



**CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH  
CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA**

**JULY 29, 2025  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 100 CIVIC CENTER DRIVE, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660**

**SPECIAL MEETING - 3:00 P.M.**

**Joe Stapleton, Mayor  
Lauren Kleiman, Mayor Pro Tem  
Michelle Barto, Councilmember  
Noah Blom, Councilmember  
Robyn Grant, Councilmember  
Sara J. Weber, Councilmember  
Erik Weigand, Councilmember**

**Grace K. Leung, City Manager  
Aaron Harp, City Attorney  
Molly Perry, Interim City Clerk**

**LEVINE ACT**

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**I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

**II. ROLL CALL**

**III. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

*Public comments are invited on agenda items generally considered to be within the subject matter jurisdiction of the City Council. Speakers must limit comments to three minutes. Before speaking, please state your name for the record.*

**IV. CLOSED SESSION - Council Chambers Conference Room**

**A. PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT - PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT**

**(Government Code § 54957): 1 matter**

**Title:** City Clerk.

[Written Comments](#)

**B. CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS**

**(Government Code § 54957.6): 1 matter**

**Agency Designated Representatives:** Mayor Joe Stapleton and Mayor Pro Tem  
Lauren Kleiman.

**Unrepresented Employee:** City Clerk.

[Written Comments](#)

**V. CLOSED SESSION REPORT**

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

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