## CITY OF CARSON RECLAMATION AUTHORITY



TUESDAY, March 19, 2024 701 East Carson Street Carson, CA 90745 Helen Kawagoe Council Chambers

### **MINUTES**

# SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CARSON RECLAMATION AUTHORITY 4:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 4:00 P.M. by Authority Chair Lula Davis-

Holmes in the Helen Kawagoe Council Chambers, Carson City Hall, located

at 701 E. Carson Street, Carson, California 90745.

**ROLL CALL**: Authority Secretary, Dr. Khaleah K. Bradshaw noted the roll:

**Authority Board Members Present:** 

Authority Chair Lula Davis-Holmes, Authority Vice Chair Cedric Hicks, Board Member Ray Aldridge, Jr., Board Member Lillian Hopson, and Board

Member Dianne Thomas

**Also Present:** 

Monica Cooper, Authority Treasurer; John Raymond, Executive Director;

and Sunny Soltani, Authority Counsel

### **FLAG SALUTE:**

Board Member Hopson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **INVOCATION:**

Board Member Thomas gave the invocation.

REPORT ON ANY PUBLIC COMMENTS ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS (AUTHORITY SECRETARY) – None.

### ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLOSED SESSION ITEMS (AUTHORITY COUNSEL)

Assistant City Manager Raymond announced the Closed Session item.

### RECESS INTO CLOSED SESSION

The meeting was recessed at 4:05 P.M. by Authority Chair Davis-Holmes to Closed Session.

### **RECONVENE: OPEN SESSION**

The meeting was reconvened at 4:41 P.M. by Authority Chair Davis-Holmes with all members previously noted present.

### REPORT ON CLOSED SESSION ACTIONS (AUTHORITY COUNSEL)

Authority Counsel Soltani provided the Closed Session Report as follows:

### **CLOSED SESSION (Item 1)**

Item No. 1. 2024-0234 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION

Recommendation: A closed session will be held, pursuant to Government Code

Section 54956.9(d)(1), to confer with legal counsel regarding pending litigation to which the Carson Reclamation Authority is a party. The title of such litigation is as follows: CAM-Carson, LLC v. Carson Reclamation Authority, City of Carson and Successor Agency to the Carson Redevelopment Agency, Los Angeles

Superior Court Case No. 20STCV16461.

ACTION: No reportable action was taken.

Board Member Thomas announced the following:

- State of the City Address on March 21, 2024, at 11:00 A.M. at the Carson Event Center
- Homeownership and Rent Protection Fair on Saturday, March 23, 2024, at 9:00 A.M. at the Carson Event Center

Board Member Hicks announced the Annual Food Giveaway on Friday, March 22, 2024, at 9:00 A.M. at Dominguez Park in conjunction with Venice Family Clinic.

Authority Chair Davis-Holmes announced the following:

- Approximately 700 people will be attending the State of the City Address. Anyone
  interested in attending to contact Deputy City Manager Tarik Rahmani; thanked staff and
  volunteers for their assistance
- Homeownership Fair on March 23, 2024, at 9:00 A.M. at the Carson Event Center
- Thanked staff for their attendance at this meeting.

Authority Chair Davis-Holmes and Board Members wished everyone Happy Easter and Happy Spring.

# Lula Davis-Holmes Authority Chair ATTEST:

The meeting was adjourned at 4:45 P.M. by Authority Chair Davis-Holmes.

Dr. Khaleah K. Bradshaw Authority Secretary

**ADJOURNMENT** 

APPROVED BY CARSON RECLAMATION AUTHORITY

04-02-2024

Approved as Submitted. DT/LDH 4/0/0/LH