

CITY COUNCIL ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST as of October 10, 2014

Date	Request By	Request	Description	Status	Staff Contact	Action
10/7/2014	Alvarez	Information on Municipal Property Corporation	CM Alvarez would like to obtain additional information at a future workshop on the Municipal Property Corporation (MPC).	Scheduled for December 2 workshop	Tom Duensing	Staff will present at the workshop on December 2.
10/7/2014	Sherwood	Councilmember request to vote on rescinding a recent denial	CM Sherwood indicated a councilmember, who was not in attendance at the workshop on October 7, stated he would like Council to vote on rescinding the previous denial concerning the two Palm Canyon billboards and bring it to a vote at the October 28 Council meeting.	Scheduled for October 21 workshop	Michael Bailey	The item will be scheduled for work session on October 21, 2014. At that work session, staff can advise the Council of the necessary procedural steps (rescission and reconsideration) to address the issue. At that time, if the Council desires to move forward on the issue, they may direct staff to then place the item on the November 24 Council meeting.
9/2/2014	Sherwood	Utilize change to Arizona Revised Statute Title 19	CM Sherwood would like the City Clerk's Office to work with the City Attorney's Office to utilize a recent change to the Arizona Revised Statute Title 19 giving towns and cities more authority in running their own elections to come up with an ordinance (or other vehicle) laying out all the particulars. CM Sherwood stated there have been so many changes to the laws over the recent years that are very confusing to the public. CM Sherwood believes that we should define how petitions/referendums are run through the city and whether one needs to be a resident to be able to initiate one.	Scheduled for December 2 workshop	Pam Hanna	Staff will present at the workshop on December 2.
8/5/2014	Weiers	Research zoning code to see if "MIL" could be added	Mayor Weiers is concerned about citizens who purchase property adjacent to Luke Air Force Base (in the noise contour) who may not be aware of military jet activity. Mayor Weiers would like staff to research if there is a way to add "MIL" to the zoning code.	Pending	Sam McAllen and Jon Froke	Pending staff evaluation.

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8/5/2014	Chavira	Research bulk pick up advertising methods	CM Chavira requested staff research methods to advertise that would discourage scrappers from going through resident trash ready for pick up by the city. CM Chavira is concerned that crime has increased with scrappers picking through items on residential property and is requesting this be discussed at a future workshop meeting.	Pending memorandum to Council	Jack Friedline and Chief Debora Black	Staff has conducted extensive research, met with impacted departments and will present findings in a memorandum to Council.
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4/1/2014, 4/15 & 8/5/2014	Alvarez	Update on urban irrigation changes	CM Alvarez wanted information on the proposed changes the Water Services Advisory Commission was considering. At the 04/15 workshop, CM Alvarez stated the irrigation item was tabled and said there still needs to be further discussion and she wants to learn more. At the 08/05 workshop, CM Alvarez stated she would still like to learn more about urban irrigation.	Completed	Craig Johnson	Staff presented at the workshop on October 7.
4/1/2014	Martinez	Research short term rental requirements during Super Bowl	CM Martinez and CM Chavira are concerned about short term rentals and issues or concerns during the Super Bowl.	Completed	Jon Froke and Sam McAllen	Memorandum sent to Council on October 7.