

CITY COUNCIL / LRA BOARD

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Richard D. O'Brien
Council/Authority Members:
District 1 -Luis Uribe
District 2- Rachel Hernandez
District 3- Vacant
District 4 -Darlene Barber-Martinez



CITY OF RIVERBANK

**Regular City Council and
Local Redevelopment Authority
Board Meetings**
Council Chambers, 6707 Third St
Suite B
Riverbank, CA 95367



**SPECIAL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2024 – 6:00 P.M.**

(THE AGENDA PACKET IS ONLINE AT [HTTP://WWW.RIVERBANK.ORG/AGENDACENTER](http://www.riverbank.org/agendacenter))

This meeting was held via teleconference

Teleconference Location:

*Tru by Hilton Goodyear Phoenix West
1430 N. Bullard Ave. #312*

- 1. CALL TO ORDER** - Mayor / Chair O'Brien called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.
- 2. FLAG SALUTE** – Mayor O'Brien led the pledge of allegiance.
- 3. ROLL CALL** – City Clerk Hernandez conducted Roll Call.

Members of the City Council / Local Redevelopment Authority Board present:

Council Member / Authority Member District 1 Luis Uribe
Council Member / Authority Member District 2 Rachel Hernandez
Council Member / Authority Member District 4 Darlene Barber-Martinez
Vice Mayor / Vice Chair District 3 -VACANT
Mayor / Chair Richard D. O'Brien

4. AGENDA CHANGES

No Agenda Changes.

5. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Any Council/Authority Member or Staff who has a direct Conflict of Interest on any scheduled agenda item to be considered is to declare their conflict at this time.

None Declared.

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS (No action can be taken)

*At this time, members of the public may comment on any item not appearing on the agenda, and within the subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council/LRA Board. Individual comments will be limited to a **maximum of 3 minutes (or as stated by the presiding Officer)** and time cannot be yielded to another person. Under State Law, matters presented during the public comment period cannot be discussed or acted upon.*

No Public Comment.

7. SPECIAL BUSINESS

- Item 7.1** **Provide Direction to City Staff Regarding Filling the District Three City Council Vacancy Due to the Resignation of Councilmember Leanne Jones Cruz-** It is recommended that the City Council establish a procedure to appoint a City Councilmember to fill the District Three City Council office vacancy created by the resignation of Councilmember Leanne Jones Cruz.

City Clerk Hernandez gave a comprehensive staff report and PowerPoint presentation on the procedure to appoint a City Councilmember to fill the District Three City Council office vacancy created by the resignation of Councilmember Leanne Jones Cruz.

Public Comments:

Jami Aggers, Modesto Resident, I am very interested in this agenda item. I think that given that you have more than 2 years remaining on this particular Councilmember's vacancy you should be holding a special election rather than just appointing someone. It's very concerning to me that you are all leaning toward this action of just appointing someone. So please take that into consideration. Thank you.

ACTION: By motion moved and seconded (Uribe / Hernandez 4/0) to approve **Resolution 2024-092** to move forward with filling the District Three Vacancy on City Council by Appointment.

Motion carried by unanimous City Council and LRA Board roll call vote:

AYES: Uribe, Hernandez, Barber-Martinez, and Mayor O'Brien

NAYS: None / ABSENT: None/ ABSTAINED: None

8. ADJOURNMENT OF THE REGULAR MEETING

There being no further business, Mayor / Chair O'Brien adjourned the regular meeting at 6:18 P.M. to the next regular scheduled City Council / LRA Meeting of October 8th, 2024 at 6:00 P.M.

ATTEST: (Adopted 10/08/2024)

APPROVED:



Gabriela Hernandez, CMC
City Clerk / LRA Recorder



Richard D. O'Brien
Mayor/ Chair