

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING
MINUTES**

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2009
333 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD
COUNCIL CHAMBER, 3:30 PM**

Robert Garcia, 1st District
Suja Lowenthal, 2nd District
Gary DeLong, 3rd District
Patrick O'Donnell, 4th District

Patrick H. West, City Manager
Larry G. Herrera, City Clerk



Bob Foster, Mayor

Gerrie Schipske, 5th District
Dee Andrews, 6th District
Tonia Reyes Uranga, 7th District
Rae Gabelich, 8th District
Val Lerch, Vice Mayor, 9th District

Robert E. Shannon, City Attorney

FINISHED AGENDA & DRAFT MINTUES

ROLL CALL (3:35 PM)

Councilmembers DeLong, Reyes Uranga and Lerch

Present:

Councilmembers Garcia, Lowenthal, O'Donnell, Schipske, Andrews and Gabelich

Absent:

Also present: Patrick H. West, City Manager; Suzanne Frick, Assistant City Manager; Robert Shannon, City Attorney; Heather Mahood, Chief Assistant City Attorney; Laura L. Doud, City Auditor; Larry Herrera, City Clerk; Nancy Muth, City Clerk Analyst.

Mayor Foster presiding.

1. 09-1268 Recommendation to hold a study session regarding Employee Pensions.

This Agenda Item was received and filed.

Distributed at the meeting: PowerPoint presentation entitled: Employee Pensions.

Mayor Foster spoke.

Suzanne Frick, Assistant City Manager, spoke.

Debbie Mills, Acting Director of Human Resources, provided a PowerPoint presentation.

SECOND ROLL CALL (4:15 PM)

Councilmembers Garcia, Lowenthal, DeLong, Schipske, Reyes Uranga, Gabelich

Present: and Lerch

Councilmembers O'Donnell and Andrews

Absent:

Councilmembers Garcia, Lowenthal, Schipske, and Gabelich joined the meeting.

Lori Ann Farrell, Director of Financial Management/CFO, continued the PowerPoint presentation.

PUBLIC (4:19 PM)

Kathy Ryan, Long Beach Taxpayers Association, spoke.

Vic Macardy spoke.

THIRD ROLL CALL (4:26 PM)

Councilmembers Garcia, Lowenthal, DeLong, O'Donnell, Schipske, Reyes Uranga,
Present: Gabelich and Lerch

Councilmembers Andrews
Absent:

Councilmember O'Donnell joined the meeting.

Mayor Foster spoke.

Councilwoman Schipske spoke.

Robert Shannon, City Attorney, spoke.

Councilwoman Schipske spoke.

Councilmember DeLong spoke.

Mayor Foster spoke.

ADJOURNMENT (4:45 PM)

At 4:45 PM, Mayor Foster adjourned the meeting.

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