

**City of Laguna Hills  
City Council  
Special Meeting  
Minutes  
Tuesday, September 9, 2025**

**Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 4:03 p.m. by Mayor Sweeney.

**Roll Call of City Council Members**

**Present:**

Mayor Joshua Sweeney  
Mayor Pro Tempore Don Caskey  
Council Member Jared Mathis  
Council Member Dave Wheeler

**Absent:**

Council Member Erica Pezold

**Announcement of Closed Session Item(s)**

**A. Conference with Legal Counsel - Anticipated Litigation**

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9  
Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (d) and paragraph (2) of subdivision (e) of Government Code Section 54956.9: (1 potential case: receipt of written notices threatening litigation from the Law Offices of Michelle R. Jackson alleging violation of the California Voting Rights Act.)

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**Public Comments**

There were no public comments on the closed session item.

**Convene into Closed Session**

**Reconvene**

The City Council reconvened to the City Council Chamber at 5:59 p.m.

**Closed Session Report**

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City Attorney Simonian stated that the City Council convened into closed session pursuant to the authorities listed on the Agenda with no reportable action.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business before the City Council at this session, Mayor Sweeney declared the meeting adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

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Jennifer Lee, City Clerk

ATTEST:

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Joshua Sweeney, Mayor

Approved at meeting of September 23, 2025.