

# City of Capitola

## City Council Meeting Agenda

### Thursday, January 26, 2023 – 6:00 PM



City Council Chambers  
420 Capitola Avenue, Capitola, CA 95010

**Mayor:** Margaux Keiser  
**Vice Mayor:** Kristen Brown  
**Council Members:** Yvette Brooks, Joe Clarke, Alexander Pedersen

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### Regular Meeting of the Capitola City Council – 6 PM

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#### 1. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance

Council Members Yvette Brooks, Joe Clarke, Alexander Pedersen, Kristen Brown, and Mayor Margaux Keiser.

#### 2. Additions and Deletions to the Agenda

#### 3. Presentations

*Presentations are limited to eight minutes.*

A. 2022 Capitola Police Officer of the Year

#### 4. Report on Closed Session

#### 5. Additional Materials

*Additional information submitted to the City after distribution of the agenda packet.*

#### 6. Oral Communications by Members of the Public

*Please review the Notice of Remote Access for instructions. Oral Communications allows time for members of the Public to address the City Council on any "Consent Item" on tonight's agenda, or on any topic within the jurisdiction of the City that is not on the "General Government/Public Hearings" section of the Agenda. Members of the public may speak for up to three minutes, unless otherwise specified by the Mayor. Individuals may not speak more than once during Oral Communications. All speakers must address the entire legislative body and will not be permitted to engage in dialogue. A **maximum of 30 minutes** is set aside for Oral Communications.*

#### 7. Staff / City Council Comments

*Comments are limited to three minutes.*

#### 8. Consent Items

*All items listed as "Consent Items" will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will be no separate discussion on these items prior to the time the Council votes on the action unless members of the City Council request specific items to be discussed for separate review. Items pulled*

*for separate discussion will be considered following General Government. Note that all Ordinances which appear on the public agenda shall be determined to have been read by title and further reading waived.*

- A. Consider and Approve 1/12/2023 City Council Meeting Minutes
- B. Approval of City Check Registers Dated November 28, 2022, December 9, 2022, and January 9, 2023.  
Recommended Action: Approve check registers.
- C. Resolution Allowing for the Continuation of Teleconferencing  
Recommended Action: 1) Make the determination that all hazards related to the worldwide spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19) as detailed in Resolution No. 4168 adopted by the City Council on March 12, 2020, still exist and there is a need to continue action; and 2) Adopt the proposed resolution authorizing the City Council (along with the Planning Commission and all advisory bodies) to continue to conduct teleconferencing meetings.
- D. Soquel Creek Water District Use Agreement for Capitola City Council Chambers  
Recommended Action: Authorize the City Manager to enter into an agreement with the Soquel Creek Water District in the amount of \$5,000 for use of the City Council Chambers semi-monthly during 2023.
- E. Recreation Division Staffing Adjustments and Update to Hourly/Seasonal Pay  
Recommended Action: 1) Approve adjustments to the Recreation Division staffing; and 2) Adopt the proposed resolution updating the Hourly/Seasonal pay rates.
- F. FY 2021-22 Audit Report  
Recommended Action: Receive Report.
- G. Letter of Support for Zero Emission Rail Transit & Trail Project  
Recommended Action: Authorize Mayor Keiser to sign a letter of support for the Zero Emission Rail Transit & Trail Project.

## 9. General Government / Public Hearings

*All items listed in “General Government / Public Hearings” are intended to provide an opportunity for public discussion of each item listed. The following procedure pertains to each General Government item: 1) Staff explanation; 2) Council questions; 3) Public comment; 4) Council deliberation; 5) Decision.*

- A. Update on the 2022–2023 Winter Storm Event  
Recommended Action: Receive update regarding the 2022-2023 Winter Storm Event.
- B. “Armed Forces Flag” Request in Accordance with Policy V-18: Outdoor Display of Governmental and Non-Governmental Flags on City Property  
Recommended Action: Consider request to fly the “Armed Forces Flag” the week of May 13 through May 20, 2023, in accordance with Policy V-18: Outdoor Display of Governmental and Non-Governmental Flags on City Property and either 1) approve request or 2) deny request.
- C. Lifeguard Program Update  
Recommended Action: Receive report on plans to establish a Capitola Lifeguard Program beginning in summer 2023.

## 10. Adjournment

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Meeting

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