

REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2022
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 Paul F. Spinelli
Councilman Albert Vargas
President Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur

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

The President led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Clerk stated Public Notice of this meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given on December 15, 2021 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 2022 minutes of the Pre-Meeting Conference, and Regular meeting of September 13; and the Work Session of September 20, 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 Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read the following: *Public comment provides an opportunity for members of the public to inform the governing body about their views. The governing body prescribes to City Council's by-laws and the NJ Statutes on Open Public Meetings when engaging during public comment. As such, each individual shall have a 5 minute limit to comment; s/he cannot yield time to another individual; s/he may only approach the podium once during public comment for any one topic; vulgar/offensive language is prohibited; and City Council will not engage in dialogue with the public during this time. The governing body maintains model courtesy and respect and requires members of the public to do the same.*

President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard.

Amit Darji thanked City Council for listening to his comments last week, as he anticipates obtaining approval for a third floor unit at 716 E. Plum Street. Solicitor Tonetta explained that the Planning Board resolution lacked key information which prevents City Council from making a decision tonight. The City Planner will be invited to explain at next Tuesday's work session.

William Thomas questioned his trash utility bill, which seems to add a little over \$3 to his monthly bill. When he called the utility billing office they suggested that some portion of the month was prorated, which he believes odd. He shared his contact information with Administrator Dickenson, who will follow up on the matter.

Josie Spinelli, curator of the VDID Old Fashioned Christmas event. She reviewed activities associated with the event and offer thanks to many people who have been assisting her.

There being no one further to be heard, the Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-72, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (SUPERVISING PLANNER), which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-72 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-72.

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. 2022-72 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-72 be taken up for second and final reading and 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-72 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-72 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-73, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (FIRE OFFICIAL), which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-73 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-73.

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. 2022-73 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-73 be taken up for second and final reading and 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-73 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-73 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-74, ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 51, AS AMENDED, CHAPTER 630, ARTICLE I OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF VINELAND ENTITLED STREETS AND SIDEWALKS, which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-74 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-74.

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. 2022-74 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-74 be taken up for second and final reading and 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-74 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-74 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-75, ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2019-57, AS AMENDED, CHAPTER 687, ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF VINELAND ENTITLED RIGHTS RESERVED; RATES, which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-75 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-75.

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. 2022-75 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-75 be taken up for second and final reading and 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-75 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-75 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-397, A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING RONALD DEMARCHI UPON RETIRING FROM PUBLIC SERVICE EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2022 AND APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF VINELAND POLICE DUTY WEAPON IN RECOGNITION OF YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE VINELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-397 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-398, A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING CHARLES MACKAFEE UPON RETIRING FROM PUBLIC SERVICE EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2022 AND APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF VINELAND POLICE DUTY WEAPON IN RECOGNITION OF YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE VINELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-398 be adopted according to law.

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

Councilman Spinelli wished both Charles Mackafee and Ronald DeMarchi a happy, safe, and healthy retirement.

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

Director of Public Safety, Edwin Alicea, read the commending resolution in its entirety. A copy was presented to Charles Mackafee along with a 'Thin Blue Line' flag. Charles Mackafee thanked everyone. Councilman Vargas commented that the City is losing two great police officers to retirement and congratulated them. Councilman Franceschini quipped that the new retirees can now help Mrs. Spinelli with the Old Fashioned Christmas. President Arthur extended good health and happiness to both retirees.

Councilman Paul F. Spinelli left the meeting at 7:08 p.m.

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-399, RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE RECEIPT OF THE CITY OF VINELAND, COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP) REVIEW REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2021 AND AUTHORIZE THE SAME TO BE RECEIVED AND FILED WITH THE DIRECTOR OF FIRE AND CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-399 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-400, A RESOLUTION TO EXTEND THE CONTRACTOR AWARD DEADLINE PERIOD IN CONNECTION WITH THE F.Y. 2021 MUNICIPAL AID PROGRAM GRANT FUNDING FOR THE RESURFACING NORTH EAST AVENUE (WHEAT ROAD TO GARDEN ROAD).

