

SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
IN PERSON MEETING
August 18, 2021

MCFARLAND CITY COUNCIL
MCFARLAND SUCCESSOR AGENCY
MCFARLAND PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY
MCFARLAND IMPROVEMENT AUTHORITY
MCFARLAND PARKING AUTHORITY

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Gonzalez called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Council Members Present: Mayor Gonzalez, Mayor-Pro Tem Pérez, Councilmember Ayon, Councilmember Cano, Councilmember Santillano

Council Members Absent: None

OFFICIALS PRESENT

City Manager Lara, Chief of Police Williams, City Attorney Hodges, Interim City Clerk Drake, Finance Director Lara, Public Works Director Gonzales

INVOCATION

Councilmember Cano

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Pro Tem Pérez

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Rosa, a Kern Country resident, expressed concern regarding to the potential Intergovernmental Agreement with a facility in San Diego due to its distance from McFarland and its effect on the community. Urged the council to review pursuing an agreement and to consider their motivation for such a possible agreement.

ADMINISTRATIVE AGENDA

1. Motion was made by: **Councilmember Ayon** to Approve City of McFarland Pursuing an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with United States Marshals Service and The GEO Group, Inc. for Western Region Detention Facility located in San Diego, CA; 2nd by: **Councilmember Cano**.
Vote: 5/0
Ayes: Ayon Cano, Pérez, Santillano, Gonzalez (Mayor)
Nays: None
Absent: None
Abstentions: None

CLOSED SESSION

1. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS (Pursuant to Government Code, § 54957.6):
City Negotiator: Che Johnson; Employee Organization: McFarland Police Officers Association
(MPOA).

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 6:19 p.m.



Sarah Drake, Interim City Clerk



Sally Gonzalez, Mayor