

**April 2, 2019, 5:30 p.m.**

City Council Chambers, 333 Civic Center Plaza

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1. Mayor Rickman called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.
2. Roll call found Council Members Arriola, Ransom, Vargas, Mayor Pro Tem Young, and Mayor Rickman present
3. Items from the Audience - None
4. REVIEW AND DISCUSS THE PROPOSED CODE OF ETHICS AND CONDUCT AND CHANGES TO THE CURRENT COUNCIL POLICY C-1 AND APPROVE THE ENABLING RESOLUTIONS

Thomas Watson, City Attorney provided the staff report.

Robert Tanner stated the public comment portion should be at the beginning of the meeting.

Jacy Krogh urged City Council to not change Items from the Audience.

Tim Silva shared his concerns regarding limiting the time for public comment and only allowing one opportunity to speak.

Roger Birdsall also suggested not changing Items from Audience.

Mary Mitracos suggested adding members of the public to item #5 under Public Trust and Confidence in Government, and opponents of projects should have the same time to speak as proponents for the project.

Henry Cole expressed support for the Code of Conduct.

Alice English stated the Code of Ethics should be extended to outside the Council Chambers, and requested keeping public comment portion at the beginning and end of the meeting.

City Council discussion followed.

A copy of Council Member Arriola's proposed changes to the Code of Ethics and Conduct was provided to City Council at the dais.

The following changes will be made to Code of Conduct.

Page 2 – #4 and #5 - change criticizing to berate.

Page 5 – #5 - leave public comment at beginning and end of meeting.

**ACTION:** Motion was made by Council Member Ransom and seconded by Council

Member Vargas to adopt Rosenberg Rules of Order. Roll call vote found all in favor; passed and so ordered.

Mr. Watson stated he will appropriate changes that were proposed at this meeting or prior to this meeting and bring back to Council for consideration.

It was City Council's consensus to move Section 5 from the Code of Conduct to Council protocols, and codify sections 2, 3 and 4, as proposed by Council Member Arriola.

5. Adjournment – Time: 6:58 p.m.

**ACTION:** Motion was made by Council Member Vargas and seconded by Council Member Ransom to adjourn. Roll call vote found all in favor; passed and so ordered. .

The above agenda was posted at the Tracy City Hall on March 28, 2019. The above are action minutes. A recording is available at the office of the City Clerk.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk