



WORKSHOP MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL

**March 24, 2023, 9:00 a.m.
City Council Chamber - 1243 National City Boulevard
National City, CA**

Present: Mayor Morrison
Vice-Mayor Molina
Councilmember Bush
Councilmember Yamane (arrived 9:30 a.m.)

Others Present: Brad Raulston, City Manager
Barry J. Schultz, City Attorney
Shelley Chapel, City Clerk
Carlos Aguirre, Housing Authority Director
Molly Brennan, Administrative Services Director
Alejandro Hernandez, Assistant Chief of Police
Sergio Mora, Fire Battalion Chief
Joyce Ryan, Library & Community Services Director
Armando Vergara, Director of Community Development
Roberto Yano, Director of Public Works and City Engineering

Absent: Councilmember Rodriguez

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Mayor Morrison.

2. ROLL CALL

3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Edward Nieto
Carlos Ruiz
Karen Azhocar McManus

4. **STAFF REPORT**

Conducted City Council Goal Setting Workshop

Councilmembers conducted the "Dot" process and selected from a list of 18 items their "Top 5" areas by majority that will be the Goals for City Council going forward.

1. Improve permitting and development process for greater efficiency (4 dots)
2. Provide services that impact quality of life (e.g. cleanliness) (3 dots)
3. Improve communication and outreach overall and tailor some by district (2 dots)
4. Maintain and improve infrastructure (2 dots)
5. District Budgeting (to be defined) (2 dots)
6. Pipelines for public safety jobs (2 dots)
7. Golf course development (1 dot)
8. Address future deficit and maintain a balanced budget (1 dot)
9. Increase home ownership opportunities and the ratio of ownership to rental housing (1 dot)
10. Address homelessness through partnerships with other agencies (1 dot)
11. Enhance public safety through short and long-term solutions to crime involving youth (1 dot)


PUBLIC COMMENT:

Geoffrey Schrock
Joan Rincon

5. **ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Morrison adjourned to the Workshop of the City Council of the City of National City, Tuesday, April 4, 2023, 6:00 in the Council Chamber, located in City Hall, 1243 National City Boulevard, National City, California.

The workshop adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

for 
Shelley Chapel, MMC, City Clerk

The foregoing minutes were approved at the Regular Meeting of April 18, 2023.


Ron Morrison, Mayor