

MINUTES EMERGENCY CITY COUNCIL MEETING WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023, 3:30 P.M. NEPTUNE BEACH CITY HALL 116 FIRST STREET NEPTUNE BEACH, FLORIDA 32266

Pursuant to proper notice, an Emergency City Council Meeting of the City Council of the City of Neptune Beach was held on Wednesday, July 19, 2023, at 3:30 p.m., at Neptune Beach City Hall, 116 First Street, Neptune Beach, Florida 32266.

Attendance:

IN ATTENDANCE:

Mayor Elaine Brown Vice Mayor Kerry Chin

Councilor Lauren Key

Councilor Nia Livingston (absent)
Councilor Josh Messinger (absent)

STAFF:

City Attorney Zachary Roth (via CMT)

City Manager Richard Pike

Public Works Director Deryle Calhoun

CFO Jaime Hernandez

Parks and Sustainability Director Colin Moore

Interim Police Chief Michael Key City Clerk Catherine Ponson

Call to Order/Roll Call/Pledge Mayor Brown called the Emergency Meeting to order at 3:30 p.m.

Disk Filter Repair <u>Disk Filter Emergency Repair.</u> City Manager Richard Pike reported he had been advised by the Public Works Director that an existing machinery issue. Mr. Pike considers this a public safety emergency and requested this meeting for the Director to move forward with the purchase of the equipment required to avoid this emergency.

Public Works Director Deryle Calhoun expressed that since the equipment has been down, the City has been exceeding the normal operational levels for the bacteriological tests. If the City keeps on this trend, the annual permitted limit is at risk. He would like to get the order in due to the lead time needed. The equipment is a disk filter that is involved with the filtration of treated water prior to disinfection by chlorine.

Made by Chin, seconded by Key.

MOTION:

TO APPROVE THE EMERGENCY REPAIR OF THE DISK FILTER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$55,675.00

Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: 3-Key, Chin, and Brown

Noes: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Adjournment

There being no further business, the Emergency Meeting adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

Elaine Brown, Mayor

ATTEST:

Catherine Ponson, CMC

City Clerk

Approved: