

**REGULAR MEETING
of the
CITY OF RIALTO
CITY COUNCIL**

**City of Rialto, acting as Successor Agency to the
Redevelopment Agency, RIALTO UTILITY AUTHORITY,
RIALTO HOUSING AUTHORITY
MINUTES**

Tuesday, July 22, 2025

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Rialto was held in the City Council Chambers located at 150 South Palm Avenue, Rialto, California 92376 on Tuesday, July 22, 2025.

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This meeting was called by the presiding officer of the Rialto City Council in accordance with the provisions of **Government Code §54956** of the State of California.

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CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Baca called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

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The roll was called, and the following were present: Mayor Joe Baca, Mayor Pro Tem Ed Scott, Council Member Karla Perez, and Council Member Edward Montoya Jr.

Also, present were City Manager Tanya Williams, City Attorney Eric Vail, and City Clerk Barbara McGee.

Absent: City Treasurer Edward Carrillo.

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1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL

EXISTING LITIGATION

Pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9(d)(1)

Number of Matters: One (1)

- Danielle Womack v. City of Rialto, et al
SBSC Case No. CIVSB2228153

CLOSED SESSION

2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL
ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9(d)(2)
Number of Matters: Two (2)
 - Personnel Matter
 - Carson Project dispute
3. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR
Pursuant to Government Code section 54957.6
Labor Negotiator: City Manager Tanya Williams,
Human Resources Director Shama Curian
Employee Organizations:
 - Executive Management Team
 - Management Unrepresented Employees
 - Rialto City Employee's Association (RCEA)
 - Teamsters Mid-Management & Confidential Employee's Union (TMMU)
 - Rialto Fire Management Association (RFMA)
 - Rialto Police Benefit Association – Management
 - Rialto Police Benefit Association – General
 - Rialto Professional Firefighters of California - Local 368
 - Unrepresented Employees
4. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION
Pursuant to Government Code section 54957(b)
One (1) position: Title: City Attorney

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, second by Council Member Perez and by carried by a 5-0 vote to go into Closed Session.

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The City Council went into Closed Session at 5:02 p.m.

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The City Council returned from the Closed Session at 6:32 p.m.

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Mayor Joe Baca called the meeting to order at 6:34 p.m.

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CALL TO ORDER

OPEN SESSION

The roll was called, and the following were present: Mayor Joe Baca, Mayor Pro Tem Ed Scott, Council Member Carrizales, Council Member Karla Perez, and Council Member Edward Montoya Jr.

Also, present were City Manager Tanya Williams, City Attorney Eric Vail, and City Clerk Barbara McGee.

Absent: City Treasurer Edward Carrillo.

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Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation

Council Member Edward Montoya Jr. led the pledge of allegiance.

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Pastor Harry Bratton with Greater Faith Grace Bible Church gave the Invocation.

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City Attorney's Report on Closed Session

**1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL
EXISTING LITIGATION**

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Number of Matters: One (1)

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SBSC Case No. CIVSB2228153

The City Council gave direction to the City Attorney's Office. There is no other reportable action.

**2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL
ANTICIPATED LITIGATION**

Pursuant to Government Code section 54956.9(d)(2)
Number of Matters: Two (2)

- Personnel Matter
- Carson Project dispute

The City Council received a briefing from the City Attorney's Office on both matters and gave direction. There is no other reportable action.

3. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR

Pursuant to Government Code section 54957.6
Labor Negotiator: City Manager Tanya Williams,
Human Resources Director Shama Curian

Employee Organizations:

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The City Council had a conference with Labor Negotiator and completed most of the issues. Item will continue at the next City Council meeting on August 12, 2025. There is no other reportable action.

4. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

Pursuant to Government Code section 54957(b)
One (1) position: Title: City Attorney

The Item will be carried over to the August 12, 2025, City Council meeting.

