

City of Oakland

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Oakland, California 94612*



CITY OF OAKLAND

Meeting Minutes - FINAL

Monday, January 4, 2021

11:00 AM

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**This meeting shall serve to be the installation of elected members
of the City of Oakland and the Oakland Unified School District**

Tele-Conference

*** Special Meeting of the Oakland City Council**

Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order N-29-20, all members of the City Council as well as the City Administrator, City Attorney and City Clerk will join the meeting via phone/video conference and no teleconference locations are required

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The Special Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland City Council and Successor Redevelopment Agency was held on the above date. The meeting was convened at 11:00 AM

ROLL CALL / CITY COUNCIL

Present 8 - Nikki Bas, Noel Gallo, Dan Kalb, Rebecca Kaplan, Loren Taylor, Sheng Thao, Carroll Fife, and Treva Reed

Councilmember Reid took a point of personal privilege and requested that the meeting be adjourned in memory of Tom Guarino, Deborah Pryor Gill, Gilda Bailey, Rev. DeQuincy Hentz, Sherwin Dunanay, Sue Dowdy; President Pro Tempore Thao, Councilmember Kalb and Taylor requested to be included in the adjournment of Tom Guarino

Councilmember Gallo took a point of personal privilege and requested that the meeting be adjourned in memory of The 100 plus victims of gun violence

Councilmember Taylor took a point of personal privilege and requested that the meeting be adjourned in memory of Oradell Patterson and Sharon Robinson

Vice Mayor Taylor took a point of personal privilege and requested that the meeting be adjourned in memory of Vivian Lurraun Young

**1 PUBLIC COMMENT ON ALL ACTION ITEMS WILL BE TAKEN AT THIS TIME.
COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA WILL BE TAKEN DURING OPEN
FORUM.**

There were 13 speakers on this item

- 2** Subject: Election Of The President Of The City Council
From: Office Of The City Clerk
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Electing Councilmember _____ As
President Of The City Council Of The City Of Oakland For The Term Beginning January 4,
2021 And Ending January 2, 2023 Pursuant To Resolution 88266 C.M.S.
[20-0922](#)

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Council Approved Councilmember Bas as Council President

**A motion was made by Rebecca Kaplan, seconded by Sheng Thao, that this
matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Aye: 8 - Bas, Gallo, Kalb, Kaplan, Taylor, Thao, Fife, and Reed

NO VOTE: 0

- 4 Subject: Election Of The Vice-Mayor Of The City Council
From: Office Of The City Clerk
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Electing Councilmember _____ As
Vice Mayor Of The City Council Of The City Of Oakland For The Term Beginning January
4, 2021 And Ending January 3, 2022 Pursuant To Resolution 88266 C.M.S.
[20-0924](#)

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*Taken out of order after item 2 and Council President Kaplan Relinquished The
Chair At 1:20 PM And President Bas Presided As Chairperson.*

Council Approved Councilmember Kaplan as Vice Mayor

**A motion was made by Treva Reed, seconded by Nikki Bas, that this matter be
Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Aye: 8 - Bas, Gallo, Kalb, Kaplan, Taylor, Thao, Fife, and Reed

NO VOTE: 0

- 3 Subject: Designation Of President Pro Tempore
From: Office Of The City Clerk
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Confirming Councilmember
_____ As President Pro Tempore Of The City Council Of The City Of
Oakland For The Term Beginning January 4, 2021 And Ending January 2, 2023 Pursuant
To Resolution 88266 C.M.S.
[20-0923](#)

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Council Approved Councilmember Thao as Council President Pro Tempore

**A motion was made by Nikki Bas, seconded by Rebecca Kaplan, that this matter
be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Aye: 8 - Bas, Gallo, Kalb, Kaplan, Taylor, Thao, Fife, and Reed

NO VOTE: 0

- 5** Subject: Council President Appointments To Council Committees For 2021-2023
From: Council President Kaplan
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Pursuant To Council's Rules Of Procedure (Resolution No. 88266 C.M.S.) To Confirm The City Council President's Appointments Of The Members And Chairpersons Of The Public Works, Finance And Management, Community And Economic Development, Life Enrichment, Public Safety, Rules And Legislation, City Port Liaison Committee, And Education Partnership Committees Of The City Council For 2021-2023
[20-0883](#)

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Council Approved the following Council Committee Assignments:

Finance and Management Committee

Chairperson: Kaplan

Members: Bas, Reid and Thao

Public Works Committee

Chairperson: Gallo

Members: Kalb, Taylor and Thao

Community and Economic Development Committee

Chairperson: Kalb

Members: Fife, Gallo and Taylor

Life Enrichment Committee

Chairperson: Taylor

Members: Bas; Fife and Kaplan

Public Safety Committee

Chairperson: Fife

Members: Gallo, Kaplan and Reid

Rules and Legislation Committee

Chairperson: Thao

Members: Bas, Fife and Kalb

City Port Liaison Committee

Chairperson: Kaplan

Members: Bas, Fife and Reid

Education Partnership Committee

Chairperson: Reid

Members: Gallo, Kalb and Taylor

A motion was made by Nikki Bas, seconded by Sheng Thao, that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 8 - Bas, Gallo, Kalb, Kaplan, Taylor, Thao, Fife, and Reed

NO VOTE: 0

The Special Oakland City Council took a recess adjuring at 1:23 P.M

The Special Oakland City Council re-convened at 1:58 PM

CONTINUATION OF OPEN FORUM

There were 4 speakers on Open Forum

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, and upon the motion duly made, the Council adjourned the meeting in memory of Tom Guarino, Deborah Pryor Gill, Gilda Bailey, Rev. DeQuincy Hentz, Sherwin Dunanay, Sue Dowdy, Oradell Patterson, Sharon Robinson, Vivian Lorraine Young, The Covid Victims and 100 plus lives Lost due to Gun Violence, 2:10 p.m.

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