CITY OF LA VERNE
Adjourned Meeting

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Tim Hepburn, Mayor

Muir Davis, Mayor Pro Tem

Robin Carder, Council Member

Rick Crosby, Council Member

Wendy M. Lau, Council Member

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City Hall Council Chamber

3660 D Street

La Verne, CA 91750

Monday, October 4, 2021, 6:00 p.m.

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before 12:00 p.m. on Monday, October 4, 2021,, and please be aware that space is limited. You will have the ability to watch the meeting in real time and raise your hand to request to comment as appropriate on the current agenda item(s). Once it is your turn to speak, you will be brought into the meeting and have the ability to turn your video on when called upon.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **ROLL CALL:**   Council Member Lau, Council Member Crosby, Council Member Carder, Mayor Pro Tem Davis and Mayor Hepburn.

3. **Badge Pinning Ceremony for Newly Hired Police Officers, as follows:**

   Jullian Silva - Jullian was born and raised in San Bernardino, California and is the oldest of two children. In 2012, Jullian graduated from Cajon High school with high honors, and went on to enlist in the United States Marine Corps. In the summer of 2012, he began his service as a communications technician with the Marines. Over the next six years, he rose to the rank of Corporal while simultaneously attending college classes at California State University of San Bernardino. In 2018, Jullian graduated with his Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice. Shortly after obtaining his degree, Jullian chose to separate from the Marine Corps and began working for the City of Colton Streets Department. During his time with the City of Colton, he supervised the departments Work Release Program, supervising out of custody inmates. In February of 2020, Jullian accepted the opportunity to pursue a career as a Police Officer with the City of La Verne. He attended Rio Hondo Police Academy, where he was faced with many challenges especially during the global pandemic.. He graduated as President of Rio Hondo Police Academy Class 210 in November of 2020. His mother will be pining his badge.

   Eduardo Burgos - Eduardo grew up in the City of Ontario where he attended Chaffey High School and played both football and basketball. He was a police explorer with the Ontario Police Department. Eduardo's dream of working as a sworn law enforcement officer became a reality on August 22, 2019, when he began his career with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department. After working as a custody deputy for two years, he was hired to work as a police officer to serve and protect the community of La Verne. Eduardo is happy and excited to be working for the City of La Verme Police Department and he is thankful to everyone who has supported him throughout his journey as well as the City of La Verne, for giving him the opportunity to serve and protect its residents. Eduardo is a father of two children. On his off time, he enjoys spending time with his family and coaching his son's football team. His Fiancé will be pinning his badge.

   Daniel Salamanca - Daniel Salamanca was born in Whittier in 1993. He attended school in the Claremont School District from elementary through high school. When Daniel was in 6th grade, two police officers spoke during career day and that was the day he decided he wanted to be a police officer. After graduating from Claremont High School he attended Mount San Antonio College where he completed his Associate's Degree in Administration of Justice. Daniel graduated from the University of La Verne with a Bachelor's degree in Communications in 2020. He had a high regard for the City of La Verne, since visiting with his sister back in 2004, when she attended the University of La Verne. Daniel recognized the great opportunity to achieve his career goals of becoming a law enforcement officer when he heard that the City of La Verne was hiring for a police officer. He was hired by the La Verne Police Department in 2021, and attended Rio Hondo Police Academy graduating on August 11, 2021. Daniel looks forward to having a long career with the La Verne Police Department and to honorably serve and represent the City. His sister will be pining his badge.

Allison Geller - Allison was born in West Covina in 1996. She grew up in San Dimas and spent most of her grade school years in La Verne. At the age of 7, Allison was blessed to be adopted into a family that cared about giving back to the community. Through their compassion and love for others, it showed her the true meaning of helping people and giving back to others. Every step she has taken in her life has led her to becoming a police officer, through work experience, life experience, and education. Allison graduated from Cal State LA with a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice and a Minor in Biology. Allison has had multiple jobs in her life, all of which involved customer service. She began her career in law enforcement at La Verne Police Department two years ago as a Police Cadet. As she finished up with college in 2020, there was no better a time to apply for the Police Officer position with La Verne. Allison feels fortunate and very excited to be officially starting her career as a police officer with the La Verne Police Department. Her mother will be pinning her badge.

4.   **The La Verne City Council will recess to the La Verne City Council Meeting at 6:30 p.m.**

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