City Council Meeting September 24, 2024

Agenda Item	Name	Email	Comment	Position	Attachment URL
CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING OPPOSITION TO SENATE BILL 450 (ATKINS) - 24-CMO-041	Carolyn Petty	carolynpettyhb@gmail.com	Please unanimously support this resolution. It is imperative we maintain control over local land use. We rank near the top of the densest cities in the country. We cannot maintain a quality of life if more density is forced upon us by the state.	For	
CHECK REGISTERS - 24- AS-027	Howard Lee	hbresident@twc.com	Be sure to click/tap this comment and then do the same to view the attachement for comment.	-	https://pub- hermosabeach.escribemeetings.com/ FileStream.ashx?DocumentId=3781
PUBLIC COMMENT	Howard Lee	hbresident@twc.com	Please be sure to also find my comment with attachement PDF re: Check Registers and more under Consent Item 11.c	-	
PUBLIC COMMENT	Anthony Higgins	tonyhiggins77@yahoo.com	Dear City Council, The city continues its blatant discrimination against seniors, the mobility disabled and immunocompromised who want equal access to speak publicly via zoom on important non agenda items. This is just the way our city rolls under the leadership of city manager Lowenthal abd City Attorney Donegan and it must be changed; but that change can only come at the ballot in November. Here is the backstory. Dear City Council, During Public Participation on non-agenda items, why is it that someone may attend a meeting in person and speak to the details contained in their ecomment AND those that can't attend in-person, specifically the elderly, mobility disabled and immunocompromised are not afforded the opportunity to Zoom-in and do the same? Why? Discrimination against the elderly has no place in our city government. Well, we all know why Councilman Massey, Jackson & Detoy supported by City Manager Lowenthal and City Attorney Donegan felt it was MORE IMPORTANT to MUTE the voice of a couple of bad actors than it was to give voice to the elderly and the mobility disabled. That is just the way our city is run these days. But it's worse than that. Public Participation on non-agenda items is often the only avenue open to residents to speak publicly about decisions gone bad or their unintended consequences. But the city says you must attend the meeting in-person exercise this right. The elderly and disabled who cannot attend are not given the opportunity to speak remotely on non agenda items via zoom even though zoom is working and available to everyone for agenda-items. This is not the city government we deserve. Will any of you stand-up for change? Anthony Higgins		

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PUBLIC COMMENT	Howard Lee Comment Two	hbresident@twc.com	Tap/click on this to see entire message please and then scroll down. HB Council, staff, and others: Are you monitoring that Spectrum ch-8 was OUT AGAIN most of last week and then somehow was restored for the weekend but then went out yesterday morning, Monday 9/24, and has been out ever since. It's playing a black screen with white text stating "This channel is currently unavailable". There's a city council meeting tonight, and yes, again, we are aware of other ways people can view the meetings but this defect has been occurring repeatedly since the mostly propaganda and other stuff was added to the meetings replays evidently by Spectrum, due to playing slides with replays being too difficult for the City Clerk's operation. Also to view replays, council, school, commission or other civic meetings/stuff is being made more and more difficult to view due to these outages. Residents with Spectrum cable TV Ch-8, still thousands in city, who don't have streaming and are not interested in streaming, view the meetings and meeting replays on their cable TV that they pay City Franchise Tax and Utility Users Tax to the city (some 11% of their TV bill). I.e., those who don't hang by their cell phone all day long (btw, they'll have serious neck issues when they are my age) who prefer their cable-TV. This clearly appears to be aimed at eliminating people from seeing the meetings easily under the guise of "the equipment is at end of life" as they have for over 45 years now, that is before especially the city councils of the last 6 years. Kindly restore Spectrum Ch-8. Or is this in fact intentional to again avoid people from being aware of all the likely trickery to be accomplished in the last few meetings of the council troika that is to be losing one, if not two of its elite? Please excuse typos. I've wasted too much of my life bringing this type of information to your attention, information THAT SHOULD BE unnecessary if you all were doing your job for the men, women, children and businesses of this city.	For	
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