

JOINT SPECIAL MEETING OF THE EL CAJON CITY COUNCIL/HOUSING AUTHORITY/SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE EL CAJON REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY



MINUTES

CITY OF EL CAJON EL CAJON, CALIFORNIA

November 9, 2021

A Joint Special Meeting of the El Cajon City Council/Housing Authority/ Successor Agency to the El Cajon Redevelopment Agency, held Tuesday, November 9, 2021, was called to order by Mayor/Chair Bill Wells at 2:51p.m., in the Council Chambers, 200 Civic Center Way, El Cajon, California.

ROLL CALL

Council/Agencymembers present:	Goble, Metschel, and Ortiz
Council/Agencymembers absent:	None
Deputy Mayor/Vice Chair present:	Kendrick
Mayor/Chair present:	Wells
Other Officers present:	Mitchell, City Manager/Executive Director DiMaggio, Assistant City Manager Foley, City Attorney/General Counsel Cortez, City Clerk/Secretary

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO FLAG led by Mayor Wells and MOMENT OF SILENCE. (The Courts have concluded that sectarian prayer, as part of City Council Meetings, is not permitted under the Constitution).

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

1. City of El Cajon Redistricting Process

RECOMMENDATION:

That the City Council approves reconsideration of its prior decision and considers employing additional demographer services of National Demographic Corporation (NDC).

DISCUSSION

City Manager Mitchell provided detailed information of the Item.

Jeanine Erikat spoke in support of utilizing NDC in the redistricting process.

Yasmeen Obeid spoke in support of utilizing NDC in the redistricting process.

Discussion ensued amongst Councilmembers and Staff regarding:

- Clarification that NDC was part of the redistricting process from the beginning, this Item adds additional services;
- Clarification that additional maps will be accepted, with or without the additional services from NDC; and
- Final map to be adopted by the City Council at the fourth redistricting meeting.

MOTION BY GOBLE, SECOND BY KENDRICK, to EMPLOY the additional demographer services of National Demographic Corporation (NDC).

MOTION CARRIED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Adjournment: The Joint Special Meeting of the El Cajon City Council/El Cajon Housing Authority/Successor Agency to the El Cajon Redevelopment Agency held this 9th day of November, 2021 was adjourned at 3:06 p.m., to Tuesday, November 9, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.

ANGELA L. CORTEZ, CMC
City Clerk/Secretary