

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE LA PALMA CITY COUNCIL

November 29, 2016

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Goedhart called the Special Meeting of the La Palma City Council at 8:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers of La Palma City Hall, 7822 Walker Street, La Palma, California, with Council Member Hwangbo being absent.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Goedhart

ROLL CALL: Council Members

Council Members present: Mayor Goedhart, Council Member Kim, Council Member Shanahan, and Mayor Pro Tem Steggell

Council Members absent: Council Member Hwangbo

City Officials present: Laurie Murray, City Manager  
Joel Kuperberg, City Attorney  
Michael Belknap, Community Services Director  
Sea Shelton, Administrative Services Director  
Kimberly Kenney, Deputy City Clerk

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:

Jerry Lomeli, a La Palma resident, addressed the City Council regarding the recent oil spills on Andrew Drive, Kevin Lane, and Dirk Circle; that the damage to street was done by both the street sweeper and trash trucks leaking hydraulic fluid; his opposition to the damaged streets; and support for correcting the problem and keeping the streets clean.

Mr. Belknap responded that the initial spill was cleaned up quickly; that any further amount of cleaning could damage the street as they used a high pressure washer; and that the incident with the trash truck is being investigated.

Council Member Kim asked that when Mr. Belknap responds in his investigative report regarding the damage to the street, that he includes when the street was rehabilitated.

## CONSENT CALENDAR

### 1. Waive the Reading of All Ordinances

Waive the reading of Ordinances in their entirety and read by title only.

Council Member Kim made a motion to approve Consent Calendar Item 1.

The motion was seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Steggell and carried on the following vote:

AYES:	Mayor Goedhart, Council Member Kim, Council Member Shanahan, and Mayor Pro Tem Steggell
NOES:	None
ABSENT:	Council Member Hwangbo

## REGULAR ITEMS

### 2. Introduce and Order First reading of Initiative Ordinance No. 2016-01 Establishing a One Percent Sales and Use Tax

City Attorney Kuperberg introduced the item and addressed the City Council regarding an apparent miscommunication with the State Board of Equalization regarding the Sales Tax Ordinance; that the City has been informed that separate City Council action needs to take place instead of just letting the people's vote move the matter forward; and that it is prudent to take and support the approach that is being recommended by the State.

Public Comment:

No members of the public wished to speak

Mayor Pro Tem Steggell made a motion to introduce and order the first reading of Initiative Ordinance No. 2016-01 establishing a one percent transaction (sales) and use tax on the sale of all tangible personal property sold at retail in the City

The motion was seconded by Council Member Shanahan and carried on the following vote:

AYES:	Mayor Goedhart, Council Member Kim, Council Member Shanahan, and Mayor Pro Tem Steggell
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NOES: None

ABSENT: Council Member Hwangbo

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Goedhart adjourned the Special Meeting of the La Palma City Council at 8:09 a.m. to the December 6, 2016, Regular Meeting.

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Gerard Goedhart  
Mayor

Attest:

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Kimberly Kenney  
City Clerk