

MAYOR JEFF GEE  
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COUNCIL MEMBER DIANE HOWARD  
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COUNCIL MEMBER CHRIS STURKEN

APPROVED MINUTES  
1017 MIDDLEFIELD ROAD  
REDWOOD CITY, CA

CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA  
Monday, September 18, 2023, 5:30 PM

1. **CALL TO ORDER** – Mayor Gee called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.
2. **ROLL CALL** – All Council Members were present.

Staff present: City Manager Melissa Stevenson Diaz, City Attorney Veronica Ramirez, and Interim City Clerk Yessika Castro.

3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** – Council Member Eakin led the pledge of allegiance.
4. **AB 2449 REQUESTS AND CONSIDERATIONS FOR MEETING PARTICIPATION BY TELECONFERENCE DUE TO JUST CAUSE OR EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCES** – None
5. **PUBLIC COMMENT** – There was no public comment.
6. **CLOSED SESSION**

**6.A Closed session regarding public employees’ performance evaluation pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of Government Code Section 54957**

Titles: City Manager and City Attorney

Closed session regarding a public employee performance evaluation pursuant to paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of Section 54957:

*Gov’t Code § 54957(b)(1) “...this chapter shall not be construed to prevent the legislative body of a local agency from holding closed sessions during a regular or special meeting to consider the appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, discipline, or dismissal of a public employee or to hear complaints or charges brought against the employee by another person or employee unless the employee requests a public session.”*

At 5:34 p.m., the City Council convened Closed Session.

There was no reportable action following the Closed Session.

**6. ADJOURNMENT** – Mayor Gee adjourned the meeting at 7:51 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Yessika Castro". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "Y" and "C".

Yessika Castro, CMC, CPMC  
Interim City Clerk

Approved at the October 2, 2023 City Council meeting.