# CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION AGENDA AUGUST 5, 2024 SPECIAL MEETING 6:00 P.M. – REGULAR BUSINESS IN HUMAN RESOUCES BUILDING AT 3231 TORRANCE BL.

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

TO: Chair Cinda Herring
Vice Chair David Zygielbaum
Commissioner Jean Adelsman
Commissioner Marianne Hamada
Commissioner Julie Kohus

Commissioner Laura Lohnes
Commissioner Hana Sasaki

[Daily Breeze]

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Torrance Civil Service Commission will conduct a special meeting beginning at 6:00 p.m. on 5<sup>th</sup> day, of August, 2024, in the Human Resources Building, 3231 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, California 90503.

Said special meeting shall be for the purpose of consideration of an appeal of discipline of a Police Officer (13), as described in the attached agenda.

Dated this 31st day of July, 2024

Cinda Herring, Chair

I, Rebecca Poirier, City Clerk of the City of Torrance, do hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the aforementioned notice of special meeting was delivered to each member of the Torrance Civil Service Commission, and sent by e-mail to each member of the press listed in the aforementioned notice at least 24 hours prior to the time set for the special meeting.

Dated this 31st day of July, 2024

Rebecca Poirier, City Clerk, MMC

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the City Clerk's office at (310) 618-2780. Notification 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting. [28CFR35.102-35.104 ADA Title II]

Direct questions or concerns to the Commission Liaison at (310) 618-2967 or individual department head prior to submission to the Commission. Parties will be notified if the complaint will be included on a subsequent agenda.

The Civil Service Commission is an advisory body to the City Council that meets on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers and on other Mondays as required. All meetings are open to the public except for those portions related to personnel issues that under law may be considered in closed session.

# TORRANCE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION AGENDA MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 2024 SPECIAL MEETING 6:00 P.M. IN HUMAN RESOURCES MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM AT 3231 TORRANCE BL.

# CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY ITEM LISTED ON THE AGENDA

#### 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

**ROLL CALL:** Commission members Adelsman, Hamada, Kohus, Lohnes, Sasaki, Zygielbaum, Chair Herring

#### 2. FLAG SALUTE:

#### 3. REPORT OF STAFF ON THE POSTING OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was posted on the Public Notice Board at 3031 Torrance Bl. and on the City's Website on Wednesday, July 31, 2024.

#### 4. ANNOUNCEMENT OF WITHDRAWN, DEFERRED, AND/OR SUPPLEMENTAL ITEMS

#### 5. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

This portion of the meeting is reserved for comment on items under the Consent Calendar or items that are not on the agenda. Under the Ralph M. Brown Act, Commissioners cannot act on items raised during public comment, but may respond briefly to statements made or questions posed; request clarification; or refer the item to staff. Speakers under this Public Comment period will have no longer than 1 minute per speaker. Speakers please turn off or leave your cellular phone when you come to the podium to speak.

#### 6. CONSENT CALENDAR

Matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered routine and will be enacted by one motion and one vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed by a Commissioner from the Consent Calendar and considered separately.

No Business to Consider.

#### 7. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

No Business to Consider.

#### 8. HEARINGS

#### 8A. Appeal of Discipline of a Torrance Police Officer (13).

(Confidential under Penal Code 832.7 and Copley Press v. Superior Court 39 Cal. 4<sup>th</sup> 1272 (2006)). Consideration of public employee discipline will be conducted in closed session per California Government Code Section 54957(b)(1), unless the employee requests to have the appeal conducted in public session.

### 9. CLOSED SESSION

No Business to Consider

## 10. COMMISSION ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

### 11. ADJOURNMENT

**11A.** Adjournment of Civil Service Commission Meeting to Monday, August 12, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber.