**PRESENTATIONS AND
PROCLAMATIONS**

1. Certificate of Recognition to Council Member Edward Montoya Jr. - Life Saving Warrior of the Year Award for 2025.

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Mayor Baca asked to adjourn meeting in memory of Bobbie Jo Ayala, a former Riverside Unified School District and Chaffey College Instructor and active City of Rialto Women's Club member.

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ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Jose Velazquez, San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District, Division I Director, introduced himself to the City Council. He looks forward to working with each Council Member related to future projects to bring sustainable, reliable water to Rialto residents.

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Ariel Otero addressed the City Council related to initiating a local ordinance designating Rialto as a sanctuary City. He asked for City Council consideration.

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**City Council to Consider removing or
continuing any items on the agenda**

None.

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CONSENT CALENDAR

A. WAIVE FULL READING OF ORDINANCES

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B. APPROVAL OF WARRANT RESOLUTIONS

- B.1 Warrant Resolution No. 2025-49
- B.2 Warrant Resolution No. 2025-50
- B.3 Warrant Resolution No. 2026-01
- B.4 Warrant Resolution No. 2026-02

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C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- C.1 Regular City Council Meeting - February 25, 2025
- C.2 Regular City Council Meeting - March 11, 2025
- C.3 Regular City Council Meeting - March 25, 2025
- C.4 Regular City Council Meeting - April 8, 2025
- C.5 Regular City Council Meeting - April 22, 2025
- C.6 Regular City Council Meeting - May 13, 2025

CONSENT CALENDAR

D. CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY – FOR INFORMATION ONLY

- D.1 Alberto Carlos Alvarez
- D.2 Charlene Gross-Warren
- D.3 Deshawn Fortune
- D.4 Farmers Ins Exchange aso Omar Torres
- D.5 Patricia Cordura
- D.6 Veronica Casillas Lopez, Vienna Lopez and Vivyanna Lopez

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E. SET PUBLIC HEARING

- E.1 Request City Council to Adopt **Resolution No. 8372** Declaring The Intention to Annex Territory (Althea Avenue Project) to Community Facilities District No. 2016-1 (Public Services) and set a Public Hearing for **August 26, 2025**.
- E.2 Request City Council to Set a Public Hearing for **August 26, 2025**, to Consider the Placement of Liens for Delinquent Refuse Collection Accounts for the First Quarter of the 2025 Calendar Year.

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F. MISCELLANEOUS

- F.1 Request the City Council to: (1) Authorize the Submission of a Grant Application to the San Bernardino County Transportation Authority for the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Funds for the Safe Routes to School Infrastructure Improvements - Active Transportation Program Cycle 7 Project No. 25085; and (2) Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Execute all Related Documents.
- F.2 Request City Council to Receive and File for Future Audit the Treasurer's Investment Report as of March 2025 to May 2025.
- F.3 Request City Council to Authorize the Release of Bids for the Citywide Integrated Security Solutions Project, City Project No. 230102.
- F.4 Request City Council to Approve the Second Amendment to a Lease Agreement between the City of Rialto and the DiGiovanni Family Trust for continued use of the property located at 521 W. Rialto Avenue, Unit #B, Rialto, California.
- F.5 Request City Council to Adopt **Resolution No. 8373** Setting the Fiscal Year 2025/2026 Tax Rate for PERS Retirement Cost at \$0 (zero).

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F.6 Request City Council to Adopt **Resolution No.8374** Approving the Industrial Disability Retirement of John Hollander and Adopt **Resolution No. 8375** Approving the Industrial Disability Retirement for Donna Crow.

F.7 Request City Council approve by second reading for adoption of **Ordinance No. 1700** Adopting Updated Fire Hazard Severity Zone Maps for the City of Rialto.

F.8 Request City Council to: (1) Approve Amendment No. 2 to the Professional Services Agreement with Jacobs for I-10/Riverside Avenue Interchange Phase II, City Project No. 140813, to Extend the Term of the Agreement; and (2) Authorize the City Manager or Their Designee to Execute all Related Documents.

F.9 Request City Council to: (1) Adopt **Resolution No. 8376** Amending the 2025-2026 Fiscal Year Budget; (2) Approve the California Cannabis Tax Fund Grant (CTFGP) Agreement in the Amount of \$495,000; and (3) Authorize the City Manager or Designee to Execute All Documents.

