



City of Margate

Summary Agenda

Regular City Commission Meeting

Mayor Antonio V. Arserio

Vice Mayor Anthony N. Caggiano

Commissioners:

Tommy Ruzzano, Arlene R. Schwartz, Joanne Simone

City Manager Cale Curtis

Interim City Attorney Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman

City Clerk Joseph J. Kavanagh

Wednesday, December 1, 2021

6:30 PM

Commission Chambers and Zoom.us
Webinar ID: 816 7671 9819

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81676719819>

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

MOMENT OF SILENCE - INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1) PRESENTATION(S)

A. [ID 2021-484](#) SWEARING-IN FOR MAYOR ANTONIO V. ARSERIO AND VICE MAYOR ANTHONY N. CAGGIANO.

B. [ID 2021-496](#) RECOGNITION OF KRYSTAL SCOTT, VPK TEACHER AND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF MICHELLE'S INTERNATIONAL LEARNING HOUSE

STUDENTS AND TEACHERS OF THE MONTH

C. ID 2021-479

ABUNDANT LIFE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY: JOEL GUERRA (Student); MARTA PALHANO (Teacher), (Mrs. Stacy Angier, Principal and/or Mrs. Renate Ramirez, Assistant Principal)

ATLANTIC WEST ELEMENTARY: DJOVANDA OLCIMA (Student); IRIS ACEVEDO (Teacher), (Mrs. Shereen R. Reynolds, Principal and Dr. Latonya Cooper, Assistant Principal)

LIBERTY ELEMENTARY: AIDEN DELVA (Student); KIANA ROBERTS (Teacher), (Mr. Matthew Whaley, Principal and/or Ms. Donna Styles, Assistant Principal)

MARGATE ELEMENTARY: AIDAN BYRD (Student); ASHLEY SEIDEN (Teacher), (Mr. Thomas Schroeder, Principal and/or Ms. Vicki Flournoy, Assistant Principal)

MARGATE MIDDLE: KAI NARISAWA (Student); TANISHA MCLAMORE (Teacher), (Mrs. Sabine Phillips, Principal and/or Assistant Principal)

RISE ACADEMY SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY: AIDEN EXANTUS (Student); JENNIFER MORTON (Teacher), (Dr. Adriana Guerra, Principal)

Attachments: [BACKGROUND](#)

2) PUBLIC DISCUSSION**3) COMMISSION COMMENTS****4) CITY MANAGER'S REPORT****5) CONSENT AGENDA**

Items listed under Consent Agenda are viewed to be routine and the recommendation will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. If discussion is desired by the Commission, the item(s) will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately. Anyone wishing to comment on any item on the Consent Agenda should approach the podium now. Each speaker is limited to three (3) minutes.

No items on Consent Agenda.

6) RESOLUTION(S)**A. ID 2021-487**

PROVIDING FOR RETIREMENT PLAN CONTRIBUTIONS FOR CITY COMMISSIONERS INCLUDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO A SEPARATE RETIREMENT ACCOUNT; PROVIDING FOR BUDGET AMENDMENT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Attachments: [RESOLUTION](#)

7) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

- A. [ID 2021-488](#)** DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION: MERIT INCREASE FOR CITY MANAGER, CALE CURTIS
- B. [ID 2021-494](#)** DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION - POLICE CHIEF STATUS

ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE NOTE:

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the City Commission with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, the person will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. Anyone desiring a verbatim transcript shall have the responsibility, at his/her own expense, to arrange for the transcript.

[Appendix A – Zoning – Section 3.3] Any representation made before any City Board, any Administrative Board, or the City Commission in the application for a variance, special exception, conditional use or request for any other permit shall be deemed a condition of the granting of the permit. Should any representation be false or should said representation not be continued as represented, same shall be deemed a violation of the permit and a violation of this section.

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- Any comments related to any item on the agenda can be submitted to the City of Margate via the following e-mail address: JJKAVANAGH@margatefl.com.

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3. On the computer users should click "Participants" then see option to raise hand
4. Once you have been selected to speak, you will be prompted to unmute your device or stay muted.