

REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2022
6:30 P.M.

The Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Vineland was called to order by the President, Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur.

The following members were present at roll call:

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

Also present were:

Robert E. Dickenson, Jr., Business Administrator
Richard P. Tonetta, Esq., City Solicitor
Edwin Alicea, Director of Public Safety
Kathleen Hicks, Supervising Planner

The President introduced students from the Anthony Rossi Elementary School Safety Patrol, who led the Pledge of Allegiance.

- Olivia Brunini
- Braxtyn Bernhardt
- Milania Capriotti
- Kara Dare
- Jady Dare
- Charles Fisher
- Nathaniel Garcia
- Namron Gross
- Angelise Nieves
- Emily Pritchett
- Cara Sooy
- Nathan Broshcan

Certificates of participation and gift bags were presented to all.

The Clerk stated Public Notice of this meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given on December 15, 2021 by the City Clerk, in the following manner:

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

The President recognized Councilman Acosta, who noted the tragic events earlier today in Uvalde, Texas where 14 children and 1 teacher were killed by an 18-year old shooter, plus many more injured. Councilman Acosta called for a moment of silence in honor of the deceased, the injured and their families.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the 2022 minutes of the Pre-Conference, Regular Meeting, and Closed Session of May 10; and the Work Session of May 17, be approved as submitted.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard.

The Clerk read the following: Public Comment provides an opportunity for members of the public to inform the governing body about their views. The governing body prescribes to City Council's by-laws and the NJ Statutes on Open Public Meetings, when engaging during public comment. As such, each individual shall have a 5 minute limit to comment; s/he cannot yield time to another individual; s/he may only approach the podium once during public comment for any one topic; vulgar/offensive language is prohibited; and City Council will not engage in dialogue with the public during this time. The governing body maintains model courtesy and respect and requires members of the public to do the same.

Steve Lewis noted the upcoming Memorial Day holiday, commenting on its meaning.

Edwin Alicea, Director of Public Safety, noted that the Memorial Day parade will be on Monday beginning at 9:00 a.m. The ceremony will be at Landis Park honoring those who gave the ultimate sacrifice to defend their country. He also advised that veteran banners are still available on the city website for those who wish to honor a family member or friend who served in any of the six branches of the U.S. military.

There being no one further to be heard, the Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (DIRECTOR OF MUNICIPAL UTILITY), which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41.

There being no one to be heard, the President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the public hearing on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41 be taken up for second and final reading and adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41 by title and declared that with vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-41 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER PART-TIME), which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42.

There being no one to be heard, the President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the public hearing on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42 be taken up for second and final reading and adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-42 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43, ORDINANCE DESIGNATING CERTAIN AREAS OF MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS RESTRICTED TO PUBLIC ACCESS FOR PRIVACY AND SECURITY PURPOSES, which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the public hearing on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43 be taken up for second and final reading and adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-43 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44, ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 86-38, AS AMENDED, CHAPTER 425 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF VINELAND ENTITLED LAND USE SO AS TO REZONE BLOCK 7503 LOT 1.1, PART OF LOT 6.01, LOT 47 AND LOT 48.01 TO I-B, INDUSTRIAL BUSINESS AND ADOPT A ZONE MAP CHANGE, which was ready for a Public Hearing.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44 be taken up for a public hearing and opened to the public for discussion.

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

The President asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to be heard on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44.

There being no one to be heard, the President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that the public hearing on ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44 be closed.

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

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44 be taken up for second and final reading and adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be head the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44 by title and declared that with a vote of five yeas this ordinance is adopted.

The President directed the Clerk to submit ORDINANCE NO. 2022-44 to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

The Clerk presented ORDINANCE NO. 2022-45, which was ready for a First Reading.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-45 be taken up for the First Reading.

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

The Clerk read ORDINANCE NO. 2022-45, AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 8, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS FOR THE CITY OF VINELAND (CLERK 2 BILINGUAL IN SPANISH AND ENGLISH).

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that ORDINANCE NO. 2022-45 be passed for First Reading and that a Public Hearing be held on Tuesday, June 14, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-189, A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING WILLIAM PLATANIA UPON RETIRING FROM PUBLIC SERVICE EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2022.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-189 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-190, A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MIRIAM RIOS UPON RETIRING FROM PUBLIC SERVICE EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2022.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-190 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-191, A RESOLUTION APPROVING AGREEMENT WITH THE VINELAND POLICE CAPTAINS ASSOCIATION FROM JANUARY 1, 2022 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2024.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-191 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-192, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF AN APPLICATION WITH THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY, DIVISION OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY FOR THE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ENFORCEMENT & EDUCATION 2023 GRANT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-192 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-193, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF AN APPLICATION WITH THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY, DIVISION OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY FOR THE 2022-2023 FEDERAL HIGHWAY PEDESTRIAN SAFETY & EDUCATION GRANT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-193 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-194, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A LOCAL RECREATIONAL IMPROVEMENT 2021 AWARD IN THE AMOUNT OF \$100,000.00 FROM THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-194 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-195, RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND AND THE CITY OF VINELAND FOR THE USE OF A CITY WATER TOWER FOR PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-195 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-196, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2022 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE MADE AVAILABLE BY REVENUE REALIZED FROM STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FY2022 LOCAL FREIGHT IMPACT FUND PROGRAM, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,500,000.00 AND AN APPROPRIATION IN SAID BUDGET FOR LIKE SUM AND PURPOSE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-196 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-197, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2022 BUDGET OF THE CITY OF VINELAND A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE MADE AVAILABLE BY REVENUE REALIZED FROM STATE OF NEW JERSEY, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION GRANT ALLOCATION, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$460,779.30 AND AN APPROPRIATION IN SAID BUDGET FOR LIKE SUM AND PURPOSE.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-197 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-198, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDATORY SUPPLEMENTAL CHANGE ORDER NO. 3 TO CONTRACT NO. C22-0072, ISSUED TO ARTHUR R. HENRY, INC., EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP, NJ, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$262,514.10.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-198 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-199, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDATORY SUPPLEMENTAL CHANGE ORDER NO. 1 TO CONTRACT NO. C22-0085, ISSUED TO CHARLES MARANDINO, LLC, MILMAY, NJ, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$50,024.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-199 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-200, RESOLUTION EXERCISING OPTION TO RENEW CONTRACT C21-0079 FOR THE FURNISHING, DELIVERY AND INSTALLATION OF MOBILE DEMINERALIZER SYSTEM - WEST SUB C.T.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-200 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-201, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXTRAORDINARY, UNSPECIFIABLE SERVICES AGREEMENTS FOR HEALTH BENEFIT COVERAGES FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF VINELAND (PRESCRIPTION).