F.10 Request City Council to Approve and Adopt the Following Resolutions Setting the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Special Tax Levies for Community Facilities Districts 2006-1, 2016-1, 87-1, 87-2, 2019-2, 2020-1, and 2024-1:

- 1) **Resolution No. 8377** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 87-1 (LAS COLINAS) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26;
- 2) **Resolution No. 8378** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 87-2 (LAS COLINAS) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26;
- 3) **Resolution No. 8379** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 2006-1 (ELM PARK) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26;
- 4) **Resolution No. 8380** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 2016-1 (PUBLIC SERVICES) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26;
- 5) **Resolution No. 8381** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 2019-2 (FOOTHILL/SPRUCE) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26;
- 6) **Resolution No. 8382** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 2020-1 (EL RANCHO VERDE) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26; and;

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7) **Resolution No. 8383** of The City Council of the City of Rialto, State of California, Community Facilities District 2024-1 (RENAISSANCE) Establishing Annual Special Tax for Fiscal Year 2025-26.

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Perez, second by Council Member Carrizales and carried by a 5-0 vote to approve the Consent Calendar.

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PUBLIC HEARING

TAB 1

Adopt Resolution No. 8384 Disposal Rates for FY 2025/2026; and Resolution No. 8385 Authorizing Placement of Solid Waste Handling Service Charges and Fees on Property Tax Roll

Tim Sullivan, Assistant City Manager, Michael Heftman, with Burrtec Waste Industries, and Amy Crow, Administrative Analyst, presented staff report to Request City Council to: (1) Conduct a Public Hearing to Consider the Placement of Solid Waste Handling Service Charges on the Property Tax Roll; (2) Adopt **Resolution No. 8384** Approving Municipal Solid Waste Collection, Recycling, Organics, and Disposal Rates for Fiscal Year 2025/2026; and (3) Adopt **Resolution No. 8385** Authorizing the Placement of Solid Waste Handling Service Charges and Fees on the Property Tax Roll.

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City Attorney Vail informed the City Council that the County Assessor requested additional language be added to the Resolutions. It adds Section 3 as follows: Rialto City Council hereby certifies that the levy of the special taxes was authorized in accordance with the provisions of the Health and Safety Code Sections 5473.4 through 5473.11 inclusive and directs the San Bernardino County Auditor Controller Tax Collector to place the charges on the 2025/2026 Tax Roll.

The late substitution was requested today from the County to include additional language.

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Mayor Baca stated since there is no objection, it will be added.

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Mayor Baca opened the Public Hearing and asked if anyone wished to speak.

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No one came forward.

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Motion by Council Member Perez, second by Mayor Pro Tem Scott and carried by a 5-0 vote to close the Public Hearing.

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TAB 1

**Adopt Resolution No. 8384 Disposal
Rates for FY 2025/2026; and
Resolution No. 8385 Authorizing
Placement of Solid Waste Handling
Service Charges and Fees on Property
Tax Roll**

Mayor Pro Tem Scott commented that the statement made related to the prior City Council authorizing the rate increases to Prop. 218 is misleading. He stated that the City Council accepted the results of Prop. 218.

He asked that the Prop. 218 process be explained to the community who do not understand the process and what the outcome was.

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Mr. Heftman stated that the Prop. 218 process is mandated by the State. When rates are changing, notification to the public is required. The requirement can be sent out to the public for no more than five years. You can estimate rates or five-year periods. Those rates would be considered not to exceed rates. If there is opposition that is presented to the City during Prop. 218 to put down the adjusted rate Prop. 218 notification process, there needs to be more than 50 percent of personal owners throughout the City, it would be required to turn down the Prop. 218 notice. In 2023, he does not recall that level was met.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked for the percentage in opposition or was there any opposition.

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Mr. Heftman stated he does not specifically know the figures.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked if there were persons who owned property in the City of Rialto and objected to the rate structure that was proposed, they could have sent in a letter of opposition.

