

## M I N U T E S

REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING  
SOUTH PASADENA, FLORIDA

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2015  
COMMISSION CHAMBERS 7:00 P.M.

MAYOR CALABRIA CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M. THE INVOCATION WAS GIVEN BY MAYOR CALABRIA. ALL PARTICIPATED IN THE PLEDGE TO THE FLAG.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSIONERS BRUCE HOWRY, MAX ELSON, GAIL NEIDINGER, VICE MAYOR ARTHUR PENNY, AND MAYOR DAN CALABRIA. ALSO PRESENT: CITY CLERK CARLEY LEWIS, CITY ATTORNEY DAVID OTTINGER, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR GARRY ANDERSON, FINANCE DIRECTOR JAMES GRAHAM, DEPUTY CHIEF EMERY CULVERHOUSE, COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DIRECTOR NEAL SCHWARTZ, DEPUTY CITY CLERK BRIANNA WETHERWAX, AND ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY VIRGINIA ALVARADO.

### REPORTS

Commissioner Elson reported that the city is awaiting the outcome of the appeal regarding red light cameras. He stated that the city is still paying for the cameras without any revenue. He noted that the Finance Department plans to start investigating grants that may be available to the city.

Vice Mayor Penny reported on personnel changes and response call volumes within the Public Safety Department. He encouraged the recognition of first responders for their valued service to the city.

Commissioner Neidinger reported on the review of the countywide plan update with the Pinellas Planning Council. She noted that the Community Improvement Department is preparing for an ISO audit. She spoke regarding development and growth activity within the city.

Mayor Calabria reported that the city's government channel will be changing from channel 615 to channel 643 effective February 9, 2015. He spoke regarding the upcoming Artspring Exhibition and encouraged participation. He noted that city offices will be closed on January 19, 2015 in observation of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Commissioner Howry presented awards for the 2014 Best of Lights winners as follows:

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COMMERCIAL

Runner Up  
Horse & Jockey British Pub  
1155 Pasadena Avenue South  
(Not Present)

1ST Place  
Looks and Company The Salon  
2525 Pasadena Avenue South  
(Not Present)

MULTI DWELLING

Runner Up  
Les Chateaux  
1140 Rue Des Rois

1ST Place  
Admiral Bldg. Bay Island Condominiums  
7500 Sun Island Drive

SINGLE FAMILY

Runner Up  
Alton & Pauline O'Berry  
1411 Durling Drive South  
(Not Present)

1ST Place  
Luis & Michelle Alatorre  
7051 South Shore Drive South

**PEOPLE'S FORUM**

Resident June Fruland, Pasadena Isle, spoke regarding Commission relations and behavior. She encouraged the Commission to work together.

Resident Steve Kawryga, Pasadena Cove, spoke regarding city affairs. He thanked the Commission and city staff for their service.

Resident Michelle Alatorre, Pasadena Isle, thanked Commissioner Neidinger for assisting with a recent tree issue. She requested further assistance with new trees that are encroaching on wires.

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In response to Ms. Alatorre, Commissioner Neidinger stated that the Community Improvement Department would assist her.

**AGENDA COMMENT**

NONE

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**PUBLIC HEARING**

NONE

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

NONE

**CONSENT AGENDA**

MOTION WAS MADE BY COMMISSIONER ELSON, SECONDED BY VICE MAYOR PENNY TO PASS THE ENTIRE CONSENT AGENDA.

1. APPROVAL OF COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER, 2014 ON FILE IN CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AGENDA MEETING, DECEMBER 2, 2014; ADMINISTRATIVE WORKSHOP MEETING, DECEMBER 2, 2014; SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING, DECEMBER 9, 2014; REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING, DECEMBER 9, 2014; SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING, DECEMBER 23, 2014.

**UNANIMOUS APPROVAL BY ACCLAMATION**

**NEW BUSINESS**

2. ORDINANCE NO. 2015-01 - AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PASADENA, FLORIDA, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 95-11 AND AMENDING ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 46 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TO REVOKE THE CITY'S ELECTION OF THE FLORIDA MUNICIPAL PENSION TRUST FUND FOR EMPLOYEES HIRED AFTER MARCH 1, 2015, ESTABLISHING THE CITY'S REENTRY INTO THE FLORIDA RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AND AUTHORIZING THE PARTICIPATION OF SAID PLAN, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE - FIRST READING.

City Attorney Ottinger read Ordinance No. 2015-01 by title and approved it as to form and content.

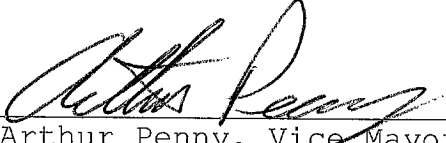
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COMMISSIONER ELSON TO PASS ORDINANCE NO. 2015-01 ON FIRST  
READING.

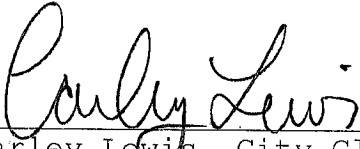
VOTE:	COMMISSIONER HOWRY	AYE
	COMMISSIONER ELSON	AYE
	VICE MAYOR PENNY	AYE
	COMMISSIONER NEIDINGER	AYE
	MAYOR CALABRIA	AYE

**UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED**

There being no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at  
7:23 p.m.

  
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Arthur Penny, Vice Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Carley Lewis, City Clerk  
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