



## **CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL CALLED MEETING**

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The special called meeting of the City Council was held at 2:00 p.m. via Zoom communication, due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Mayor Johnson asked Alderman Palumbo to offer the invocation.

**MEMBERS:** Mayor Van R. Johnson, II, Presiding  
Alderman Keshia Gibson-Carter, Chairman of Council, Post 1, At-Large  
Alderman Alicia Miller Blakely, Post 2, At-Large  
Alderman Bernetta B. Lanier, District 1  
Alderman Detric Leggett, District 2  
Alderman Linda Wilder-Bryan, District 3  
Alderman Nick Palumbo, Vice-Chairman of Council, District 4  
Alderman Dr. Estella Edwards Shabazz, Mayor Pro-Tem, District 5  
Alderman Kurtis Purtee, District 6

**APPOINTED STAFF:**  
Acting City Manager Michael B. Brown  
City Attorney Bates Lovett  
Clerk of Council Mark Massey

**OTHER STAFF PRESENT:**  
Chief of Police Roy Minter  
Dr. Gerard Tate, End Gun Violence Director  
Joseph Shearouse, City Manager's Office  
Daphanie Williams, City Manager's Office

### **AGENDA ITEMS**

Immediately preceding the closed executive session, Mayor Johnson asked the Chief of Police to introduce the new End Gun Violence Director.

1. Closed Executive Session regarding Real Estate, and Litigation ~~and Personnel~~.

Mayor Pro-Tem Dr. Shabazz moved to close the special called meeting and conduct a closed executive session regarding real estate and litigation, seconded by Alderman Lanier and Alderman Wilder-Bryan. The motion passed unanimously.

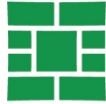
The executive session began at 2:06 p.m.

Mayor Pro-Tem Dr. Shabazz moved to close the executive session, seconded by Alderman Wilder-Bryan. The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Johnson adjourned the special called meeting at 4:58 p.m.

### **Written comment(s) received by 2/3/2021:**

- 2021-02-02 Queen E. Reeves – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Dr. Patricia M. Harris – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Mrs. Mable Hudson – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Reverend Dr. Betty M. Jones – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Rev. James C. Hudson, Sr. – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Mildred S. Calloway – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Dr. Gloria M. King and Dr. Clifford King – Fairgrounds RFP
- 2021-02-03 Joenelle and Charles Gordon – Fairgrounds RFP



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**Additional comment(s) received:**

- **2021-02-03 Anna C. Watson – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-03 Maggie F. Ellison – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-03 Isiah B. Ellison – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-03 Stephen Stanley and Joe Bush – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-03 Lynne Hill and Michael Hill – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-03 Dr. Virginia Morrison – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-03 Lewis Morrison – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Evelyn F. Brown – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Twenty-three (23) Letters submitted by RaMona Drayton-Jackson – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Brenda Dunham – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Dr. Sandra McCord Best – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Dr. Willis Blake – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Eddie Johnson – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Mary Johnson – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Jeanette F. McDuffie – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Fernando A. Foster – Fairgrounds RFP**
- **2021-02-04 Federico Foster – Fairgrounds RFP**

Mark Massey, Clerk of Council

Date Minutes Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Initials: \_\_\_\_\_