

City of Glendale Council Special Workshop Agenda

June 25, 2013 – 1:30 p.m.

Welcome!

We are glad you have chosen to attend this City Council meeting. We welcome your interest and encourage you to attend again.

Form of Government

The City of Glendale has a Council-Manager form of government. Policy is set by the elected Council and administered by the Council-appointed City Manager. The City Council consists of a Mayor and six Councilmembers. The Mayor is elected every four years by voters city-wide. Councilmembers hold four-year terms with three seats decided every two years. Each of the six Councilmembers represent one of six electoral districts and are elected by the voters of their respective districts (see map on back).

Council Meeting and Workshop Schedule

Council meetings to take official action are held two times each month. These meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Council workshops are generally held two times each month. Workshops provide Council with an opportunity to hear a presentation by staff on topics that may come before Council for official action. These meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. The City Council does not take official action during workshop sessions. All meetings are held in the Council Chambers, Glendale Municipal Office Complex, 5850 W. Glendale Avenue.

Executive Session Schedule

Council may convene in "Executive Session" to receive legal advice and discuss land acquisitions, personnel issues, and appointments to boards and commissions. Executive Sessions will be held in Room B3 of the Council Chambers. As provided by state statute, this session is closed to the public.

Regular City Council meetings are telecast live. Repeat broadcasts are telecast the second and fourth week of the month – Wednesday at 2:30 p.m., Thursday at 8:00 a.m., Friday at 8:00 a.m., Saturday at 2:00 p.m., Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and Monday at 1:30 p.m. on Glendale Channel 11.

If you have any questions about the agenda, please call the City Manager's Office at (623)930-2870. If you have a concern you would like to discuss with your District Councilmember, please call the City Council Office at (623)930-2249



For special accommodations or interpreter assistance, please contact the City Manager's Office at (623)930-2870 at least one business day prior to this meeting. TDD (623)930-2197.

Para acomodacion especial o traductor de español, por favor llame a la oficina del administrador del ayuntamiento de Glendale, al (623) 930-2870 un día hábil antes de la fecha de la junta.

Councilmembers

Cactus District – Ian Hugh
Cholla District – Manuel D. Martinez
Ocotillo District – Norma S. Alvarez
Sahuaro District – Gary D. Sherwood
Yucca District – Samuel U. Chavira



MAYOR JERRY P. WEIERS

Vice Mayor Yvonne J. Knaack – Barrel District

Appointed City Staff

Richard Bowers – Acting City Manager
Nicholas DiPiazza – Acting City Attorney
Pamela Hanna – City Clerk
Elizabeth Finn – City Judge



Council District Boundaries





GLENDALE CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL WORKSHOP SESSION
Council Chambers – Room B-3
5850 West Glendale Avenue
June 25, 2013
1:30 p.m.

One or more members of the City Council may be unable to attend the Workshop or Executive Session Meeting in person and may participate telephonically, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431(4).

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

WORKSHOP SESSION

1. CALL TO ENTER INTO AN EXECUTIVE SESSION

EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. LEGAL MATTERS

A. The City Council will meet with the City Attorney for legal advice, discussion and consultation regarding the city's position in pending or contemplated litigation, including settlement discussions conducted in order to avoid or resolve litigation. (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3)(4))

2. LEGAL MATTERS – PROPERTY & CONTRACTS

A. The City Council will meet to discuss and consult with the City's attorneys for legal advice and designated representatives to consider its position and provide instruction in connection with potential agreements related to the management of the Arena, which are the subject of negotiations. (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3)(4)(7))

B. The City Council will meet to discuss and consult with the City's attorneys for legal advice and designated representatives to consider its position and provide instruction in connection with potential agreements related to the Hockey Team, which are the subject of negotiations. (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3)(4)(7))

Upon a public majority vote of a quorum of the City Council, the Council may hold an executive session, which will not be open to the public, regarding any item listed on the agenda but only for the following purposes:

- (i) discussion or consideration of personnel matters (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(1));
- (ii) discussion or consideration of records exempt by law from public inspection (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2));
- (iii) discussion or consultation for legal advice with the city's attorneys (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3));
- (iv) discussion or consultation with the city's attorneys regarding the city's position regarding contracts that are the subject of negotiations, in pending or contemplated litigation, or in settlement discussions conducted in order to avoid or resolve litigation (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(4));
- (v) discussion or consultation with designated representatives of the city in order to consider its position and instruct its representatives regarding negotiations with employee organizations (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(5)); or
- (vi) discussing or consulting with designated representatives of the city in order to consider its position and instruct its representatives regarding negotiations for the purchase, sale or lease of real property (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(7)).

Confidentiality

Arizona statute precludes any person receiving executive session information from disclosing that information except as allowed by law. A.R.S. § 38-431.03(F). Each violation of this statute is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$500, plus court costs and attorneys' fees. This penalty is assessed against the person who violates this statute or who knowingly aids, agrees to aid or attempts to aid another person in violating this article. The city is precluded from expending any public monies to employ or retain legal counsel to provide legal services or representation to the public body or any of its officers in any legal action commenced for violation of the statute unless the City Council takes a legal action at a properly noticed open meeting to approve of such expenditure prior to incurring any such obligation or indebtedness. A.R.S. § 38-431.07(A)(B).

Items Respectfully Submitted,



Richard A. Bowers
Acting City Manager