

**Eugene City Council**  
**Harris Hall, 125 East 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue**  
**Eugene, Oregon 97401**

**September 11, 2017**  
**7:30 p.m.**

**Councilors Present:** Emily Semple, Betty Taylor, Alan Zelenka, Jennifer Yeh, Greg Evans, Claire Syrett, Chris Pryor

**Councilors Absent:** Mike Clark

Mayor Vinis opened the September 11, 2017, meeting of the Eugene City Council.

**1. CEREMONIAL MATTERS**

Mayor Vinis made a statement and led a moment of silence in honor of the lives lost on September 11, 2001.

Mayor Vinis read the statement she released regarding Deferred Action Childhood Arrivals (DACA) recipients.

**3. PUBLIC FORUM**

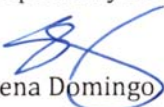
1. Pat Farr – Spoke about City/County cooperation around annexations in urban environments.
2. Duncan Rhodes – Was happy with Willamette Street striping; Sunday Streets successful.
3. Steve Shinn – Expressed concern about transients and urban camping; need more police.
4. Joe Tyndall – Spoke about 9/11, Bach Festival, and Police Commission.
5. Sarah Pishioneri – Asked council to put discriminatory dog ban policy to rest.
6. Otis Haschemeyer – Expressed disappointment with environmental implications of GO Bond.
7. Adam Hansman – Said sleeping and eating are human rights; everything else a luxury.
8. Joshua Skov – Reported that Better Eugene/Springfield working towards Vision Zero goal.
9. John Kline – Said City is losing more trees than are being replaced; make replanting a priority.
10. Rob Bennett – Conveyed Downtown Eugene Inc's position against Broadway Plaza renaming.
11. Jerry Garcia – Said ballot title for GO Bonds is deceptive title; not enough benefits to bicyclists.
12. Melissa Achten – Supported waiting to rename Broadway Plaza until master plan work is done.

Council Discussion

- GO Bonds will not increase tax rate - without them, streets will deteriorate and with them the safety of streets will be increased.

The meeting adjourned at 8:11 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Elena Domingo  
Deputy City Recorder