

CITY COUNCIL/REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2010
AGENDA ITEM No. 28

POLICY AND ACTION
MOTION

Discussion of Agenda Format – *(Minette Warren, Deputy City Clerk) -(City Council) (Continued from 02/02/10Regular CC RDA Meeting)*

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Informational Staff Report

DATE: February 16, 2010
TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
FROM: Minette Warren, Deputy City Clerk
VIA: Alvin D. James, City Manager
SUBJECT: City Council/Redevelopment Agency Agenda Format Discussion

Background:

This Discussion item has been continued from previous meetings. Staff was directed to continue the item to this meeting and, present a random sampling of other agencies' meeting agendas for review and discussion.

Council has requested that the agenda be discussed and reviewed as to format in the meeting public and open session. Since the item was initially calendared for discussion, staff has taken the initiative to introduce the numerical sequencing, and some minor modifications regarding the order of items and documents presented for action/discussion/direction to Council.

To facilitate Council consideration, staff has researched via the Internet, a variety of cities' agendas and has provided a random sampling of various city council 'recent' agendas as printed from their websites. Several of these random agendas display a combination of 'regular' meeting and 'special' meeting items in a combined meeting. Others display only 'regular' meeting items.

The Cities were chosen at random and are presented as attached exhibits in alphabetical order to this informational report.

Exhibit A – City of Belmont
Exhibit B -- City of Hayward
Exhibit C – City of Los Altos
Exhibit D – City of Menlo Park
Exhibit E – City of Mountain View

Recommendation:

Staff requests that after Council's discussion and deliberation, the appropriate direction be provided.