



City Council Agenda

Regular Meeting

Monday, January 4, 2010
7:00 PM

City Council Chambers
6330 Pine Avenue

Oscar Hernandez
Mayor

Teresa Jacobo
Vice Mayor

Luis Artiga
Councilman

George Mirabal
Councilman

Lorenzo S. Velez
Councilman

Welcome to the City Council Meeting

The Bell City Council and staff welcomes you. This is your City Government. Individual participation is a basic part of American Democracy and all Bell residents are encouraged to attend meetings of the City Council.

Regularly City Council meetings are held on the first and third Mondays monthly at 7:00 p.m., City Council Chambers, 6330 Pine Avenue. For more information, you may call City Hall during regular business hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday at (323) 588-6211 Extension 217.

City Council Organization

There are five City Council members, one of whom serves as Mayor and is the presiding officer of the City Council. These are your elected representatives who act as a Board of Directors for the City of Bell. City Council members are like you, concerned residents of the community who provide guidance in the operation of your City.

Addressing the City Council

If you wish to speak to the City Council on any item which is listed or not listed on the City Council Agenda, please complete a *Request to Speak Card* available in the back of the City Council Chambers. Please submit the completed card to the City Clerk prior to the meeting.

The Mayor will call you to the microphone at the appropriate time if you have filled out a *Request to Speak Card*. At that time, please approach the podium, clearly state your name and address, and proceed to make your comments.

Compliance with Americans with Disabilities Act

The City of Bell, in complying with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), request individuals who require special accommodation(s) to access, attend, and or participate in a City meeting due to disability. Please contact the City Clerk's Office, (323) 588-6211, Ext. 217, at least one business day prior to the scheduled meeting to insure that we may assist you.

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All items submitted for the City Council Agenda must be in writing. The deadline for submitting these items is 4:00 P.M. ten days prior to the meeting. The City Clerk's office receives all such items.

***Meeting of
Bell City Council
Bell Community Redevelopment Agency
Bell Community Housing Authority***

***January 4, 2010– 7:00 P.M.
City Council Chambers***

I. Call to Order

- 1.01** Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
- 1.02** Roll call of City Council in their capacities as Councilmembers, Community Redevelopment Agency Members and Community Housing Authority Commissioners.

Mr. Velez _____
Mrs. Jacobo _____
Mr. Artiga _____
Mr. Mirabal _____
Mr. Hernandez _____

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II. Presentations

- 2.01** Presentation of City Council's Residential Holiday Season Decorations Award to Julio and Mercy Rendon, Eliseo and Lupita Reynoso, and Jaime Santa Cruz.
- 2.02** Introduction of Two Current Bell Police Officers.

III. Communications From The Public

This is the time and place for the general public to address the City Council, Community Redevelopment Agency, Surplus Property Authority, Community Housing Authority and Public Finance Authority on items, which are not listed on this agenda and are within their jurisdiction. State law prohibits any item not previously included on this Agenda from being addressed. Any matter discussed may be referred to the Chief Administrative Officer to submit a report at the next meeting.

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V. Council Business

The following items have no legal publication requirements. Pursuant to the Ralph M. Brown Act, public comments may be received on these items prior to the time action is taken by the City Council.

- 5.01** Report Regarding Annual Bell Car Show by Best of Friends and Kings of Kings Car Clubs.
- 5.02** Consideration to Reject Consolidated Disposal Service Notice Regarding their Implementation of a Commercial Rate Adjustment effective March 1, 2010.
- 5.03** Consideration of Monthly Treasurer's Report for the month of November 2009.
- 5.04** Consideration of Bell City Council, Bell Community Redevelopment Agency and Bell Community Housing Authority Amended Minutes Dated November 2, 2009; and Bell City Council, Bell Redevelopment Agency and Bell Community Housing Authority Minutes Dated December 7, 2009.
- 5.05** Consideration of Warrants dated December 31, 2009 in the amount of \$2,894,045.75 (144 checks and 12 Wire Transfers); Community Redevelopment Agency warrants dated December 31, 2009 in the amount of \$61,951.67 (11 checks and 1 Wire Transfer); and Community Housing Authority warrants dated December 31, 2009 in the amount of \$6,672.50 (12checks and 2 Wire Transfers).

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VI. Identification of Items for Next City Council Meeting.

VII. Mayor and City Council Communications

Pursuant to Assembly Bill 1234, this is the time and place to provide a brief report on Meetings Seminars and Conferences attended by Mayor and City Councilmembers.

VIII. Closed Session

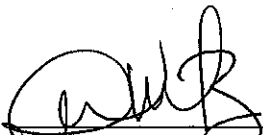
The City Council will recess to a closed session to confer with and receive legal Counsel regarding:

8.01 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.6.

IX. Adjournment

Next Regular Meeting, Monday February 1, 2010 at 7:00 P.M.

I, Rebecca Valdez, CMC, City Clerk of the City of Bell, certify that a true, accurate copy of the foregoing agenda was posted on December 31, 2009 seventy-two hours prior to the meeting as required by law.



Rebecca Valdez, CMC
City Clerk