



AGENDA

CANBY CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

July 12, 2016

6:30 PM

Council Chambers
155 NW 2nd Avenue

Mayor Brian Hodson

*Council President Tim Dale
Councilor Clint Coleman
Councilor Tracie Heidt*

*Councilor Traci Hensley
Councilor Greg Parker
Councilor Todd Rocha*

CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

1. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Invocation
- B. Pledge of Allegiance

2. CITIZEN INPUT & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(This is an opportunity for visitors to address the City Council on items not on the agenda. It is also the time to address items that are on the agenda but not scheduled for a public hearing. Each citizen will be given 3 minutes to give testimony. Citizens are first required to fill out a testimony/comment card prior to speaking and hand it to the City Recorder. These forms are available by the sign-in podium. Staff and the City Council will make every effort to respond to questions raised during citizens input before tonight's meeting ends or as quickly as possible thereafter.)

3. RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES

- A. Res. 1246, Expressing Opposition to Messages of Hate

4. ACTION REVIEW

5. ADJOURN

*The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. A request for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours before the meeting to Kim Scheafer at 503.266.0733. A copy of this Agenda can be found on the City's web page at www.ci.canby.or.us. City Council and Planning Commission Meetings are broadcast live and can be viewed on CTV Channel 5. For a schedule of the playback times, please call 503.263.6287.

RESOLUTION NO. 1246

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING OPPOSITION TO MESSAGES OF HATE

WHEREAS, the Constitutions of the United States and the State of Oregon guarantee the right of the People to engage in First Amendment protected activities; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the City of Canby Charter, each Official of the City of Canby takes an oath affirming support of the Constitutions and Laws of the United States, the State Of Oregon, and the City of Canby; and

WHEREAS, the City Council seeks to foster a culture of tolerance within the community for all persons regardless of race, sex, age, national origin, religion, sexual orientation, or other characteristic; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Canby wishes to exercise their right to free speech in support of a culture of tolerance within the community for all; and

WHEREAS, in order to foster a culture of tolerance within the community for all persons, the City Council wishes to express their opposition to the use of statements, symbols, actions, or activities that would convey messages of hatred, foster intolerance, or in any way seek to deprive any person of their fundamental rights.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Canby as follows:

1. The City Council supports and endorses a culture of tolerance within the community for all persons regardless of race, sex, age, national origin, religion, sexual orientation, or other characteristic.
2. Statements, whether through the use of words, action, symbols or in any other form expressing hatred or intolerance are neither supported nor endorsed by the City Council of the City of Canby.
3. The City Council expressly forbids and condemns any intolerant statement made that is not afforded protection as free speech under the first amendment to the United States Constitution and the Constitution of the State of Oregon.
4. The Canby City Council recognizes and embraces our responsibility to be vigilant in defense of the rights of all people, proactive in our attempts to be a welcoming community for all people looking for a better life, and steadfast and vigorous in condemning all forms of unconstitutional intolerance.

This resolution shall take effect July 12, 2016.

ADOPTED this 12th day of July 2016, by the Canby City Council.

Brian Hodson
Mayor

ATTEST:

Kimberly Scheafer, MMC
City Recorder