



# CITY OF MENDOTA

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**AGENDA**  
**MENDOTA CITY COUNCIL**  
Special City Council Meeting  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
643 QUINCE STREET  
March 20, 2020  
10:00 AM

CRISTIAN GONZALEZ  
City Manager  
JOHN KINSEY  
City Attorney

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## **CALL TO ORDER**

## **ROLL CALL**

## **FLAG SALUTE**

## **FINALIZE THE AGENDA**

1. Adjustments to Agenda.
2. Adoption of final Agenda.

## **CITIZENS ORAL AND WRITTEN PRESENTATIONS**

At this time members of the public may address the City Council only on matters listed on the agenda. Please complete a "request to speak" form and limit your comments to THREE (3) MINUTES. Please give the completed form to City Clerk prior to the start of the meeting. All speakers shall observe proper decorum. The Mendota Municipal Code prohibits the use of boisterous, slanderous, or profane language. All speakers must step to the podium, state their names and addresses for the record. Please watch the time.

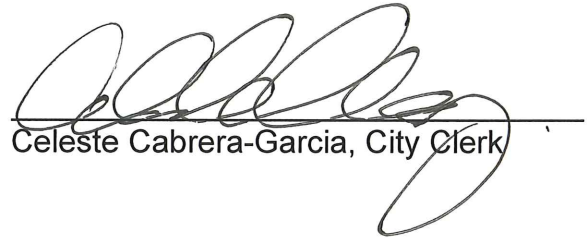
## BUSINESS

1. Council discussion and consideration of **Resolution No. 20-21**, proclaiming that water shutoff and garbage services will not be shut off and the allowance of delayed business tax payments in response to the continuing spread of COVID-19 (Novel Coronavirus).
  - a. *Receive report from City Manager Gonzalez*
  - b. *Inquiries from Council to staff*
  - c. *Mayor opens floor to receive any comment from the public*
  - d. *Council takes action as appropriate*
  
2. Council discussion and consideration of emergency **Ordinance No. 20-03**, amending Chapter 2.44 of Title 2 of the Mendota Municipal Code to prohibit price gouging and taking unfair advantage of customers during emergencies.
  - a. *Receive report from City Manager Gonzalez*
  - b. *Inquiries from Council to staff*
  - c. *Mayor opens the public hearing, accepting comments from the public*
  - d. *Mayor closes the public hearing*
  - e. *Council provide any input, and consider Ordinance No. 20-03 for adoption*
  
3. Council discussion and consideration of emergency **Ordinance No. 20-04**, amending Chapter 2.44 of Title 2 of the Mendota Municipal Code directing all individuals living in the city to shelter at their place of residence except that they may leave to provide or receive certain essential services or engage in certain essential activities and work for essential businesses and government services; exempting individuals experiencing homelessness from the shelter in place order but urging them to find shelter and government agencies to provide it; directing all businesses and governmental agencies to cease non-essential operations at physical locations in the city; and prohibiting all non-essential gatherings of any number of individuals.
  - a. *Receive report from City Manager Gonzalez*
  - b. *Inquiries from Council to staff*
  - c. *Mayor opens the public hearing, accepting comments from the public*
  - d. *Mayor closes the public hearing*
  - e. *Council provide any input, and consider Ordinance No. 20-04 for adoption*

**ADJOURNMENT**

**CERTIFICATION OF POSTING**

I, Celeste Cabrera-Garcia, City Clerk of the City of Mendota, do hereby declare that the foregoing amended agenda for the Mendota City Council special meeting of March 20, 2020, was posted on the outside bulletin board located at City Hall, 643 Quince Street on Thursday, March 19, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

  
Celeste Cabrera-Garcia, City Clerk