

1 **CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK**
2 **CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**
3 **November 24, 2025**

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5 **It is noted that this meeting was held in person in the City Council Chambers and remotely via**
6 **Zoom.**

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8 **Councilmembers present:** Tracy Furutani, Deputy Mayor; Larry Goldman, Vice Chair; Paula
9 Goode, Jon Lebo, Ashton McCartney, Semra Riddle, Ellyn Saunders (via Zoom).

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11 **Councilmembers absent:** none

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13 **Staff present:** Phillip Hill, City Administrator; Kim Adams Pratt, City Attorney; Lindsey Vaughn,
14 Finance Director; Shannon Moore, HR Director; Mark Hofman, Community Development
15 Director (via Zoom); Matt McLean, City Clerk

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17 **Others present:** 10 visitors

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19 **CALL TO ORDER**

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21 Mayor French called the November 24, 2025, City Council special meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

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23 **FLAG SALUTE**

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25 Cmbr. McCartney let the Pledge of Allegiance.

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27 **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

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29 **Cmbr. Goode moved** to approve the agenda. **Cmbr. Riddle seconded. The motion to**
30 **approve the agenda as presented carried unanimously.**

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32 **PUBLIC COMMENT**

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34 Deputy Mayor French invited comments from the public.

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36 The following people provided public comments in support of hiring a climate manager:

- 37 • Sarah Phillips
38 • Marty Ross
39 • Sally Yamasaki
40 • Connie Barnes
41 • Dana Campbell

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43 Vice Chair Goldman read the following names who submitted written comments:

- 44 • Ross Baarslag-Benson – in support of hiring a climate manager

- Tim O'Brien – speed enforcement cameras

Deputy Mayor Furutani tabled Public Comment until 7:00 p.m.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND/OR ACTION

Ordinance 25-1311/Amending the 2025-2026 Biennial Budget

Deputy Mayor Furutani opened a discussion on Ordinance 25-1311 and related items.

Deputy Mayor Furutani gave a brief presentation. Discussion followed.

No one having arrived in the audience to provide additional public comment, Deputy Mayor Furutani closed public comment at 7:13 p.m.

City Parking Requirements

Vice Chair Goldman introduced the item and gave a brief presentation. Discussion followed.

Cmbr. Saunders arrived (on Zoom) at 7:30

Deputy Mayor Furutani reopened public comment.

Jon Lebo provided comments recognizing Cmbr. McCartney's time as an interim Councilmember.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Tracy Furutani, Deputy Mayor

Matt McLean, City Clerk