CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) ADVISORY

On March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom proclaimed a State of Emergency in California due to the threat of COVID-19. On March 12 and 18, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order N-25-20 and N-29-20, which temporarily suspends portions of the Brown Act addressing the conduct of public meetings.

As such, Tulare City Council Meetings may include teleconference participation by some or all of the City Council Members and City staff. Pursuant to Executive Order N-20-20, teleconference locations utilized by City Council Members shall not be accessible to the public and are not subject to special posting requirements.

For those individuals who choose not to shelter in place and attend the Council meeting, in an effort to promote social distancing, seating in the Council Chamber has been reduced to 12 available seats on a first come, first served basis.

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If you are sheltering in place, and wish to provide public comment during the meeting you may do so **by calling 559-366-1849**, if you receive a busy signal please continue to call until you are able to get through.

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<u>AGENDA</u>

TULARE CITY COUNCIL Special Meeting Thursday, May 28, 2020 Budget Study Session 10:00 a.m. General Business (Continued Public Hearing Item to follow Budget Session) TULARE PUBLIC LIBRARY & COUNCIL CHAMBERS 491 North "M" Street

MISSION STATEMENT TO PROMOTE A QUALITY OF LIFE MAKING TULARE THE MOST DESIRABLE COMMUNITY IN WHICH TO LIVE, LEARN, PLAY, WORK, WORSHIP AND PROSPER.

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<u>10:00 a.m.</u>

I. CALL TO ORDER BUDGET STUDY SESSION

II. CITIZEN COMMENTS - Comments from the public are limited to items listed on the agenda (GC 54954.3a). Speakers will be allowed three minutes. Please begin your comments by stating and spelling your name and providing your city of residence.

III. STUDY SESSION

- (1) Presentation and Review of 2020/2021 Budget, General Discussion and Receive Direction on same and setting the public hearing to adopt for Tuesday, June 16, 2020.
- (2) Review and consider for approval Administrative Policy 13-02 revising the City of Tulare Budget Policies & Practices. [Submitted by: R. Hunt]

IV. GENERAL BUSINESS

- (1) Public Hearing:
 - a. Public hearing to adopt Resolution 2020-27 approving the City's Program Year 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan Amendment III to include supplemental Community Development Block Grant funding (CDBG-CV) awarded to the City in the sum of \$419,611 to be used to prevent, prepare for and respond to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic; approve recommended allocations of CDBG-CV funding to sub-recipients and proposed microenterprise business assistance program; and/or direct staff to re-allocate all or a portion of funding to eligible activities under U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) regulations. [Submitted by: T. Myers]

V. COMMUNICATIONS

VI. ADJOURN BUDGET STUDY SESSION

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[Note: Pursuant to Government Code 54957.5 - Effective 7/1/08 Documents produced and distributed less than 72 hours prior to or during an open session of a regular meeting to a majority of the legislative body regarding any item on the agenda will be made available for public inspection at the meeting and at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall located at 411 East Kern Avenue during normal business hours.]