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AGENDA ITEM NO. 1
Public Comment

1. Matthew Glesne
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3. Lissa Reynolds
4. Kwok Lue
5. Sally Lue
6. Chamber of Commerce

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From: Matthew Glesne <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, April 26, 2021 6:34 PM
To: City Manager's Office
Subject: Question for CM Candidate Arminé Chaparyan

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The Los Angeles region faces a crippling housing shortage. Cities like south Pasadena - with good transit, job access and schools are being asked to do more to allow more multifamily housing to be built. How do you view the city's role in addressing housing challenges?

Matthew Glesne

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Matthew Glesne
Preferred Pronouns: He, Him, His



From: Care First South Pasadena <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2021 9:16 AM
To: City Manager's Office
Subject: Questions for the City Manager Forum 4/28/2021

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Thanks to the City Council for holding the upcoming forum. We look forward to learning more about Armine Chaparyan as a candidate for City Manager. Here are a few questions we're hoping will be covered:

As your first major action as city manager, what will you look for in a Police Chief? To what degree will you engage public participation in the selection of a police chief?

What strategies or methods would you implement to hold the police chief accountable to following the department's own policies and procedures?

How should a police chief and their department respond to changing public opinion about the role of policing, specifically to replace significant parts of today's police function with alternatives approaches to public safety? For instance adopting a CAHOOTS style program (reallocating some police department budget to social welfare and homeless services).

In what ways would you commit to transparency and community outreach?

What goals would you set to advance social and economic justice and environmental programs in South Pasadena and how would you seek to achieve them? For instance; new city hires to handle environmental programs, enforcement of affordable housing development and creating a Homeless & Housing Resource Center administered by the city.

What should the city do to limit cut through traffic in neighborhoods and better engineer traffic controls to promote pedestrian, bicycle, and motorist safety?

Have cities relied too much on privatizing services once performed in-house with city employees? To the extent services are privatized, should they involve contractors who are local or at least in our region, versus sending our money to North Carolina, Fresno, and other places?

Thank You,

Care First South Pasadena

From: Lissa Reynolds <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2021 10:41 PM
To: City Manager's Office
Subject: Question for city manager Candidate

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My question:
How would you see the Arts aligning with the goals of the city?
Lissa Reynolds
Founder of South Pasadena Arts Council
Managing Director of Fremont Centre Theatre

Sent from my iPhone

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, April 28, 2021 8:29 AM
To: City Council Public Comment
Subject: FW: Please forward to City Council Meeting 4/28/2021

From: Ray Lue <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2021 7:24 PM
To: City Clerk's Division <CityClerk@southpasadenaca.gov>
Subject: Please forward to City Council Meeting 4/28/2021

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I am very concerned with the recent increase of crimes and burglaries in our area. Our Neighborhood Watch Group are very concerned and anxious to get your attention to resolve these issues.

Our major concerns are safety and wellbeing of everyone living in your District.

We would like to request if you could bring the following issues to be included in the agenda during your City Council meeting:

1. Upgrade the streetlights on Via Del Rey similar to those on Alpha Avenue or Camino Del Sol to make this major street well-lit and safe to reduce the crimes in this neighborhood.
2. Trim down more City tree branches under street lights allowing more brightness.
3. Continuation of new pavement on Via Del Rey as there are many potholes and uneven concrete blocks on the sidewalk to make it a safe place for driving, walking, and bicycling. The potholes and unevenness on the street have caused many falls for young as well as senior citizens.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kwok Lue
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Sally Lue
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From: laurie@[REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, April 28, 2021 4:13 PM
To: City Manager's Office
Subject: Question for Ms Chaparyan

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Thank you for taking the time to participate in this forum for the community.

The South Pasadena Chamber looks forward to working with you! As you know, businesses across the country have had an extremely rough year due to the pandemic. Most of the businesses in South Pasadena are small, independent “mom and pop” shops, who don’t have the backing of larger, corporate structures. Are there any specific ideas or ways the city could consider to assist our businesses as they begin the recovery process?

Warm Regards,

Laurie

Laurie Wheeler
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South Pasadena Chamber of Commerce
1121 Mission Street
South Pasadena, CA 91030

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