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Mr. Heftman stated correct or could have appeared at the Public Hearing.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott stated the threshold was not met, then the rate structure was brought before the City Council and approved.

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Mr. Heftman stated that is correct.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott clarified that if people have opposition to utility, trash or water rate increases, they should write a letter of opposition to the City.

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Mr. Heftman stated that it is correct.

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TAB 1

Adopt Resolution No. 8384 Disposal Rates for FY 2025/2026; and Resolution No. 8385 Authorizing Placement of Solid Waste Handling Service Charges and Fees on Property Tax Roll

Mayor Baca asked if there is a savings to the individuals who sign up.

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Mr. Heftman stated there are savings for the individuals who sign up under tax roll billing.

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, second by Council Member Carrizales and carried by a 5-0 vote to Adopt **Resolution No. 8384** Approving Municipal Solid Waste Collection, Recycling, Organics, and Disposal Rates for Fiscal Year 2025/2026; and (3) Adopt **Resolution No. 8385** Authorizing the Placement of Solid Waste Handling Service Charges and Fees on the Property Tax Roll; and Section 3: Rialto City Council hereby certifies that the levy of the special taxes was authorized in accordance with the provisions of the Health and Safety Code Sections 5473.4 through 5473.11inclusive and directs the San Bernardino County Auditor Controller Tax Collector to place the charges on the 2025/2026 Tax Roll.

The vote was AYES: Mayor Baca, Mayor Pro Tem Scott, Council Member Carrizales, Council Member Perez, Council Member Montoya Jr.

NOES: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

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TAB 2

Adopt Resolution No. 8386 Approving Substantial Amendment No. 7 to the FY 2020-2021 Annual Action Plan

Cynthia Alvarado-Crawford, Director of Community Services, and Ana Lenou with AGI, presented staff report to Request City Council to: (1) Conduct a Public Hearing to Solicit Public Comments from Interested Citizens; (2) Adopt **Resolution No. 8386** Approving Substantial Amendment No. 7 to the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Annual Action Plan (AAP); (3) Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Submit the Substantial Amendment of Annual Action Plan to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); (4) Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Take All Actions Necessary to Implement the Programs Identified in the Annual Action Plan (AAP); and (5) Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Make All Conforming Modifications and Edits, and to Execute All Implementing Documents Required by HUD in a Form Approved by the City Attorney.

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Mayor Baca opened the Public Hearing and asked if anyone wished to speak.

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No one came forward.

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TAB 2
Adopt Resolution No. 8386 Approving
Substantial Amendment No. 7 to the FY
2020-2021 Annual Action Plan

Motion by Council Member Perez, second by Council Member Montoya Jr. and carried by a 5-0 vote to close the Public Hearing.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott referenced the report under ineligible uses related to construction or reconstruction of buildings or equipment purchases and asked if the inclusive playground is considered equipment.

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Ms. Lenou stated those are specific to the general conduct of business. The inclusive playground would be serving the low to moderate income households, which is an eligible activity.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked if that has been verified as an eligible item.

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Ms. Lenou stated yes, it is.

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Mayor Baca stated that by allocating funds, it is important for the City of Rialto to have an all-inclusive playground for individuals with disabilities. The City currently does not have such playground. This is a step closer in providing a service for those with disabilities who will benefit from the park.

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Motion by Council Member Carrizales, second by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, and carried by a 5-0 vote to Adopt **Resolution No. 8386** Approving Substantial Amendment No. 7 to the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Annual Action Plan (AAP); Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Submit the Substantial Amendment of Annual Action Plan to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Take All Actions Necessary to Implement the Programs Identified in the Annual Action Plan (AAP); and Authorize the City Manager or their Designee to Make All Conforming Modifications and Edits, and to Execute All Implementing Documents Required by HUD in a Form Approved by the City Attorney.

The vote was AYES: Mayor Baca, Mayor Pro Tem Scott, Council Member Carrizales, Council Member Perez, and Council Member Montoya Jr.

