## ANNOTATED AGENDA BERKELEY CITY COUNCIL MEETING Tuesday, June 29, 2021 6:00 PM

JESSE ARREGUIN, MAYOR

Councilmembers:

DISTRICT 1 – RASHI KESARWANI DISTRICT 2 – TERRY TAPLIN DISTRICT 3 – BEN BARTLETT DISTRICT 4 – KATE HARRISON DISTRICT 5 – SOPHIE HAHN DISTRICT 6 – SUSAN WENGRAF DISTRICT 7 – RIGEL ROBINSON DISTRICT 8 – LORI DROSTE

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This meeting will be conducted in accordance with the Brown Act, Government Code Section 54953. Any member of the public may attend this meeting. Questions regarding this matter may be addressed to Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900. The City Council may take action related to any subject listed on the Agenda. Meetings will adjourn at 11:00 p.m. - any items outstanding at that time will be carried over to a date/time to be specified.

## **Preliminary Matters**

**Roll Call:** 6:03 p.m.

Present: Kesarwani, Bartlett, Harrison, Hahn, Wengraf, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin

Absent: Taplin

Councilmember Taplin present at 6:09 p.m.

#### **Ceremonial Matters:**

- 1. Recognition of Franklin Bros. Market
- 2. Adjourned in Memory of Regina Minudri, Former Director of the Berkeley Public Library
- 3. Adjourned in Memory of Patricia Bulitt, Local Dancer, Artist, and Community Activist

#### **City Auditor Comments:**

The City Auditor presented the findings of the Fleet Replacement Fund Audit (Item 25).

#### **City Manager Comments:**

The City Manager provided an update on the hiring of the Police Chief and the status of labor negotiations.

Public Comment on Non-Agenda Matters: 10 speakers.

#### **Consent Calendar**

#### Public Comment on Consent Calendar and Information Items Only: 18 speakers.

**Action:** M/S/C (Wengraf/Robinson) to accept supplemental and revised materials from the City Manager on Items 29 and 30, and from Mayor Arreguin on Item 29. **Vote:** All Ayes.

Action: M/S/C (Taplin/Harrison) to adopt the Consent Calendar in one motion except as indicated. Vote: All Ayes.

Tuesday, June 29, 2021

1. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Debt Service on Neighborhood Branch Library Improvements Project General Obligation Bonds (Measure FF, November 2008 Election)

From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,765-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the debt service on the Neighborhood Branch Library Improvements Project General Obligation Bonds (Measure FF, November 2008 Election) at 0.0059%.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,765–N.S.

#### 2. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Debt Service on 2015 Refunding General Obligation Bonds (Measures G, S & I)

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,766-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the 2015 consolidation of Measures G, S and I (General Obligation Bonds - Elections of 1992, 1996 and 2002) at 0.0135%. **First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf. **Financial Implications:** See report Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 **Action:** Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,766–N.S.

3. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Debt Service on the Affordable Housing General Obligation Bonds (Measure O, November 2018 Election) From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,767-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the Affordable Housing General Obligation Bonds (Measure O, November 2018) at 0.0088%.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,767–N.S.

4. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Business License Tax on Large Non-Profits From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,768-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for Business License Tax on large non-profits at \$0.7041 (70.41 cents) per square foot of improvements.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,768–N.S.

#### 5. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Firefighting, Emergency Medical Response and Wildfire Prevention (Measure FF) From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,769-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding Firefighting, Emergency Medical Response and Wildfire Prevention (Measure FF) in the City of Berkeley at an annual rate of \$0.1047 (10.47 cents) per square foot of improvements and \$0.15705 (15.705 cents) for the 18-month period from January 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300, Abe Roman, Fire, (510) 981-3473

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,769–N.S.

#### 6. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Maintenance of Parks, City Trees and Landscaping From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,770-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding all improvements for the maintenance of parks, City trees, and landscaping in the City of Berkeley at \$0.1896 (18.96 cents) per square foot of improvements.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,770–N.S.

