

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

STUDY SESSION MEETING AGENDA

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2020, 2:30 PM

Council Chambers, 201 South Cortez Street
Prescott AZ 86303
(928) 777-1272

Greg Mengarelli, Mayor

Billie Orr, Mayor Pro Tem
Steve Blair, Councilman
Phil Goode, Councilman

Cathey Rusing, Councilmember
Alexa Scholl, Councilwoman
Steve Sischka, Councilman

The following Agenda will be considered by the Prescott **City Council** at its **Study Session Meeting** pursuant to the Prescott City Charter, Article II, Section 13. Notice of the meeting is given pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes, Section 38-431.02. One or more members of the Council may be attending the meeting through the use of a technological device.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **ROLL CALL**
3. **DISCUSSION**
 - A. Update on the 2020 Census from Census Bureau Partnership Specialist Kimberley Robinson
4. **ADJOURNMENT**

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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- (1) Discussion or consideration of personnel matters (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(1));
- (2) Discussion or consideration of records exempt by law (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(2));
- (3) Discussion or consultation for legal advice with the city's attorneys (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3));
- (4) Discussion or consultation with the city's attorneys regarding the city's position regarding contracts that are the subject of negotiations, in pending or contemplated litigation, or in settlement discussions conducted in order to avoid litigation (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(4));
- (5) Discussion or consultation with designated representatives of the city to consider its position and instruct its representatives regarding negotiations with employee organizations (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(5));
- (6) Discussion, consultation or consideration for negotiations by the city or its designated representatives with members of a tribal council, or its designated representatives, of an Indian reservation located within or adjacent to the city (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(6));

- (7) Discussion or consultation with designated representatives of the city to consider its position and instruct its representatives regarding negotiations for the purchase, sale or lease of real property (A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(7)).

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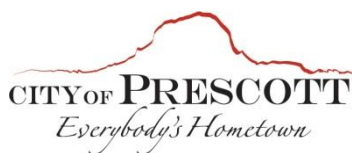
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CERTIFICATION OF POSTING OF NOTICE

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Sarah M. Siep, City Clerk



COUNCIL AGENDA MEMO

MEETING DATE/TYPE: **STUDY SESSION MEETING** **2-11-20**

DEPARTMENT: **Community Development**

AGENDA ITEM: Update on the 2020 Census from Census Bureau Partnership Specialist Kimberley Robinson

FUNDING SOURCE: Other

Approved By: Michael Lamar, City Manager

Item Summary

The 2020 United States decennial census activities have officially begun. The 1st quarter 2020 is identified as the “Educate and Motivate” phase. The City of Prescott has been actively participating in the regional “Complete Count Committee” (CCC) and has initiated a targeted public awareness campaign. The purpose of this agenda item is to briefly update the Mayor and Council on local activities, as well as introduce Census Bureau Partnership Specialist Kimberley Robinson, who will provide us with a statewide and national perspective on Census activities.

Background

The Council will recall that Community Development kicked off the City’s Census activities back in August 2019, and a Proclamation was entered solidifying the City’s commitment to the garnering of a complete count of City of Prescott residents. The Proclamation included the federal government’s official tagline for Census 2020 activities, **“Counting everyone once, only once, and in the right place.”**

Community Development brought the Mayor and Council an update to the official Census kickoff in mid-January 2020, and will be providing similar updates once a month throughout the first quarter, outlining specific activities that elevate awareness of Census participation and its importance to the distribution of federal and state shared revenues.

Census Bureau Partnership Specialist Kimberley Robinson will share a brief presentation with the Council on Census activities at the state and federal level.

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Recommended Action: This item is for presentation only. No formal action will be taken.