NOES: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

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TAB 3
Report on Water Quality Relative to 2025 Public Health Goals Report for 2022, 2023, 2024;
Approve Report on Water Quality Relative to 2025 Public Health Goals Report for 2022, 2023, 2024;
Receive and File 2024 Consumer Confidence Report

John Rossi, Interim Utilities Director and Andrew Coleman, with Rialto Water Services - Veolia, presented staff report to Request City Council/Rialto Utility Authority Board to: (1) Conduct a Public Hearing to Solicit Public Comments from Interested Citizens regarding the Report on Water Quality Relative to 2025 Public Health Goals Report for 2022, 2023, 2024; (2) Approve the Report on Water Quality Relative to 2025 Public Health Goals Report for 2022, 2023, 2024; and (3) Receive and File the 2024 Consumer Confidence Report.

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Mayor Baca opened the Public Hearing and asked if anyone wished to speak.

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No one came forward.

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Motion by Council Member Perez, second by Council Member Montoya Jr. and carried by a 5-0 vote to close the Public Hearing.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked if there any polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) testing.

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Interim Utilities Director Rossi stated they do test, but it is not part of the State required report.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked if PFAS testing is not disclosed to the public.

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Mr. Coleman stated they do PFAS sampling. It is in the Consumer Confidence Report, CCR. There are only two wells in which they perform PFAS sampling on.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked which wells are they.

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Mr. Coleman stated one of the wells is the inactive Rialto Well 5 and Chino Well 2 that is non-detect.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked why only those two wells are performing PFAS test sampling.

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Receive and File 2024 Consumer Confidence Report

Mr. Coleman stated there are different testing levels of Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule, UCMR 1,2,3 and 4. During the UCMR 3, all sources inside the City of Rialto were sampled for PFAS. The only one that came up, was Rialto Well 5. That was inactive. It never ran into the system.

The State of California compiled a list and a whole sampling plan for all wells and water agencies within the State of California. More information can be found on the DDW website.

Rialto Well 5 had a PFAS detection. That well is off.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked if Rialto Well 6 has ever had PFAS detection.

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Mr. Coleman stated Rialto Well 6 is operated by West Valley Water District.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked what their PFAS testing results were.

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Mr. Coleman stated he cannot speak to that. They don't test it. West Valley Water District tests it.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott requested to have all PFAS test results from West Valley Water testing.

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Interim Utilities Director Rossi stated certainly.

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Motion by Council Member Perez, second by Council Member Carrizales and carried by a 5-0 vote Approve the Report on Water Quality Relative to 2025 Public Health Goals Report for 2022, 2023, 2024; and Receive and File the 2024 Consumer Confidence Report.

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John Rossi, Interim Utilities Director, presented staff report to Request City Council/Rialto Utility Authority to 1) Conduct a Public Hearing Related to the Placement of Sewer Service Charges on the County Property Tax Roll for Delinquent Wastewater Payments; and 2) Approve City **Resolution No. 8387** and **RUA Resolution No. 08-43** Authorizing the Placement of Delinquent Wastewater Payments on the County Property Tax Roll.

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Mayor Baca opened the Public Hearing and asked if anyone wished to speak.

TAB 4

**Approve Resolution No. 8387 and
RUA Resolution No. 08-43 Authorizing
the Placement of Delinquent Wastewater
Payments on the County Property Tax
Roll**

No one came forward.

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, second by Council Member Montoya Jr. and carried by a 5-0 vote to close the Public Hearing.

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, second by Council Member Carrizales and carried by a 5-0 vote to Approve City **Resolution No. 8387** and **RUA Resolution No. 08-43** Authorizing the Placement of Delinquent Wastewater Payments on the County Property Tax Roll.

