



SPECIAL AND REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Date: 9/9/2025
Time: 5:30 p.m.
Locations: [Zoom.us/join](https://zoom.us/join) – ID# 832 1285 7140 and
City Council Chambers
751 Laurel St., Menlo Park, CA 94025

City Councilmember Taylor will be participating from:
3 1/2 Miles Philip Goldson Highway
Belize City, Belize District
BELIZE
Conference Room

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(669) 900-6833
Meeting ID 832 1285 7140
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Special Session

A. Call To Order

B. Roll Call

C. Closed Session

- C1. Conference with legal counsel – anticipated litigation
(Paragraph (2) of subdivision (d) of Government Code § 54956.9)
Significant exposure to litigation: One case
Not a California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) project.
- C2. Conference with labor negotiators
Government Code §54957.6
Labor negotiations with unrepresented management: City Manager
Agency designated representatives: City Attorney Nira Doherty, Special Counsel Genevieve Ng
Not a CEQA project.

Regular Session

D. Call To Order

E. Report from Closed Session

F. Agenda Review

G. Public Comment

Under “Public Comment,” the public may address the City Council on any subject not listed on the agenda. Each speaker may address the City Council once under public comment for a limit of three minutes; in some instances, speaker time may be limited. You are not required to provide your name or City of residence, but it is helpful. The City Council cannot act on items not listed on the agenda and, therefore, the City Council cannot respond to non-agenda issues brought up under public comment other than to provide general information.

H. Presentations and Proclamations

- H1. Proclamation: Constitution Week ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.
- H2. Proclamation: National Night Out ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.
- H3. Proclamation: National Recovery Month ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.
- H4. Proclamation: Suicide Prevention Month ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.

H5. Presentation: Annual Environmental Quality Commission report out ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.

H6. Presentation: Annual Housing Commission report out ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.

I. Consent Calendar

I1. Accept the City Council meeting minutes for August 12, 2025 ([Attachment](#))
Not a CEQA project.

I2. Consider and adopt a resolution approving the City Council Community Funding Subcommittee's recommendations for fiscal year 2025-26 community funding allocations ([Staff Report #25-137-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

I3. Waive formal bid requirements and authorize the city manager to enter into a 34-month agreement with OpenGov, Inc., for budgeting, financial accounting and asset management software-as-a-service for a total of \$951,369 ([Staff Report #25-131-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

I4. Authorize the city manager to purchase aquatic supplies from Lincoln Aquatics in total amounts not to exceed \$105,495.47 during fiscal year 2024-25 ([Staff Report #25-133-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

I5. Accept the grant award of \$152,900 in Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program funds passed through the County of San Mateo Behavioral Health and Recovery Services and authorize the city manager to execute an agreement with the County of San Mateo for the Community Wellness and Crisis Response Team ([Staff Report #25-135-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

I6. Consider and adopt a resolution authorizing staff to submit an application to the San Mateo County Transportation Authority for Measure A & W Highway Program ([Staff Report #25-136-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

J. Study Session

J1. Provide direction on conceptual possibilities for sustaining and potentially restoring operating hours at City-owned swim centers ([Staff Report #25-134-CC](#)) ([Presentation](#))
Not a CEQA project.

J2. Review and provide feedback on the draft Anti-displacement Plan strategies ([Staff Report #25-140-CC](#)) ([Presentation](#))
Not a CEQA project.

K. Regular Business

K1. Consider and adopt resolutions to approve side letters of agreement amending the memoranda of understanding between the City of Menlo Park and the Service Employees International Union Local 521, American Federation of State County and Municipal Employees Local 829, Menlo Park

Police Officers' Association, and Menlo Park Police Sergeants' Association to modify medical premium contributions for 2026 ([Staff Report #25-138-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

- K2. Designate a voting delegate for the League of California Cities General Assembly meeting Oct. 10 ([Staff Report #25-132-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

L. Informational Items

- L1. City Council agenda topics: September – October 2025 ([Staff Report #25-139-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.
- L2. Addendum to police department quarterly update Q2 April – June 2025 regarding Automated License Plate Reader system ([Staff Report #25-130-CC](#)) ([Informe de Personal #25-130-CC](#))
Not a CEQA project.

M. City Manager Report

N. City Councilmember Reports

- N1. City Councilmember Taylor report ([Attachment](#)) ([Attachment](#))

O. Adjournment

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