# MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BUENA PARK CITY COUNCIL HELD JANUARY 28, 2025

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## 1. CALL TO ORDER

The City Council met in a special meeting on Tuesday, January 28, 2025, at 3:30 p.m., in the Council Chamber of the Civic Center, 6650 Beach Boulevard, Buena Park, California, Mayor Ahn presiding.

## 1A. CALL TO ORDER

### 1B. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Franco, Hoque, Sonne, Traut, Ahn

ABSENT: None

Also present were: Aaron France, City Manager; Chris Cardinale, City Attorney; and Adria M. Jimenez, MMC, Director of Government and Community Relations/City Clerk.

## 1C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Aaron France, City Manager.

#### 2A. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Mayor Ahn announced the public may at this time address the members of the City Council on any matters within the jurisdiction of the City Council. There being none, Mayor Ahn closed oral communications.

# 3. CLOSED SESSION

Mayor Ahn stated the need for a closed session as scheduled and ordered the meeting into closed session.

- 3A. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
  Pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54956.9 (d)(4); Based on existing facts and
  circumstances, the City is seeking legal advice on whether to protect the City's rights
  and interests by initiating litigation; Number of potential cases: One
- 3B. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
  Pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54956.9 (d)(4); Based on existing facts and
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- 3C. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54956.9 (d)(4); Based on existing facts and circumstances, the City is seeking legal advice on whether to protect the City's rights and interests by initiating litigation; Number of potential cases: One
- 3D. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
  Pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54956.9 (d)(2); A point has been reached where, in the
  opinion of the City Council on the advice of its City Attorney based on existing facts and
  circumstances, there is a significant exposure to litigation against the City; Number of
  potential cases: One

## 3E. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR

Pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54957.6; Agency Negotiator: Eddie Fenton, Assistant City Manager/Director of Human Resources; Employee Organization: Buena Park City Employees' Association; Buena Park Technical, Office, and Professionals Association; Buena Park Management Unit; Buena Park Police Management Association; and Buena Park Police Association and Buena Park Unrepresented Employees

Mayor Ahn recessed the meeting at 4:28 p.m. and announced the meeting would reconvene after the regular meeting to discuss Item Nos. 3B and 3D. It was announced that no reportable action was taken for Item Nos. 3A, 3C, and 3E.

Mayor Ahn reconvened the meeting in open session at 9:38 p.m. and immediately recessed to Closed Session for Item Nos. 3B and 3D.

Mayor Ahn reconvened the meeting in open session and City Attorney Cardinale announced that no reportable action was taken for Item Nos. 3B and 3D.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Mayor Ahn adjourned the meeting at 10:10 p.m.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk