



**CITY OF COSTA MESA
CHARTER COMMITTEE MEETING
AGENDA
Wednesday November 13, 2013, 6:00 p.m.
CITY HALL
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
77 FAIR DRIVE, COSTA MESA**

FACILITATORS: Dr. Kirk Bauermeister, Dr. Mike Decker

CHARTER COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Ron Amburgey, Brett Eckles, William Fancher, Tom Graham, Gene Hutchins, Kerry McCarthy, Mary Ann O'Connell, Henry Panian, Tom Pollitt, Lee Ramos, Andrew Smith, Kevin Tobin, Harold Weitzberg

LEGAL COUNSEL: Kimberly Hall Barlow, Yolanda Summerhill

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Moment of Silence
4. Welcome
5. Public Comments: *Members of the public wishing to comment will be given two minutes to speak.*
6. [Review of Minutes – October 9, 2013 and October 23, 2013](#)
7. Meeting Summary
8. Charter Issue
 - A. Discussion on Committee Time Schedule
 - B. [Governance/Financial/Personnel:](#)
Compensation of Council Members and top management; Financial reserves/Balanced budget, Property tax equity; Staff flexibility, Union participation, and Pension increases.
 - C. Presentation by Hank Panian on Property Tax Inequity
 - D. [Communication received from Committee Members](#)
9. Information Requests/ Old Business
10. Agenda Building for December 11, 2013
11. Committee Member Comments: *Committee Members wishing to comment will be given one minute to speak.*
12. Adjournment to Wednesday, December 11, 2013, 6:00 p.m.

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