

**SPECIAL CALL CITY COUNCIL MINUTES  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2021 3:00 P.M.  
CITY HALL, COUNCIL CHAMBERS, VERO BEACH, FLORIDA**

Mayor Robbie Brackett, present; Vice Mayor Rey Neville, present; Councilmember Honey Minuse, present; Councilmember Bob McCabe, present and Councilmember Richard Winger, present **Also Present:** Monte Falls, City Manager; John Turner, City Attorney and Sherri Philo, Deputy City Clerk

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Brackett opened the meeting at 3:00 p.m.

**2. ROLL CALL OF COUNCIL**

The Deputy City Clerk performed the roll call.

**3. CITY ATTORNEY REQUEST FOR CITY COUNCIL ADVICE ON ONE MATTER IN LITIGATION**

**A) Attorney – Client Session to discuss settlement negotiations and strategy relating to litigation with regard to the case of Town of Indian River Shores v. City of Vero Beach – Case No. 2:2021-cv-14354 in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida**

Mayor Brackett announced the purpose of the private meeting and said that the estimated length of the session will be about 45-minutes and those attending the attorney-client session will be Mayor Robbie Brackett, Vice Mayor Rey Neville, Councilmember Honey Minuse, Councilmember Bob McCabe and Councilmember Dick Winger. **ALSO PRESENT:** City Manager, Monte Falls; City Attorney, John Turner; Outside Counsel, Tom Cloud; Outside Counsel Gary Carman and a Court Reporter from the firm of Indian River Court Reporting, LLC.

**4. PRIVATE ATTORNEY – CLIENT SESSION COMMENCES**

**5. MAYOR REOPENS PUBLIC MEETING AND ANNOUNCES TERMINATION OF ATTORNEY-CLIENT SESSION**

Mayor Brackett reopened the public meeting at 4:06 p.m.

**6. ATTORNEY GIVE DIRECTION TO THE CITY COUNCIL**

Mr. John Turner, City Attorney, announced that staff would proceed as discussed with the settlement strategy session. He said that he would keep the City Council updated.

**7. ADJOURNMENT**

Today's meeting adjourned at 4:06 p.m.

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