

City of Greensboro Meeting Minutes - DRAFT City Council Work Session

September 26, 2024, 2:00 p.m. Plaza Level Conference Room 300 West Washington Street Greensboro, NC

Present: Mayor Nancy Vaughan, Councilmember Marikay Abuzuaiter,

Councilmember Sharon Hightower, Councilmember Nancy Hoffmann,

Councilmember Hugh Holston, Councilmember Zack Matheny, Councilmember Tammi Thurm, and Councilmember Goldie Wells

Absent: Mayor Pro-Tem Yvonne Johnson

Also Present: Deputy City Manager Chris Wilson, City Attorney Chuck Watts, and Deputy

City Clerk Victoria Howell

A. Call To Order

These City Council minutes are a general account of the September 26, 2024 meeting. For full details of discussions, the meeting video can be located on the City of Greensboro website at https://www.greensboro-nc.gov/government/city-council/council-meetings.

This City Council work session of the City of Greensboro was called to order at 2:00 p.m. on the above date.

Mayor Vaughan confirmed Councilmembers were in attendance; and stated Mayor Pro-Tem Johnson would be absent.

B. Presentations

B.1 2024-680 Fire Department Service Capacity

Interim City Manager Chris Wilson introduced the item; and recognized staff for a presentation.

Greensboro Fire Department Chief Jim Robinson made a PowerPoint Presentation (PPP); spoke to fire service expansions; to current response gaps; to station locations; to incident density; provided incidents by year graph; highlighted the future Pomona Fire Station; spoke to state mandated periodic inspection completion; to fire and life safety inspections revenue; and to construction services.

Councilmember Wells entered the meeting at 2:06 p.m.

Discussion took place regarding location timelines; annexations; new firehouse locations; job creation; funding; station maintenance; and partnerships.

(A copy of the PowerPoint Presentation is filed in Exhibit Drawer G, No. 33, which is hereby referred to and made a part of these minutes.)

B.2 2024-679 Infrastructure Investments

Councilmember Matheny left the meeting at 2:40 p.m. and returned to the meeting at 2:41 p.m.

Budget and Evaluation Director Jon Decker introduced the item; spoke to project investments; and to Council District funding contract amounts.

Budget and Evaluation Budget & Management Analyst, Tracy Nash reviewed the Infrastructure Investment; and highlighted items specific to Council Districts.

Mayor Vaughan requested staff to create a category on the webpage for city wide projects.

Councilmember Hightower requested staff to provide the link and training on the infrastructure investment webpage; and the link and training with the Information Technology Dashboard.

Councilmember Abuzuaiter left the meeting at 3:04 p.m.

The City Council work session Adjourned at 3:09 p.m.

Discussion ensued regarding a quarterly project breakdown.

C. Adjournment

Nancy Vaughan, Mayor

Moved by Councilmember Holston, seconded by Councilmember Hightower, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried on by affirmation.

Victoria L. Howell, Deputy City Clerk