#### 7. FY 2022 Special Tax Rate: Fund the Provision of Library Services From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,771-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the provision of Library Services in the City of Berkeley at \$0.2402 (24.02 cents) per square foot for dwelling units and \$0.3632 (36.32 cents) per square foot for industrial, commercial, and institutional buildings.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300, Tess Mayer, Director of Library Services, (510) 981-6195

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,771–N.S.

# 8. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Emergency Services for the Severely Disabled (Measure E)

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,772-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the provision of emergency services for the disabled at \$0.02378 (2.378 cents) per square foot of improvements.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Action: Tax rate revised to \$0.01796. Adopted new first reading of Ordinance No. 7,772–N.S. Second reading scheduled for July 13, 2021.

#### 9. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Debt Service on the Infrastructure and Facilities General Obligation Bonds (Measure T1, November 2016 Election) From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,773-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the Infrastructure and Facilities Improvements General Obligation Bonds (Measure T1, November 2016) at 0.0170%. **First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

## Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,773–N.S.

10. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Debt Service on the Street and Watershed Improvements General Obligation Bonds (Measure M, November 2012 Election) From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,774-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the Street and Integrated Watershed Improvements General Obligation Bonds (Measure M, November 2012) at 0.0077%. **First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,774–N.S.

#### 11. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Fire Protection and Emergency Response and Preparedness (Measure GG) From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,775-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding Fire Protection and Emergency Response and Preparedness in the City of Berkeley at the rate of \$0.05818 (5.818 cents) per square foot of improvements for dwelling units and setting the rate for all other property at \$0.08804 (8.804 cents) per square foot of improvements.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300, Abe Roman, Interim Fire Chief, (510) 981-5500

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,775–N.S.

# 12. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Provision of Emergency Medical Services (Paramedic Tax)

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,776-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the provision of emergency medical services to Berkeley residents at \$0.0412 (4.12 cents) per square foot of improvements.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,776–N.S.

#### 13. Referral Response: Path to Permanence: Outdoor Dining and Commerce in the Public Right-of-Way From: City Manager

#### Recommendation:

1. Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,777-N.S. revising BMC Section 14.48.190 Parklets and BMC Section 16.18 Right of Way Encroachments and Encroachment Permits to simplify the permitting process for the conversion of temporary parklets and outdoor commerce installations after a declared local emergency.

2. Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,778-N.S. revising BMC Section 14.48.150 Sidewalk Seating to expand the areas and scope of activities that may be permitted via a sidewalk seating permit (a type of engineering permit) after a declared local health emergency, implement a new fee for the use of parking spaces for commercial activity.

**First Reading Vote:** Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

#### Financial Implications: See Report

Contact: Eleanor Hollander, Economic Development, (510) 981-7530 Action: Adopted second reading of Ordinance No. 7,777–N.S. and Ordinance No. 7,778–N.S.

## 14. Minutes for Approval

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Approve the minutes for the council meetings of May 11, 2021 (regular), May 13, 2021 (closed), May 18, 2021 (closed and special), May 20, 2021 (closed) and May 25, 2021 (closed and regular).

Financial Implications: None

Contact: Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900 **Action:** Approved the minutes as submitted.

#### 15. Contract No. 099148-1 Amendment: Code Publishing Company for Berkeley Municipal Code Publishing Services From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to amend Contract No. 099148-1 (FUND\$ Contract No. 9541A) with Code Publishing Company for online and printed code publishing services for the Berkeley Municipal Code, increasing the contract by \$40,000 for a total not to exceed amount of \$139,000, and extending the contract to December 21, 2024.

Financial Implications: General Fund - \$40,000

Contact: Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900

Action: Adopted Resolution No. 69,938–N.S.

16. Appointment of Interim Director of Police Accountability From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution confirming the appointment of Katherine J. Lee to be Interim Director of Police Accountability and approving an employment contract to be effective July 1, 2021 at an annual salary of \$182,260.65. **Financial Implications:** See report Contact: Dave White, City Manager's Office, (510) 981-7000

Action: Adopted Resolution No. 69,939–N.S.

