

**MINUTES FOR THE ADJOURNED
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2003, 7:00 P. M.,
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
34009 ALVARADO-NILES ROAD
UNION CITY, CALIFORNIA**

Mayor Green called the meeting to order at 7:18 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Present: Vice Mayor Elias, Mayor Green
Absent: Councilmembers Dutra-Vernaci, Fernandez, Valle,

There was not a quorum for this meeting. Therefore, no official meeting of the City Council took place. Mayor Green and Vice Mayor Elias held an informal meeting with the Arts Council.

WORK SESSION: ARTS COUNCIL

A. **ROLL CALL:** Present: Commissioners Smith, Allen, Maloney, Kamakea, Lew, Vice
Chair La Mountaine, Chair Wentworth
Absent: None

B. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

John Haley thanked the City for upgrading and improving 7th street.

C. Council and Commission discussed the following:

- Summary of goals & objectives/annual report
- Arts Council “web pages”
- Roll of Arts Council with public and private schools
- Private organizations
- Long term goal - public space for arts
- Funding/in lieu fees
- City Council’s vision on “The Arts”

D. PUBLIC COMMENT

Hugh McNamara spoke on RePAC and the state budget impacts on redevelopment funds. Mr. McNamara also commented on a sidewalk at Union Landing.

Interim City Manager, Larry Cheeves , responded the state takeaway on redevelopment funds will not be as large as originally thought.

John Haley spoke on the cost of a performing arts center and the need for donations and awareness and the support of citizens and businesses.

Ann Marie Haley spoke on need for a art association to begin an outreach program.

Mayor Green thanked the Arts Council for their input.

E. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting ended at 9:10 p.m.