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LAST RESOLUTION NO. 07-18
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CITY OF RIDGECREST

**CITY COUNCIL
RIDGECREST REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

AGENDA

Regular Council/Agency Meeting
Wednesday April 4, 2007

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS CITY HALL

100 West California Avenue
Ridgecrest, CA 93555

Closed Session – 6:00 p.m.
Regular Session – 6:30 p.m.

This meeting room is wheelchair accessible. Accommodations and access to City meetings for people with other handicaps may be requested of the City Clerk (499-5002) five working days in advance of the meeting.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

CLOSED SESSION – 6:00 p.m.

GC54956.9 Conference with Legal Counsel – Existing Litigation – Matix Motor Company vs. City of Ridgecrest

GC54956.9 Conference with Legal Counsel - Liability Claims of Special Services Contractors, Claim Nos. 07-02, 07-03, 07-04, and 07-05

REGULAR SESSION – 6:30 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION – Reverend Ralph Mueller, Ridgecrest Presbyterian Church

CITY ATTORNEY REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

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PROCLAMATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. Youth Advisory Council

2. Proclamation – Support of Public Education in Indian Wells Valley

Mayor Holloway and the Council will present a proclamation to Peter Eiserloh, Indian Wells Valley Masonic Lodge #684, in recognition of Support of Public Education In The Indian Wells Valley, April 2007.

3. Presentation –Employee Service Awards

City Council will present plaques honoring employees who have reached years of service milestones of 5 or more years of service with the City of Ridgecrest.

5-year

James Ponek
5 years
2000-2005

James Winegardner
5 years
2000-2005

10-year

Paul Wheeler
10 Years
1994-2004

15 Year

Joyce Markwith
15 Years
1989-2004

Robert Obergfell
15 years
1990-2005

Michael Sylvia
15 years
1990-2005

Rick Bowen
15 years
1990-2005

William Bracken
15 years
1990-2005

20 Year

Jon Wheeler
20 years
1985-2005

25 Year

Yuri Kamiya
25 years
1980-2005

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4. Presentation – Boy Scouts of America

Travis Connally, District Executive, Desert and Inyo-Mono District, Southern Sierra Council, boy Scouts of America will give a presentation.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Persons wishing to address the Council on matters that are within the Council's jurisdiction and do not already appear on this agenda, may do so at this time. Pursuant to the Brown Act, the City Council may not take action on an item that does not appear on the Agenda. Speakers are limited to three (3) minutes. The PUBLIC COMMENT section of the Agenda is limited to a total of sixty (60) minutes. Speakers are asked to provide their name and address for the record.

CONSENT CALENDAR

All items on the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine by City staff and will be approved in one motion if no member of the Council or the public wishes to comment or ask questions. If comment or discussion is desired by anyone, that item may be removed from the Consent Calendar and be considered separately, with public comment, before action is taken.

5. Minutes Of The Regular City Council/Redevelopment Agency Meeting Of March 21, 2007 Gable

6. Council Expenditure Approval List (DWR) Dated March 16, 2007 In The Amount Of \$162,912.64 Winegardner

7. Agency Expenditure Approval List (DWR) Dated March 16, 2007 In The Amount Of \$8,576.01 Winegardner

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

8. Introduction And First Reading Of An Ordinance Of The City Council Of The City Of Ridgecrest Amending The Ridgecrest Municipal Code To Prohibit Medical Marijuana Dispensaries Avery

The proposed ordinance makes it clear that no medical marijuana dispensaries shall be established or located or operated within the City of Ridgecrest and disallows the issuance of any building permit, use permit, zoning, clearance, or business tax receipt.

CITY MANAGER/EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORTS

Financing Options

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CITY ATTORNEY REPORTS

COMMITTEES, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Community Development Committee

Members: Chair Chip Holloway, Steven Morgan, Jerry Taylor, Nellavan Jeglum

Meetings: 1st Thursday of the month at 5:00 p.m.; Council Conference Room

Next meeting April 5

City Organization and Services Committee

Members: Chair Tom Wiknich, Chip Holloway, Mike Biddlingmeier, Lois Beres

Meetings: 2nd Thursday of the month at 5:00 p.m.; Council Conference Room

Next meeting April 4 at 3:30 p.m.

Parks, Recreation and Quality of Life Committee

Members: Chair Dan Clark, Ron Carter, Jerry Taylor, Howard Laire

Meetings: 4th Thursday of the month at 5:00 p.m.; Kerr-McGee Center

Next meeting April 26

Infrastructure Committee

Members: Chair Tom Wiknich, Steve Morgan, Lois Beres, Nellavan Jeglum

Meetings: 2nd Tuesday of the month at 4:30 p.m., Council Conference Room

Next meeting April 10

Activate Community Talents and Interventions For Optimal Neighborhoods Task Force (ACTION)

Members: Ron Carter, Dan Clark,

Meetings: 2nd Monday of the month at 6:00 p.m., Council Conference Room

Next meeting April 9

RACVB

Council Member Holloway

Council Member

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday of the month, 8:00 a.m., RACVB Office

Next meeting April 18

OTHER COMMITTEES, BOARDS, OR COMMISSIONS

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MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS

The Mayor and Council Members may make a brief statement. In addition, Council Members may ask a question of staff or the public for clarification on any matter, make a request of staff for factual information, or request staff to report back to the council at a later meeting concerning any matter. In addition the Council, or any member, may direct the City Manager to place an item of business on a future agenda.

ADJOURNMENT