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ORDINANCE

Ordinance No. 464
Requiring Call To The Public at Council's Regular meetings



Ordinance

No. 464

OFFICE OF THE
MAYOR
CITY OF SAN LUIS

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN LUIS, ARIZONA, AMENDING THE SAN LUIS CITY CODE SECTION 2.05.440 REGARDING REQUIRING A CALL TO THE PUBLIC AT COUNCIL'S REGULAR MEETINGS; REPEALING CONFLICTING PROVISIONS, AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Arizona:

Section 1: The San Luis City Code Section 2.05.440(A)(2) shall be amended to add subsection (b) which shall read:

Call to the Public. After the Opening Invocation, a Call to the Public shall be made to allow individuals to address the Council on any issue within its jurisdiction.

There shall be no requirement to sign in to speak. However, the individuals who speak must state their names clearly to allow the clerk to record the names of every speaker accurately in the minutes.

- (i) Individuals who speak at the Call to the Public shall address the Council as a whole and not to any particular Council Member.
- (ii) Individuals who speak at the Call to the Public shall not enter into discussion with another without the permission of the Mayor or the Chair at the time (who may be the Vice Mayor or Member of the City Council).
- (iii) The Mayor or the Chair at the time (who may be the Vice Mayor or Member of the City Council) may ask a spokesperson to speak for all those who have come to speak on one side of an issue.
- (iv) Remarks shall be limited to three (3) minutes per individual speaker.
- (v) Individual speakers who do not use all three minutes cannot reserve their time for another individual to use their time.
- (vi) The maximum time allowed for the Call to the Public Item shall be thirty (30) minutes.

(vii) The Call to the Public is subject to the Open Meeting Law A.R.S. Title 38, Chapter 3, Article 3.1, as it may be amended.

Section 2: The City Council authorizes and directs the appropriate City officers and employees to perform all necessary or desirable acts to give effect to this Ordinance.”

Section 3: If a conflict arises between the provisions of this ordinance and any resolution, other ordinance, regulation, or policy of the City of San Luis, the conflicting provisions are amended, superseded, and replaced, and this Ordinance shall govern.

Section 4: If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the final decision of any court of competent jurisdiction or operation of law by controlling legislation, such decision or law shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this ordinance.

PASSED, ADOPTED, and APPROVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Yuma County, Arizona, this 14th day of May 2025.



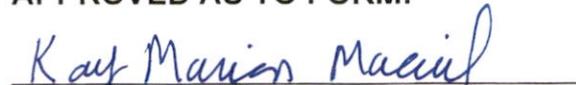
Nieves Riedel, Mayor

ATTEST:



Sonia Cornelio, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Kay Marion Macuil, City Attorney