

DRAFT AGENDA

BERKELEY CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 2004 – 4:30 P.M.

Council Chambers, 2134 Martin Luther King Jr. Way
Teleconferencing Location – 1636 Channing Way, Berkeley, CA

The City Council may take action related to any subject listed on the Agenda.

This meeting will be conducted in accordance with the Brown Act, Government Code Section 54953, Teleconferencing. Any member of the public may attend this meeting at either the Council Chambers or at the teleconference location. Questions regarding this matter may be addressed to Sherry M. Kelly, City Clerk, 981-6900.

Preliminary Matters

Roll Call

Work Session

1. Creeks Ordinance

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Conduct a study session to review and discuss the existing creeks ordinance, as amended in May, 2003. Council members have questioned whether the ordinance is either too restrictive or insufficiently restrictive and whether additional issues should be addressed. This report is intended to provide some analysis and background to assist the Council in providing direction to Staff regarding any next steps it would like to take in addressing the issue.

Contact: Dan Marks, Planning, 981-7400

2. Study Session FY 2005 and FY 2006 Budget Reduction Program Impacts

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Continued study session to review and discuss the program impacts of the FY 2005 and FY 2006 proposed \$14 million general fund reductions and other fund reductions. The reductions were listed in the January 27, 2004 City Manager Report entitled "Budget Status Report".

Contact: Phil Kamlarz, City Manager, 981-7000

Public Comment

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A total of 20 minutes is scheduled. Each speaker is limited to a maximum of 2 minutes.

Adjournment