

RESOLUTION NO. 2019 - 87

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALM DESERT, CALIFORNIA, RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 2018-92 AND SETTING THE SCHEDULE FOR REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE PALM DESERT CITY COUNCIL IN CALENDAR 2020

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Palm Desert, California, has established the time, place, and conduct for its regular meetings on the second and fourth Thursday each month, pursuant to Palm Desert Municipal Code Chapter 2.36; and

WHEREAS, it has been acknowledged that the City Council wishes to adopt a set annual schedule of regular meetings, doing so with its first in 2018, followed by Resolution No. 2018-92 for calendar 2019, and it is now appropriate to rescind that policy and adopt a subsequent plan for calendar 2020; and

WHEREAS, the schedule will primarily follow the recognized routine of meetings on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, with some limited exceptions to account for holidays and events where City Councilmembers would be absent from the meeting, resulting in less than the full City Council or the complete lack of a quorum on certain dates.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Palm Desert, California, that:

Section 1. Regular meetings will be held generally on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, pursuant to Section 2.36.020 of the Palm Desert Municipal Code, in the Council Chamber of the Palm Desert Civic Center, 73510 Fred Waring Drive, Palm Desert, California, with some limited exceptions, with all regular meetings in calendar 2020 to be held as specified herein on the attached Exhibit "A."

Section 2. If matters of business necessitate during the planned summer and holiday recesses, the Mayor or his/her designee may determine if a quorum of the City Council is available and, if so, schedule a meeting on the second or fourth Thursday of the month as it would have normally been conducted but for adoption of this resolution.

Section 3. Each regular meeting will be convened at 3:00 p.m. and immediately adjourn for the purpose of conducting a Closed Session to consider the items listed as such on the posted agenda for the regular meeting of that date.

Section 4. The regular and public hearings sessions of each regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Palm Desert, California, will convene at

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4:00 p.m. and run until approximately 6:00 p.m., if the amount of business so warrants.

Section 5. If the amount of business to be conducted requires, a dinner break may be observed by the City Council between 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., with the meeting to be reconvened at 7:00 p.m. to complete any unfinished business remaining on the agenda.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor/Mayor Pro Tem is hereby given authority to take up items on the agenda in the order deemed most appropriate in consideration of public interest and/or time constraints.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Palm Desert City Council held on this 12th day of December, 2019, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: HARNIK, JONATHAN, KELLY, WEBER, and NESTANDE
NOES: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
ABSTAIN: NONE



GINA NESTANDE, MAYOR

ATTEST:



RACHELLE D. KLASSEN, CITY CLERK
CITY OF PALM DESERT, CALIFORNIA

EXHIBIT A

**PALM DESERT CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETINGS – 2020**

**Thursday, January 9
Thursday, January 23**

**Thursday, February 13
Thursday, February 27**

**Thursday, March 12
Thursday, March 26**

**Thursday, April 16
Thursday, April 30**

**Thursday, May 14
Thursday, May 28**

**Thursday, June 11
Thursday, June 25**

Thursday, July 9

Thursday, August 27

**Thursday, September 10
Thursday, September 24**

**Thursday, October 15
Thursday, October 29**

Thursday, November 19

Thursday, December 10

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