17. Formal Bid Solicitations and Request for Proposals Scheduled for Possible Issuance After Council Approval on June 29, 2021 From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Approve the request for proposals or invitation for bids (attached to staff report) that will be, or are planned to be, issued upon final approval by the requesting department or division. All contracts over the City Manager's threshold will be returned to Council for final approval.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 **Action:** Approved recommendation.

18. Appropriations Limit for FY 2022 From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution establishing the appropriations limit at \$311,493,168 for FY 2022 pursuant to Article XIIIB of the Constitution of the State of California based on the calculations for the appropriations limit. **Financial Implications:** See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: Adopted Resolution No. 69,940–N.S.

#### 19. FY 2022 Revision to the Investment Policy and Designation of Investment Authority

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution accepting the changes to the Investment Policy and to confirm the delegation of investment authority to the Director of Finance to make investments for FY 2022.

#### Financial Implications: None

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: Adopted Resolution No. 69,941–N.S.

#### 20. Request for Proposal for Project Homekey From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution authorizing City Manager to: 1. Release a Request for Proposals (RFP) for a Homekey Project; and 2. Allocate HOME-ARP funding and General Fund collected pursuant to Measure P Measure P, and/or other funding source, to support a future Homekey project.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400 **Action:** Adopted Resolution No. 69,942–N.S.

#### 21. Fiscal Year 2022 Community Development Block Grant Public Facility Improvement Program Funds for the West Berkeley Service Center From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or her designee to: 1. Allocate all available Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Community Development Block Grant funding (estimated at \$1,145,251) for one public facility improvement project at the City's West Berkeley Service Center; and 2. Allocate any additional FY 2021 CDBG program income to the West Berkeley Service Center renovation project, if needed, and in accordance with Resolution 69,830 –N.S.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400 **Action:** Adopted Resolution No. 69,943–N.S.

#### 22. Contract No. 31900254 Amendment: Easy Does It to Provide Emergency Disability Services and Audit Recommendation Update for Fiscal Year 2022-2023

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution approving an amendment to Contract No. 31900254 to continue funding for Easy Does It (EDI) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 and FY 2023 in the amount of \$1,432,011 using Measure E funds to provide emergency disability services, as long as EDI continues to demonstrate progress towards resolving the audit findings.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400 **Action:** Adopted Resolution No. 69,944–N.S.

#### 23. Fiscal Year 2022 and Fiscal Year 2023 Housing Retention Program Contract From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or her designee to: 1. Allocate the Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 and FY 2023 City of Berkeley Housing Retention Program (HRP) contract to the Eviction Defense Center (EDC), which operates the COVID-19 HRP; and 2. Amend Contract No. 32100023 with EDC to use General Fund U1 HRP funds for utility arrears or other expenses that would enable applicants to retain or obtain housing and/or employment.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400 **Action:** Adopted Resolution No. 69,945–N.S.

#### 24. Adopt a Resolution to Upgrade Residential and Commercial Customers to East Bay Community Energy (EBCE) Renewable 100 Plan From: Energy Commission

**Recommendation:** Adopt a time-sensitive Resolution to upgrade all current and new Berkeley residential and commercial customer accounts from Bright Choice - 86% Green House Gas (GHG)-free including substantial hydroelectric and nuclear - to Renewable 100 (100% renewable energy from California solar and wind) for their default electricity service plan, excluding residential customers in low-income assistance programs. The Berkeley Energy Commission (Commission) recommends that the City Council adopt the resolution now to meet East Bay Community Energy's (EBCE) schedule of requiring an extensive lead time needed for the transition to be effective April 1, 2022 for residential customers and October 1, 2022 for commercial customers.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Billi Romain, Commission Secretary, (510) 981-7400 **Action:** Adopted Resolution No. 69,946–N.S.

