

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-16

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF NEVADA CITY ADOPTING CITY COUNCIL STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES FOR CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS AND CITY AND CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS AND ROSENBERG'S RULES OF ORDER

WHEREAS, the City wishes to establish an open government policy to promote efficiency transparency, communication, understanding, fairness and trust for the public City Council and staff; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to ensure that public, City Council and staff and all other participants in City Council meetings and City business conduct themselves in a respectful, appropriate manner by adopting a comprehensive set of standards and procedures regulating City Council meeting procedures, decorum rules, and required ethics trainings and related polices; and

WHEREAS, the California League of Cities ("League) has consistently worked to promote effective local government, efficient decision-making, and informed public participation; and

WHEREAS, in 2011, as part of these efforts the League published "Rosenberg's Rules of Order: Simple Parliamentary Procedures for the 21st Century"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council currently follows the Rosenberg's Rules of Order for the conduct of City Council meetings in the City of Nevada City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the City Council Standards and Procedures attached to the Resolution as Exhibit "A" and incorporated by that reference, be adopted and enforced effective upon adoption of this Resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Nevada City herby authorizes official adoption of Rosenberg's Rules of Order, attached to this Resolution as Exhibit B and incorporated by that reference, to govern the procedures of their official meetings.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Nevada City, City Council held on the 26th day of February, 2020 by the following vote:

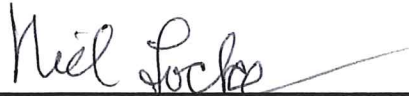
AYES: SENUM, MINETT, PARKER, MOBERG

NOES:


ABSENT: STRAWSER

ABSTAIN:

ATTEST:



Niel Locke, City Clerk



Reinette Senum, Mayor