

City of Tacoma City Council Minutes

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March 27, 2020 2:00 PM

SPECIAL MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Woodards called the special meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: 9 - Beale, Blocker, Hines, Hunter, McCarthy, Thoms, Ushka, Walker and Mayor Woodards

BRIEFING ITEMS

20-0258

Updates on the status and impact of the COVID-19 virus and the City's response to the emergency.

City Manager Elizabeth Pauli provided an update on the status and impact of the COVID-19 virus and the City's response to the emergency.

Discussion ensued regarding active construction sites, current cases of COVID-19, Solid Waste maintenance services, reporting violations of the stay-at-home order, police patrols, and current crime statistics.

City Manager Pauli invited City Attorney Bill Fosbre; Linda Stewart, Director, Neighborhood and Community Services; and Jeff Robinson, Director, Community and Economic Development; to give updates on responses to the emergency in their departments.

Discussion ensued regarding testing for vulnerable communities, the national stimulus package and the City's response, communication with the leaders of the healthcare system, anticipated economic impacts, and the Federal CARES Act.

ADJOURNMENT

On proper motion, the special meeting was adjourned at 3:08 p.m.

Victoria R. Woodards, Mayor

Doris Sorum, City Clerk