#### 25. Berkeley's Fleet Replacement: Fund Short by Millions From: Auditor

**Recommendation:** We recommend City Council request that the City Manager report back by the first City Council meeting in January 2022, and every six months thereafter, regarding the status of our audit recommendations until reported fully implemented by the Public Works Department.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Jenny Wong, Auditor, (510) 981-6750

**Action:** Approved recommendation as revised in Supplemental Communications Packet #2 from City Auditor.

## **Council Consent Items**

26. Resolution Supporting Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh From: Councilmember Taplin (Author)

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution in Support of Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh and All Other Political Prisoners and Prisoners of Conscience in the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Financial Implications: None

Contact: Terry Taplin, Councilmember, District 2, (510) 981-7120 **Action:** Adopted Resolution No. 69,947–N.S.

27. Resolution Urging the Metropolitan Transportation Commission to Program and Prioritize American Rescue Plan Act Funds From: Councilmember Harrison (Author) Recommendation:

1. Adopt a resolution directing the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) to program \$1.67 billion in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds immediately and prioritize them for immediate use to support Bay Area Transit riders and an equitable pandemic recovery.

2. Send a copy of the Resolution and an accompanying letter to the MTC Commissioners.

#### Financial Implications: None

Contact: Kate Harrison, Councilmember, District 4, (510) 981-7140 **Action:** Councilmembers Hahn and Taplin added as co-sponsors. 1. Adopted Resolution No. 69,948–N.S.; and 2. Approved recommendation as revised in Supplemental Communications Packet #1.

## Action Calendar – Old Business

**28.** Police Accountability Board – Appointment of Members (Continued from June 1, 2021)

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution appointing nine members to the Police Accountability Board nominated by the Mayor and City Councilmembers, and appointing one alternate member. (*Note: Appointment of the alternate member is continued from the June 1, 2021 meeting.*)

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900 **Action:** Item 28 continued to July 13, 2021.

## Action Calendar – New Business

#### 29. FY 2022 Budget Adoption

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution:

1. Adopting the FY 2022 Budget as contained in the City Manager's FY 2022 Proposed Budget that includes the Proposed Capital Budget, presented to Council on May 25, 2021, and as amended by subsequent Council action.

2. Authorizing the City Manager to provide applicable advances to selected community agencies receiving City funds in FY 2022, as reflected in Attachment 2 to the report, and as amended by subsequent Council action.

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Rama Murty, Budget Office, (510) 981-7000

Action: M/S/C (Arreguin/Harrison) to adopt temporary rule to allow one minute per speaker.

Vote: All Ayes.

Action: M/S/C (Arreguin/Hahn) to suspend the rules and extend the meeting to 11:15 p.m. Vote: All Ayes.

Action: 76 speakers. M/S/C (Arreguin/Hahn) to:

1. Adopt Resolution No. 69,949–N.S. adopting the FY 2022 Budget as contained in the City Manager's FY 2022 Proposed Budget that includes the Proposed Capital Budget, presented to Council on May 25, 2021, and as amended by subsequent Council action including revised allocations submitted by the Mayor and the City Manager based on the recommendations of the Budget & Finance Committee, including \$300,000 for EV Charging in the June budget and \$850,000 deferred to November.

2. Authorizing the City Manager to provide applicable advances to selected community agencies receiving City funds in FY 2022, as reflected in Attachment 2 to the report, and as amended by subsequent Council action. **Vote:** All Ayes.

## 30. FY 2022 Annual Appropriations Ordinance

#### From: City Manager

**Recommendation:** Adopt first reading of an Ordinance adopting the FY 2022 Annual Appropriations Ordinance (AAO) in the amount of \$668,825,973 (gross appropriations) and \$581,303,702 (net appropriations).

#### Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Rama Murty, Budget Office, (510) 981-7000

Action: 0 speakers. M/S/C (Arreguin/Droste) to adopt first reading of Ordinance No. 7,779-N.S as revised in Supplemental Communications Packet #3 from the Budget Office for appropriations in the amount of \$673,601,287 (gross appropriations) and \$552,265,708 (net appropriations). Second reading scheduled for July 13, 2021. Vote: All Ayes.

