

MINUTES
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUMA, ARIZONA
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, YUMA CITY HALL
ONE CITY PLAZA, YUMA, ARIZONA
JULY 12, 2017
5:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Nicholls called the Special City Council meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers Present: Shelton, Knight, Thomas, Craft and Mayor Nicholls
Councilmembers Absent: Wright and Miller
Staffmembers Present: City Administrator, Gregory K. Wilkinson
Various Department Heads or their representative
City Attorney, Richard W. Files
City Clerk, Lynda L. Bushong

II. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion (Knight/Thomas): To recess to Executive Session. Voice vote: **approved** 5-0.

I. INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Mayor Nicholls reconvened the Special City Council meeting at 5:51 p.m.

Mayor Nicholls reported that City Council has become aware of a possible Open Meeting Law violation that City Council would like to work with the Industrial Development Authority (IDA) to help correct. A letter distributed among the IDA Board is the source of the potential violation. **Mayor Nicholls** emphasized that City Council has the upmost respect for the IDA Board and that this is not a reflection upon their service or any of their actions.

Motion (Mayor Nicholls/Thomas): To direct the City Attorney to craft a letter to the Chairman of the Board, the Board members, and their legal counsel detailing City Council's concerns and how City Council can assist in resolving those concerns. Voice vote: **approved** 5-0.

III. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, **Mayor Nicholls** adjourned the meeting at 5:55 p.m.

APPROVED:

Lynda L. Bushong, City Clerk

Douglas J. Nicholls, Mayor