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-201 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-202, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) KUBOTA RTV-X1100CW-H FROM CUMMINS EQUIPMENT CO., INC., 717 WHITE HORSE PIKE, HAMMONTON, NJ, IN A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$21,311.49, PURSUANT TO A NATIONAL COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT WITH SOURCEWELL, CONTRACT 122220-KBA.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-202 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-203, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT AWARD TO A STATE CONTRACT VENDOR, R.F. DESIGNS & INTEGRATION INC., PHILADELPHIA, PA, FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE ANNUAL RADIO MAINTENANCE CONTRACT.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-203 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-204, A RESOLUTION AWARDDING A CONTRACT TO NERI'S CONSTRUCTION & RENTAL, INC., WILLIAMSTOWN, NJ FOR DEMOLITION OF STRUCTURES LOCATED AT 3916 NORTH DELSEA DRIVE, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$23,980.00.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-204 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-205, A RESOLUTION AWARDDING A CONTRACT TO TRIAD ASSOCIATES, VINELAND, NJ, FOR GRANT CONSULTING SERVICES – CDBG/HOME AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAMS.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-205 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-206, A RESOLUTION APPROVING CHARGE AGAINST VARIOUS LAND FOR LAND CLEARANCE AND AUTHORIZING SAID CHARGE TO BECOME A LIEN UPON SUCH LAND AND TO BE ADDED TO AND BECOME A PART OF THE TAXES TO BE ASSESSED AND LEVIED UPON SUCH LAND.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-206 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTINO NO. 2022-207, A RESOLUTION APPROVING SURETY REDUCTION, RELEASE OR RENEWAL AS SUBMITTED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-207 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-208, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CANCELLATION OF TAXES FOR CY 2022 FOR THE REASON RECOMMENDED BY THE CITY OF VINELAND TAX COLLECTOR

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-208 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-209, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE REFUND OF TAXES.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-209 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-210, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING AND AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF BILLS AND DEMANDS AGAINST THE CITY OF VINELAND.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-210 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-211, RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE APPLICATION OF GARDEN GREENS, LLC TO THE NEW JERSEY CANNABIS REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE CONVERSION OF AN APPROVED CONDITIONAL LICENSE TO AN ANNUAL LICENSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.A.C. 17:30-7.9 FOR A CLASS I CANNABIS CULTIVATION FACILITY TO BE LOCATED AT 3665 NORTH MILL ROAD.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-211 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-212, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH STRYKER MEDICAL, CHICAGO, IL FOR THE PURCHASE OF FOUR (4) STRYKER POWER PRO XT MTS HIGH STRETCHERS AND ACCOMPANYING MTS POWER LOAD, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$175,000.00, PURSUANT TO A COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT UNDER THE BERGEN COUNTY COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-212 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-213, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND EXECUTION OF A GRANT CONTRACT WITH THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE 2022 HIGHWAY SAFETY FUND.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-213 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-214, A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2021-556 AUTHORIZING THE QUALIFIED PURCHASING AGENT TO AWARD PURCHASES FOR VARIOUS MOTOR VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE THROUGH COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEMS OF WHICH THE CITY IS A MEMBER.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-214 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The Clerk presented RESOLUTION NO. 2022-215, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 2022.

The President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, that RESOLUTION NO. 2022-215 be adopted according to law.

The President asked if there was any discussion by Council members on this motion.

There being no discussion to be heard, the Clerk called the roll: YEAS: Councilman Acosta
Councilman Franceschini
Councilman Spinelli
Councilman Vargas
President Arthur

The President asked if any Council members wished to be heard.

Councilman Acosta congratulated Councilman Vargas on the occasion of his daughter's college graduation, and noting that she also won a 50" smart television. He noted attending a 105th birthday party for Vineland resident Irene Jacobson. NJ Governor Murphy called her with birthday greetings, and other prominent locals helped her celebrate, including Senator Michael Testa. Councilman Acosta also congratulated our two retirees.

Councilman Vargas reminded everyone about the Youth Fishing Derby on June 4 at Campanella Park, for kids aged 14 and under.

Councilman Spinelli congratulate our retirees and Councilman Vargas' daughter. He also attended the 105th birthday party for Vineland resident Irene Jacobson, wishing her all the best. VDID summer activities are gearing up, as are PAL activities. There are many good things happening in Vineland!

President Arthur noted the upcoming EcoFair at Vineland High School on Saturday, June 4.

Administrator Dickenson announced that June 18 will be Isaiah Pacheco Day in Vineland with a parade ending at City Hall for the ceremony.

There being no further comments, the President entertained a motion by Councilman Acosta, and seconded by Councilman Franceschini, to adjourn the meeting.

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

ATTEST:

Dr. Elizabeth A. Arthur
President

Keith Petrosky, RMC
Municipal Clerk