## Action Calendar – New Business

31. Borrowing of Funds and the Sale and Issuance of FY 2021-22 Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes From: City Manager Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution approving the borrowing of \$45,000,000 and the sale and issuance of Fiscal Year 2021-22 Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes. Financial Implications: See report Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: 0 speakers. M/S/C (Arreguin/Wengraf) to adopt Resolution No. 69,950–N.S. Vote: All Ayes.

## **Information Reports**

- 32. Voluntary Time Off Program for FY 2022 From: City Manager Contact: Rama Murty, Budget Office, (510) 981-7000 Action: Received and filed.
- 33. FY 2022 Civic Arts Grant Awards
   From: Civic Arts Commission
   Contact: Eleanor Hollander, Economic Development, (510) 981-7530
   Action: Received and filed.
- FY 2021 Second Quarter Investment Report: Ended December 31, 2020
   From: City Manager
   Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
   Action: Received and filed.
- 35. FY 2021 Third Quarter Investment Report: Ended March 31, 2021 From: City Manager Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300 Action: Received and filed.
- 36. 2021 Commission on Aging Work Plan From: Commission on Aging Contact: Richard Castrillon, Commission Secretary, (510) 981-5190 Action: Received and filed.

#### Public Comment – Items Not Listed on the Agenda - 5 speakers.

## Adjournment

Action: M/S/C (Arreguin/Robinson) to adjourn the meeting. Vote: All Ayes.

Adjourned at 11:07 p.m.

## Communications

#### Item #26: Resolution Supporting Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh

- 1. Nazila Tobaei
- 2. Riya Master
- 3. Kianna Imani
- 4. Anonymous

#### Berkeley Marina (BMASP) and Pier/Ferry Project from Marina Users

5. Camille Antinori and David Fielder, on behalf of the marina users

#### **Tenants Opportunity to Purchase Act (TOPA)**

- 6. Andrew Godar
- 7. Carol Wyatt
- 8. Sam Weng
- 9. Julie Saxe-Taller
- 10. Timothy Kim
- 11. Peter Schiller
- 12. Hayley Currier
- 13. Bethany Kaylor
- 14. Mary Telling
- 15. Cheryl Davila (2)
- 16. Alex Werth
- 17. Ann Harvey

#### **Climate Equity Action**

18. Cate Leger, Berkeley Energy Commission
19. Ariella Granett
20. Lily Cohen
21. Janet Stromberg
22. Natalie Nussbaum
23. Mary Ann Furday
24. Margot Smith
25. Christie Keith
26. Susan Kirsch
27. Andrea Mullarkey

