.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the COMMUNICATION be received and filed according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS:	Councilman Acosta
	Councilman Franceschini
	Councilman Vargas
	President Arthur

A COMMUNICATION from Mayor Anthony R. Fanucci appointing Ricky Dixon as a Vineland Resident Member of the Vineland Downtown Improvement District Management Corporation Board of Directors, filling an unexpired term commencing immediately, and expiring December 31, 2023.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the COMMUNICATION be received and filed according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

The President asked if any Council Members wished to be heard.

Councilman Franceschini stated that as of today, there were 259 positive cases of COVID-19 for the Month of September. Forty-eight of those cases were children aged 10-19 years. The Health Department will hold a vaccine clinic this coming Friday from 2 - 4 P.M. for those 12 years or older. The Health Department is also preparing for the Flu and will be holding vaccinations for the flu shot.

Councilman Acosta mentioned he was very happy to have been invited to the 9/11 ceremony held by Fire Administration that was a very touching ceremony. Consequently, he had a friend who was killed at the World Trade Center attack of 9/11 and he was just told after 20 years, they were just able to identify his remains. He stated the ceremony this past weekend was very moving, deserving and hoped we as Americans never have to go through something like that again. He also mentioned about the Salvation Army upcoming Turkey Drive and stated those willing and able to donate to please do so. They can donate Monday through Friday from 8AM to 1PM at the Salvation Army, 733 East Chestnut Avenue. He stated it is a tremendous fundraiser for those in need of food for thanksgiving.

Councilman Vargas mimicked the remarks of Acosta concerning the Salvation Army Turkey Drive.

President Dr. Arthur, too, stated she was very thankfully for attending a very moving 9/11 ceremony and also the Fire Department appreciation dinner for the fire and EMS personnel this past Thursday night at Savoy Inn.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, to adjourn the meeting.

The Deputy Clerk called the roll: YEAS:

Councilman Acosta Councilman Franceschini Councilman Vargas President Arthur

Meeting adjourned at 7:07 P.M.

ATTEST:

Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur, President of Council