

**CITY OF PITTSBURG  
CITY COUNCIL/AGENCY CONCURRENT MEETING MINUTES**

**DATE:** March 2, 2026

**LOCATION:** Council Chamber, City Hall, 65 Civic Avenue, Pittsburg, CA 94565

**CITY COUNCIL/AGENCY MEMBERS**

Dionne Adams, Mayor/Chair  
Angelica Lopez, Vice-Mayor/Chair  
Juan Antonio Banales, Council/Agency Member  
Arlene Kobata, Council/Agency Member  
Jelani Killings, Council/Agency Member  
S.L. Floyd, Agency Member  
Annie Hill Herring, Agency Member

**APPOINTED OFFICIALS**

Darin Gale, City Manager/Executive Director  
Donna Mooney, City Attorney/Legal Counsel  
Alice E. Evenson, City Clerk/Agency Secretary (elected)  
Nancy Parent, City Treasurer (elected)

Mayor Adams called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. in the Council Chamber at City Hall, 65 Civic Avenue Pittsburg, CA.

**ROLL CALL**

All Members were present.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mayor Adams led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PRESENTATIONS**

1. New Business Introductions

Mayor Adams noted for the record that this presentation would be pulled from the agenda, and there would be no presentation. She moved on to proclamations.

**PROCLAMATIONS**

2. Think Pittsburg – Lumpy’s Diner
3. Women’s History Month
4. Red Cross Month

## **CITY MANAGER REPORTS/REMARKS**

City Manager Gale provided comments regarding the MLK event hosted by Los Medanos Community College. He congratulated the award recipients as well as Kolette Simonton, Director of Recreation, who was a keynote speaker. Lastly, he thanked Public Works staff for all their hard work during the rain to ensure the community did not experience any floods.

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

The following speakers provided comments in support of Arts Contra Costa County:

Ben Miyaji  
Jenny Balisle  
Alexander Finn

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Council Member Kobata attended the Life Enrichment Subcommittee meeting and the MCE Clean Energy meeting.

Council Member Banales attended the Finance Subcommittee meeting.

## **CONSIDERATION**

5. Adoption of a City Council Resolution Amending the 2025-2028 Senior Executive Team Salary and Benefits Schedule

Before acting on the item, Mayor Adams read the following into the record as required by Senate Bill 707.

“Per Government Code Section 54953(d)(3)(A), for agenda item #5, it is recommended to amend the Senior Executive Team Salary & Benefits Schedule. Positions within this group are “At-Will” and serve at the pleasure and direction of the City Manager. The recommended action is to eliminate individual employment agreements and clarify City Council approved benefits for senior executives. The proposed changes to the Schedule include terms for cell phone and equipment allowances, work schedules, auto allowance, termination and severance pay, and a limited amendment to retiree medical. Additionally, in preparation for the recruitment of the Chief of Police, staff proposes to eliminate incentive pay and align salary within 5% of the labor market rate.”

On Motion by Member Killings, seconded by Member Banales and adopted unanimously.

## **CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT**

There were no Conflict-of-Interest Statements.

Before voting on the consent calendar, Mayor Adams read the following into the record as required by Senate Bill 707.

“Per Government Code Section 54953(d)(3)(A) and in accordance with Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 570.5, for agenda item #11, it is recommended to amend the master pay schedule to include previously approved positions and compensation. Amendments to the master pay schedule include modification to the Chief of Police salary range

to a maximum of \$26,121 per month; and the addition of the classification of Principal Civil Engineer with a salary range of \$12,329 to \$14,986 per month; and the addition of classification of Senior Utility Technician with a salary range of \$12,118 to \$14,729 per month. Existing positions allocated within those classifications will be adjusted during the following payroll period. New positions will require City Council approval, which may be requested at a later date.”

Mayor Adams pulled Consent item #8 for discussion.

**COMBINED CITY COUNCIL, PITTSBURG ARTS AND COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, PITTSBURG POWER COMPANY, SOUTHWEST PITTSBURG GHAD II AND SUCCESSOR AGENCY CONSENT CALENDAR**

On Motion by Member Killings, seconded by Vice Mayor Lopez to approve the Consent Calendar Minus item # 8 and adopted unanimously.

6. Minutes of February 17, 2026
7. Receive and File the Treasurer’s Report for the Quarter Ending December 31, 2025
9. Adoption of a City Council Resolution Accepting Project 3022 – Riverview Park Fishing Pier Repairs as Complete, Appropriating Additional Funds, and Authorizing the City Engineer to File a Notice of Completion
10. Adoption of a City Council Resolution to Authorize the City Manager to Execute Municipal Pooling Authority Amended and Restated Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement for Providing Property, Workers’ Compensation, Public Liability and Other Insurance Coverages
11. Adoption of a City Council Resolution to Amend the Master Pay Schedule to Include Amendments to the Salary Schedule and Previously Approved Positions and Compensation
12. Adoption of Pittsburg Arts and Community Foundation and City Council Resolutions Authorizing the Executive Director/City Manager to Execute the Plaza Marina Assignment and Assumption Agreements, and Authorizing the Termination of the Master Lease Agreement for Plaza Marina

The following item was removed from the Consent Calendar for discussion.

8. Adoption of a City Council Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Overfill up to Three Police Officer Positions with Police Trainees for up to Nine Months

On Motion by Vice Mayor Lopez, seconded by Member Banales and adopted unanimously.

**COUNCIL REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

There were no requests for future agenda items.

**COUNCIL MEMBER REMARKS**

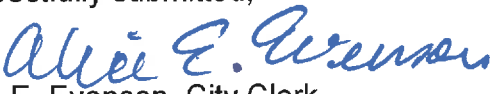
There were no Council Member remarks.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Adams closed the meeting in honor of Mary Erbez.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 P.M. to March 16, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Alice E. Evenson, City Clerk