

PRE-MEETING CONFERENCE
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2019
6:00 P.M.

The Pre-Meeting Conference of the City Council of the City of Vineland was called to order by the President, Paul F. Spinelli.

The following members were present at roll call:

Councilman David Acosta
Councilwoman Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur
Councilman Ronald J. Franceschini, Jr.
Councilman Albert Vargas
President Paul F. Spinelli

Also present were:

Robert E. Dickenson, Jr., Business Administrator
Richard P. Tonetta, Esq., City Solicitor
Keith Petrosky, RMC, Municipal Clerk
Edwin Alicea, Director, Public Safety
Police Captain David Cardana

President Spinelli led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Deputy Municipal Clerk stated Public Notice of this meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given on December 12, 2018 by the City Clerk in the following manner:

1. Posting written notice on the official bulletin board in the lobby of the City Hall on;
2. Providing written notice to the offices of The Daily Journal and The Press of Atlantic City;
3. Filing written notice in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Vineland.

President Spinelli asked if anyone from the public would like to comment.

Vineland resident Steve Lewis spoke stating the police dogs should be afforded a health insurance program while both in-service and in retirement. B.A. Bob Dickenson clarified the police dogs are fully covered while employed.

Vineland resident Tony Centeno from Spirit and Truth Ministries stated last Friday's spaghetti dinner was a success. This month on the 29th will be a car show and flea market which will benefit the Vineland Soup Kitchen. Centeno expressed he agreed with erecting a security fence for the police parking lot which was brought up at the previous work session.

The Deputy Clerk reviewed changes to the agenda since the September 17th work session noting 2 Resolution additions (Resolution 2019-407 authorizing a settlement agreement between the City of Vineland & VERC Realty and Resolution 2019-408 recognizing September as National Infant Mortality Awareness Month, respectively).

Municipal Clerk, Keith Petrosky, handed out draft copies of the proposed meeting dates for 2020 in calendar format for review. The Clerk also reminded Council that the Board of Health will begin their meeting at 5:30 P.M. next Tuesday October 01, 2019.

Seeing no discussion by Council members, President Spinelli entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, to adjourn the meeting.

The Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilwoman Arthur
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Vargas
President Spinelli

Meeting adjourned at 6:16 P.M.

Paul F. Spinelli
President of Council

ATTEST:

Richard G. Franchetta, EJD
Deputy Municipal Clerk