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-400 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-401, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2022 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE MADE AVAILABLE BY REVENUE REALIZED FROM STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION GRANT ALLOCATION, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$191,297.51 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. 2022-401 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-402, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2022 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE MADE AVAILABLE BY REVENUE REALIZED FROM A STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DIVISION OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY, PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ENFORCEMENT & EDUCATION 2023 GRANT, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$24,900.00 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. 2022-402 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-403, A RESOLUTION REJECTING PROPOSALS RECEIVED ON JULY 8, 2022 FOR COMPUTER MAINTENANCE & MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS FOR VMEU.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-403 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-404, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDATORY SUPPLEMENTAL CHANGE ORDER NO. 1, TO CONTRACT NO. C22-0003, ISSUED TO TANNER INDUSTRIES, INC., SOUTHAMPTON, PA, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$140.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-404 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-405, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDATORY SUPPLEMENTAL CHANGE ORDER NO. 1, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,460.00 TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT NO. C21-0023, PURCHASE ORDER NO. 21-01672 ISSUED TO FRALINGER ENGINEERING, BRIDGETON, NJ.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-405 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-406, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDATORY SUPPLEMENTAL CHANGE ORDER NO. 1, TO CONTRACT NO. C22-0109, ISSUED TO TERRA TECH SERVICES, LLC, DOWNINGTOWN, PA, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$327,000.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-406 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-407, A RESOLUTION AWARDED AN OPEN-END CONTRACT TO KOPPERS UTILITY AND INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS, LELAND, NC FOR THE FURNISHING OF SOUTHERN PINE POLES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-407 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-408, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A TRAFFIC MESSAGE BOARD AND RELATED TRAFFIC ITEMS FROM GARDEN STATE HIGHWAY PRODUCTS, INC., MILLVILLE, NJ, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$23,721.14, PURSUANT TO A COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT UNDER THE SOMERSET COUNTY COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-408 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-409, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF SIEMENS EXPENSES FOR PARTS AND SERVICE IN ACCORDANCE WITH A LONG TERM SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR UNIT 11 AND CLAYVILLE GENERATING STATIONS.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-409 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-410, A RESOLUTION AWARDDING AN OPEN-END CONTRACT TO SOUTH JERSEY WELDING SUPPLY, VINELAND, NJ FOR THE FURNISHING OF INDUSTRIAL GASES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-410 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-411, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF RECHARGEABLE FLARE KITS FROM GARDEN STATE HIGHWAY PRODUCTS, INC., MILLVILLE, NJ, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$29,078.50, PURSUANT TO A COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT UNDER THE SOMERSET COUNTY COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-411 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-412, A RESOLUTION AWARDDING A CONTRACT TO RIGGS DISTLER & CO., INC., CHERRY HILL, NJ TO COMPLETE GENERATION SAFETY GAS PIPING UPGRADE, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$398,000.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-412 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-413, A RESOLUTION AWARDDING A CONTRACT TO EUROFINS QC, HORSHAM, PA FOR THE FURNISHING OF WATER UTILITY REGULATORY WATER SAMPLING, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$184,119.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-413 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-414, 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. 2022-414 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-415, 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. 2022-415 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-416, RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A REDEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VINELAND AS THE REDEVELOPMENT ENTITY AND LI ENTERPRISES, LLC; RU MEI WANG AND TIAN PING ZHENG OR THEIR ASSIGNEES, FOR PROPERETY KNOWN AS BLOCK 4003 LOT 23 ON THE TAX MAP OF THE CITY OF VINELAND.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-416 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented, RESOLUTION NO. 2022-417, RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING LOU PICCONE, THE FIRST VINELAND HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYER TO COMPETE IN THE NFL, BY AUTHORIZING SIGNAGE HONORING HIM ON MONTROSE STREET BETWEEN S. DELSEA DRIVE AND WEST AVENUE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-417 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-418, A RESOLUTION APPOINTING QUETCY ANDRION AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-418 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 Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-419, A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ALBERT D. PORTER AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Spinelli, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-419 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 Clerk called the roll:

YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur
NAYS: Councilman Franceschini

The Clerk presented reports of the various departments for the month of August 2022, and requested the reports be received and filed.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the reports as presented by the Clerk be received and filed.

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 any Council members wished to be heard.

Councilman Franceschini reminded everyone that Covid-19 variant booster vaccination clinics are being held by the Health Department. He urged everyone not to forget their flu vaccination. He also hoped that the people in Florida are prepared for the approaching Hurricane Ian.

Councilman Acosta offered congratulations to the retirees and to Mr. Piccone.

Councilman Vargas congratulated the retiring police officers. He also noted that PAL basketball registrations for ages 7-12 are in early October.

President Arthur congratulated the retirees and noted a Hispanic history month event at D'Ippolito School on October 6.

There being no further comments, the President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, to adjourn the meeting.

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

ATTEST:

Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur
President

Keith Petrosky, RMC
Municipal Clerk