



**CITY OF LATHROP
CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING**



TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2020, 5:00 P.M.

**COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL
390 Towne Centre Drive, Lathrop, CA 95330**

MINUTES

Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order N-25-20

On March 12, 2020, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-25-20, which allowed the option to attend public meetings telephonically/teleconference during the COVID-19 pandemic. In accordance with the Executive Order N-25-20, guidance from the California Department of Public Health on gatherings, and to protect our employees and the public, remote public participation was allowed, but not mandatory. The meeting was available by Cisco Webex teleconference to the public, as well as reduced capacity in-person participation in accordance with social distancing guidelines.

1. PRELIMINARY

- 1.1 CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Dhaliwal called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m.
- 1.2 ROLL CALL Present (in person): Mayor Dhaliwal, Vice Mayor Salcedo and Councilmember Lazard
Present (teleconference): Councilmembers: Akinjo and Torres-O’Callaghan

Absent: None
- 1.3 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & INVOCATION - Senior Pastor Donald R. Britton, Grace Community Church provided an invocation and led the pledge of allegiance.

2. SCHEDULED ITEMS

- 2.1 CITY COUNCIL TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LATHROP APPROVING A JOINT PETITION WITH THE COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN AND ITS INCORPORATED CITIES TO PETITION TO REOPEN BUSINESSES

City Attorney Salvador Navarrete provided a summary on the item. A question and answer period followed.

Rebecca Fernandez requested information regarding reopening guidelines for places of worship and businesses, and measures put in place to encourage compliance with said guidelines. City Attorney Salvador Navarrete provided the information.

The question and answer period continued. City Manager Stephen Salvatore provided additional information related to reopening guidelines and responded to question of the City Council.

On a motion by Mayor Dhaliwal, seconded by Councilmember Lazard, the City Council approved **Resolution 20-4725** approving a joint petition with the County of San Joaquin and its Incorporated Cities to petition to reopen businesses, by the following roll call vote, unless otherwise indicated:

Ayes:	Akinjo, Lazard, Salcedo, Torres-O'Callaghan, and Dhaliwal
Noes:	None
Absent:	None
Abstain:	None

3. **ADJOURNMENT** – There being no further business, Mayor Dhaliwal adjourned the meeting at 5:42 p.m.



Teresa Vargas, CMC
City Clerk

This meeting was called by a majority of the City Council per Government Code Section 54956.5.