



COUNCIL MINUTES

August 23, 2021

The City Council of the City of Mesa met in a Study Session in the lower-level meeting room of the Council Chambers, 57 East 1st Street, on August 23, 2021, at 5:15 p.m.

COUNCIL PRESENT

John Giles
Jennifer Duff
Mark Freeman
Francisco Heredia
David Luna
Julie Spilsbury
Kevin Thompson

COUNCIL ABSENT

None

OFFICERS PRESENT

Christopher Brady
Dee Ann Mickelsen
Jim Smith

Mayor Giles conducted a roll call.

1. Review and discuss items on the agendas for the August 23, 2021, Regular Council meeting.

All of the items on the agenda were reviewed among Council and staff and the following was noted:

Conflict of interest: None

Items removed from the consent agenda: None

2. Current events summary including meetings and conferences attended.

Councilmember Heredia – Mesa College Promise program kickoff at MCC

Councilmember Luna – Redistricting public outreach meeting – Red Mountain Library
HELO meeting - Model City Charter presentation
Government Affairs Committee presentation

Mayor Giles commented that each district will host a redistricting public outreach meeting to gather public input on redrawing the council boundaries. Councilmembers encouraged the public's participation in the upcoming meetings:

- Virtual – Wednesday, August 25, 2021, 6:00 p.m. on Zoom.
- District 6 – Thursday, August 26, 2021, 6:00 p.m., at the Cadence Community Room.
- District 2 – Saturday, August 28, 2021, 10:00 a.m., at Madison Elementary.

Councilmember Heredia stated the Fiesta Police Department Division is hosting a community meeting on Wednesday, August 25, 2021, from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and more information is available on his Facebook page.

Councilmember Spilsbury announced Wednesday, August 25, 2021, members of the Mesa Police Department will be at Andy's frozen Custard located on Greenfield and Southern for custard with a cop from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

3. Scheduling of meetings.

City Manager Christopher Brady stated that the schedule of meetings is as follows:

Thursday, August 26, 2021, 7:30 a.m. – Study Session

Monday, August 30, 2021, 5:00 p.m. – Study Session

Monday, August 30, 2021, 5:45 p.m. – Regular Meeting

4. Adjournment.

Without objection, the Study Session adjourned at 5:23 p.m.

JOHN GILES, MAYOR

ATTEST:

DEE ANN MICKELSEN, CITY CLERK

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Study Session of the City Council of Mesa, Arizona, held on the 23rd day of August 2021. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

DEE ANN MICKELSEN, CITY CLERK

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