#### Electrification

28. Janet Stromberg

## Berkeley Housing Authority (BHA) Negative Experiences

29. BHA staff

#### **Grizzly Peak Problems**

30. Joshua Bloom (2)

**BART Housing** 31. The-Anh Cao 32. Reynaldo Santa Cruz

#### **Zoning Reform on Property Values**

33. Margot Smith

## Housing

34. Madeleine Shearer (2)

Affordable Housing Overlay Support 35. Planning Students Association of Cal

#### People's Park

36. Russbumper

**Outdoor Shelter and Enforce No Sidewalk Camping** 37. Claudia Eyzaguirre

**Evictions** 38. Cadance Malone

#### Measure FF: Update from the Fire Department

39. David Peattie, on behalf of the Berkeley Disaster Prep Neighborhood Network

## Library Issues

40. Barbara Gilbert

## Parking Meters

41. Barbara Gilbert

## Berkeley's New Police Chief

42. Friends of Adeline

**Employment Development Department** 43. Rodak Goa

#### **Skateboard Park** 44. Alex Gomez-Pendleton

## **Daniel Hale Whistleblower** 45. Russbumper

**Speech to VTA** 46. Blair Beekman

#### Live Music Is Back in Downtown Berkeley Plaza

47. Downtown Berkeley Association

#### **Traffic Control Measures at Cragmont Elementary School**

48. Edward and Noelle Long

#### CalPERS Response Letter to Resolution No. 69,829-N.S. of 4/27/2021

49. California Public Employees' Retirement System

#### URL's Only

50. Vivian Warkentin (2) 51. Russbumper (4)

#### **Supplemental Communications and Reports 1**

#### Item #26: Resolution Supporting Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh

52. John Lang 53. Mohammad Samini 54. Sepideh Asgari 55. Bijan Jorjani 56. Bev Hoffman 57. Cyrus Khojasteh 58. Kaveh Niazi 59. Esfandiar Imani 60. Amin Miraftab 61. Parisa Imani 62. Dorothy Lubliner 63. Mansour and Fay Niazi 64. Linda Durston 65. Taylor Young 66. Austin Le 67. Partow Imani

#### Item #27: Resolution Urging the Metropolitan Transportation Commission to Program and Prioritize American Rescue Plan Act Funds 68. Revised material, submitted by Councilmember Harrison

#### Item #29: FY 2022 Budget Adoption

69. Erika Shore 70. Diana Bohn 71. Anna Tseselsky 72. Russbumper

#### **Supplemental Communications and Reports 2**

# Item #24: Adopt a Resolution to Upgrade Residential and Commercial Customers to East Bay Community Energy (EBCE) Renewable 100 Plan

73. Jessica Tover, on behalf of East Bay Clean Power Alliance 74. 350 East Bay – Berkeley Hub

#### Item #25: Berkeley's Fleet Replacement: Fund Short by Millions

75. Supplemental materials, submitted by City Auditor

#### Item #26: Resolution Supporting Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh

- 76. Nora Bayani 77. Gretchen Lemke-Santangelo 78. Anthony Santagelo 79. Parrirokh Abedi
- 80. Allison Murray

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81. Supplemental material, submitted by Mayor Arrequin

- 82. Berkeley Friends Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends
- 83. Maria Yates
- 84. Jan Ruchlis
- 85. Romeo Channer
- 86. Emma Gobler
- 87. Shellie Wharton
- 88. Rahmat Balogun
- 89. Civic Arts Commission
- 90. Eric Friedman
- 91. Danielle Sciocchetti
- 92. Sue Campbell
- 93. David Bohn
- 94. Naomi Rubalcava
- 95. Alion Lafferty
- 96.24 similarly-worded form letters

#### Adopt a Resolution Updating Guidelines and Procedures for City Council Office Budget Expenditure Accounts and Refer to the Budget Process Pursuant to Resolution No. 69,928-N.S.

97. Urgent item, submitted by Councilmember Harrison

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# Item #24: Adopt a Resolution to Upgrade Residential and Commercial Customers to East Bay Community Energy (EBCE) Renewable 100 Plan

98. Igor Tregub, on behalf of the Sierra Club99. David McCoard100. Blair Beekman

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- 101. Grace Becker
- 102. Jaleh Niazi

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- 103. Revised material, submitted by Mayor Arreguin
- 104. Revised material, submitted by Budget
- 105. Shellie Wharton

- 106. Tetsu Tokunaga
- 107. Igor Tregub, on behalf of the Sierra Club
- 108. Abbey Kletz
- 109. outlook@
- 110. Rebecca Franke
- 111. Julia Cato
- 112. Sheila Jordan
- 113. Carol Denney
- 114. Tony Sirna
- 115. Holly Mines
- 116. Geraldine Clifford
- 117. Juli Dickey
- 118. Alice Freda
- 119. Kaela Plank
- 120. Elyce Klein
- 121. Phil Allen
- 122. Donald Rothberg
- 123. David Ginsburg
- 124. dfgassman@
- 125. Tom Graly
- 126. Elizabeth Grubb
- 127. Ana Vasudeo
- 128. Blair Beekman

#### Item #30: FY 2022 Annual Appropriations Ordinance

129. Revised material, submitted by Budget