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NEW BUSINESS

TAB 5

**Introduce First Reading Ordinance
No. 1701; Amend Section 11.04.145
of the Rialto Municipal Code**

Timothy Sullivan, Assistant City Manager, presented staff report to Request City Council to Introduce for First Reading **Ordinance No. 1701** Adding Exceptions to the Street Cut Moratorium, to Amend Section 11.04.145 of the Rialto Municipal Code, Reading by Title Only and Waiving Further Reading Thereof.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott stated that he wanted to make certain that the repaving or patch of the trenches and cuts are made in an appropriate manner that preserves the integrity of the asphalt.

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Assistant City Manager Sullivan stated they have to meet City standards and will be inspected by a City inspector.

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, second by Council Member Perez. and carried by a 5-0 vote to Introduce for First Reading **Ordinance No. 1701** Adding Exceptions to the Street Cut Moratorium, to Amend Section 11.04.145 of the Rialto Municipal Code, Reading by Title Only and Waiving Further Reading Thereof.

The vote was AYES: Mayor Baca, Mayor Pro Tem Scott, Council Member Carrizales, Council Member Perez, Council Member Montoya Jr.

NOES: None. ABSTAIN: None. ABSENT: None.

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ORDINANCE NO. 1701

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIALTO CALIFORNIA AMENDING SECTION 11.04.145 (MORATORIUM ON TRENCH CUTS IN NEWLY PAVED STREETS) OF CHAPTER 11.04 (IMPROVEMENTS) OF TITLE 11 (STREETS AND SIDEWALKS) OF THE RIALTO MUNICIPAL CODE, TO ADD EXCEPTIONS TO THE STREET CUT MORATORIUM.

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TAB 6

**Adopt Resolution No. 8388
Accepting Grant Funding from
San Bernardino County Transportation
Authority for Smart Corridor:
Riverside Avenue Project**

Amparo Corona, Principal Budget & Financial Analyst, presented staff report to Request City Council to (1) Adopt **Resolution No. 8388** Accepting Grant Funding from San Bernardino County Transportation Authority in the amount of \$976,750 for the Smart Corridor: Riverside Avenue Project; and (2) Authorize the City Manager or Their Designee to Execute all Related Documents.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked what section on Riverside Avenue the project include.

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Ms. Corona stated it is from Valley Boulevard to Merrill Avenue.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott clarified that the project does not include the overpass over the 10 Freeway.

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Ms. Corona stated that is correct.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott asked if Caltrans will be assisting.

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Assistant City Manager Sullivan stated they will attempt it. He believes they will not. Caltrans plans to upgrade the signals in 2028 with smart controllers. They will make an attempt.

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Mayor Pro Tem Scott stated he hopes traffic will run smoother from Merrill Avenue down.

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Motion by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, second by Council Member Carrizales and carried by a 5-0 vote to Adopt **Resolution No. 8388** Accepting Grant Funding from San Bernardino County Transportation Authority in the amount of \$976,750 for the Smart Corridor: Riverside Avenue Project.

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Scott Williams, Finance Director, presented staff report to Request City Council to: (1) Approve a Three-Year Professional Services Agreement for Independent Audit Services to The Pun Group, LLP in the Amount of \$269,854 With Two Optional One-Year Extensions, and (2) Authorize the City Manager to Execute all Related Documents.

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TAB 7

Approve a Three-Year Professional Services Agreement for Independent Audit Services to The Pun Group, LLP with Two Optional One-Year Extensions

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Motion by Council Member Carrizales, second by Mayor Pro Tem Scott, and carried by a 5-0 vote to Approve a Three-Year Professional Services Agreement for Independent Audit Services to The Pun Group, LLP in the Amount of \$269,854 With Two Optional One-Year Extensions.

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REPORTS

Department Head Reports

The Council Members gave their report.

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Department Heads gave their report.

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ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Council Member Perez, second by Council Member Montoya Jr. and carried by a 5-0 vote to adjourn the City Council Meeting at 7:58 p.m.

The City Council adjourned in memory of:

**Bobbie Jo Ayala,
Riverside Unified School District and Chaffey College
Instructor and Rialto Women's Club Member**



MAYOR JOE BACA

ATTEST:



CITY CLERK BARBARA A. McGEE