

# City of Capitola

## Special City Council Meeting Minutes

### Wednesday, May 03, 2023 – 6:00 PM



City Council Chambers  
420 Capitola Avenue, Capitola, CA 95010

**Mayor:** Margaux Keiser

**Vice Mayor:** Kristen Brown

**Council Members:** Yvette Brooks, Joe Clarke, Alexander Pedersen

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#### Special Meeting of the Capitola City Council – 6 PM

1. **Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance** – *The meeting was called to order at 6:01 PM. In attendance: Council Members Brooks, Clarke, Pedersen, Brown, and Mayor Keiser.*
2. **Additions and Deletions to the Agenda** – *None*
3. **Additional Materials** – *None*
4. **Oral Communications by Members of the Public**
  - Goran Klepsik, resident, spoke about vandalism at Jade Street Park.
5. **Staff / City Council Comments**
  - *City Manager Goldstein reminded the City Council Members how to use the new microphone system within the Chambers.*
  - *Vice Mayor Brown reminded the public that May is Community Action Month.*
6. **General Government / Public Hearings**
  - A. Presentation of the Proposed Fiscal Year 2023-24 Budget  
Recommended Action: Receive the proposed budget, provide staff direction, and continue budget deliberations to the next joint budget hearing scheduled on May 18, 2023.  
  
***Finance Director Malberg and City Manager Goldstein presented the staff report.***  
  
***Council Members discussed funding allocations for mall redevelopment efforts, recommendations from the Finance Advisory Committee, and potential revenue from parking and traffic changes.***  
  
***Public Comment:***
    - Gerry Jensen, resident, spoke about allocation of funding for a parking and safety study related to changes in housing density.
7. **Adjournment** – Adjourned at 7:43 PM to the next regularly scheduled meeting on May 11, 2023.