

**MINUTES  
SARATOGA CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING  
AUGUST 16, 2004**

Mayor WaltonsSmith called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Mayor Ann WaltonsSmith, Vice Mayor Kathleen King,  
Councilmembers Norman Kline

ABSENT: Councilmember Stan Bogosian  
Councilmember Nick Streit

ALSO PRESENT: Dave Anderson, City Manager  
Lorie Tinfow, Assistant City Manager  
Cathleen Boyer, City Clerk  
Richard Allen, Chair/ Finance Commission & Revenue  
Review Committee Member

**REPORT OF CITY CLERK ON POSTING OF AGENDA FOR AUGUST 16, 2004**

Cathleen Boyer, City Clerk, reported that pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2, the agenda for the meeting of August 16, 2004 was properly posted on August 12, 2004.

1. **DISCUSS AND PREPARE REBUTTAL ARGUMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE ARGUMENT OPPOSING THE UTILITY USER TAX MEASURE TO APPEAR ON NOVEMBER 2, 2004 BALLOT**

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Write Rebuttal Argument in Response to the Argument Opposing the UUT Measure to be Submitted to Registrar of Voters.

The City Council discussed and brainstormed ideas for the rebuttal arguments opposing the UUT and the Advisory Measure.

City Councilmembers concurred to adjourn the meeting until Wednesday, August 18, 2004 to finalize the rebuttal arguments in response to the arguments against the UUT & Advisory Measure.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Pursuant to Government Code section 54955, at its meeting of August 16, 2004, the City Council voted (by a vote of 3-0-1 with Bogosian & Streit absent) to adjourn that meeting until Wednesday, August 18, 2004 at 9:00 a.m, at Administrative Conference Room, 13777 Fruitvale Avenue to consider item number 1 from the agenda for the August 16, 2004 meeting.

Mayor Waltonsmith thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathleen Boyer, CMC  
City Clerk