

**MINUTES  
REGULAR MEETING**

City Council of the Town of Colma  
Meeting Held Remotely via Zoom.us

**Wednesday, March 24, 2021**

**Closed Session – 6:00 PM**

**Regular Session – 7:00 PM**

**CLOSED SESSION – 6:00 PM**

1. In Closed Session Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6 – Conference with Labor Negotiators.

Agency Negotiator:	Austris Rungis, IEDA
Employee Organizations:	Colma Peace Officers Association and Colma Communications/Records Association
Unrepresented Employees:	All (Except City Manager, Police Chief, and any other Local Agency Executive)

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND ROLL CALL – 7:00 PM**

Mayor Diana Colvin called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Council Present – Mayor Diana Colvin, Vice Mayor Helen Fisicaro, Council Members Raquel Gonzalez, Joanne F. del Rosario, and John Irish Goodwin were all present.

Staff Present – City Manager Brian Dossey, City Attorney Christopher Diaz, Chief of Police John Munsey, Administrative Services Director Pak Lin, Director of Public Works Brad Donohue, City Planner Michael Laughlin and City Clerk Caitlin Corley, were in attendance.

The Mayor announced, “Welcome to another of our completely remote Council Meeting. A few notes about tonight’s meeting: We are accepting public comments through email— please email [ccorley@colma.ca.gov](mailto:ccorley@colma.ca.gov) to submit a public comment. You can also use the chat function to chat directly to our city clerk and she will be able to let us know that you would like to make a comment when your item comes up in the agenda. Thank you.”

**REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION**

Mayor Colvin states, “No action was taken at the Closed Session this evening.”

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

Mayor Colvin asked if there were any changes to the agenda; none were requested. She asked for a motion to adopt the agenda.

**Action:** Council Member del Rosario moved to adopt the agenda; the motion was seconded by Council Member Goodwin and carried by the following vote:

Name	Voting		Present, Not Voting		Absent
	Aye	No	Abstain	Not Participating	
Diana Colvin, Mayor	✓				
Helen Fiscaro	✓				
Raquel Gonzalez	✓				
Joanne F. del Rosario	✓				
John Irish Goodwin	✓				
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## PRESENTATION

- The Mayor delivered a message of solidarity with the Asian American Community, in response to the increase in hate crimes and violence against Asian and Asian American people.
- Town Representative on the Board of Trustees, Laura Walsh introduced Brian Weber, District Manager of the San Mateo County Mosquito and Vector Control District to give an update on the District's activities.
- The Mayor presented a proclamation in Honor of Women's History Month, which highlighted a famous underground resident Alma Spreckels, who gifted San Francisco with the iconic Palace of Legion of Honor Museum.
- The Mayor announced that the Town would again participate in the annual National Mayor's Challenge for Water Conservation.

## PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mayor Colvin opened the public comment period at 7:35 p.m. and seeing no one request to speak, she closed the public comment period.

## CONSENT CALENDAR

2. Motion to Accept the Minutes from the March 10, 2021 Regular Meeting.

**Action:** Council Member del Rosario moved to approve the Consent Calendar item #2; the motion was seconded by Council Member Goodwin and carried by the following vote:

Name	Voting		Present, Not Voting		Absent
	Aye	No	Abstain	Not Participating	
Diana Colvin, Mayor	✓				
Helen Fiscaro	✓				
Raquel Gonzalez	✓				
Joanne F. del Rosario	✓				
John Irish Goodwin	✓				
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## **STUDY SESSION**

### **3. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

City Manager Brian Dossey and Peter Ingram of CSG Consulting presented the staff report. Mayor Colvin opened the public comment period at 8:13 p.m. and seeing no one request to speak, she closed the public comment period. Council discussion followed.

*This item was for discussion only; no action was taken at this meeting.*

## **COUNCIL CALENDARING**

The next Regular Meeting will be on Wednesday, April 14, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. and it will be held remotely.

## **REPORTS**

City Manager Brian Dossey gave an update on the following topics:

- There will be an El Camino Real Presentation on Friday, March 26; City Planner Michael Laughlin will present the Colma section.
- Kudos to the Colma Police Department, especially Officer Kim Trask, for putting on a successful food drive for the North Peninsula Food Pantry and Dining Center of Daly City.
- COVID-19 cases are trending down, as the vaccine roll out continues. Colma's vaccination rate is an impressive 78%.
- The Recreation Department is hosting a drive through Eggstravaganza event on April 3. We're hopeful that in person events will be able to resume later this year.

## **ADJOURNMENT AND CLOSE IN MEMORY**

Mayor Colvin adjourned the meeting at 9:33 p.m. and closed in memory of memory of Joseph Tanzi, former husband of Carol Tanzi, good friend of Vice Mayor Fiscaro. She also asked for a moment of silence in memory of the 8 victims of the tragic attack on Asian spas in Atlanta, and the 10 victims of the mass shooting in Boulder.

Respectfully submitted,

Caitlin Corley  
City Clerk