



# CITY OF MERCED

City Council Chamber  
Merced Civic Center  
2nd Floor  
678 W. 18th Street  
Merced, CA 95340

## Minutes

### City Council/Public Finance and Economic Development Authority/Parking Authority

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Thursday, September 27, 2018

6:00 PM

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#### A. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor MURPHY called the Joint Meeting to order at 6:01 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Council Member PEDROZO led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

#### B. ROLL CALL

Adam Cox, President  
Jessica Kazakos, Clerk  
Mike Crass, Member  
Miguel Lopez, Member  
Emily Langdon, Member

All Board Members were present.

Mike Murphy, Mayor  
Jill McLeod, Mayor Pro-Tempore  
Anthony Martinez, Council Member  
Matthew Serratto, Council Member  
Kevin Blake, Council Member  
Michael Belluomini, Council Member  
Joshua Pedrozo, Council Member

All Council Members were present with the exception of Council Member  
BLAKE.

#### C. OPENING COMMENTS

Opening comments by Mayor Mike Murphy and Board President Adam Cox

Mayor MURPHY and President COX welcomed everyone to the Joint City  
Council and Merced City School District Board of Education Meeting.

#### D. REPORTS

Sarah SANDRICK gave a video presentation on Merced is Our Home.

D.1. School Safety

Doug COLLINS and Brian MEISENHEIMER gave a slide show presentation on School Safety.

Council and Board Members discussed the safety of Merced City Schools.

D.2. Discussion on Pedestrian and Vehicle Traffic Surrounding Schools

Council and Board Members discussed pedestrian and vehicle traffic surrounding the schools.

Tammy RODRIGUEZ, Merced - spoke on traffic safety at Sheehy Elementary School.

D.3. Current and Proposed Housing Projects

Director of Development Services Scott MCBRIDE gave a slide show presentation on Current and Proposed Housing Projects.

Council and Board Members discussed the current and proposed housing projects and how it affects planning for new schools.

D.4. Development Projects Surrounding School Sites

Director of Economic Development Frank QUINTERO gave a slide show presentation on the Development Projects Surrounding School Sites.

Council and Board Members discussed the development projects within the City.

D.5. Discussion on Current and Proposed Joint and Mutual Use of Facilities

Teresa SALDIVAR-MORSE gave a presentation on Current and Proposed Joint and Mutual Use of Facilities stating the school was working on updating use agreements.

Council Member BELLUOMINI and Ms. SALDIVAR-MORSE discussed Burbank park access through Burbank School.

D.6. Discussion on Future Staff Meetings (Quarterly) to Address Interagency Issues more regularly

Assistant City Manager Stephanie DIETZ started the discussion on future staff meetings to address interagency issues.

Council and Board Members discussed future staff meetings to address

interagency issues.

**Clerk's Note:** Mayor MURPHY and President COX allowed for public comment at this time.

Joel KNOX, Merced- spoke on the traffic around Sheehy School. He also spoke on the red curb that restricts cars from parking to pick up and drop off kids.

Terry ROSS, Merced - spoke on the City and Community support for Merced City Schools.

Renee GUITIERREZ, Merced - asked about the order in which housing and schools are built.

Marilyn MOCHELLE, Merced - recommended inviting County Departments to be a part of future Joint Meetings.

Jorge GARIBAY, Merced - spoke on his concern for student safety at bus stops.

**Clerk's Note:** Council and Board Members gave their final thoughts of the meeting.

## **E. ADJOURNMENT**

**Clerk's Note:** The Joint Meeting adjourned at 8:09 PM.