



City of Glenarden

“City on the Move”

Public Hearing Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 17, 2022

Meeting Purpose: Council Public Hearing		
Date: 01/17/2022	Time: 7:02PM	Room: In-Person
Meeting Chair: President Derek Curtis, II		Scribe: Acting Council Clerk – Robin Bailey-Walls

P= present; T = present via teleconference; A= absence

City Council		City Mayor	
P	Councilwoman Erika L. Fareed	Mayor Cashenna Cross	P
P	Councilwoman Kathleen J. Guillaume		
P	Councilman Maurice A. Hairston	City Administration	
P	Councilman James A. Herring	Acting City Manager/ Police Chief Regis Bryant	P
P	Councilwoman Robin Jones	Public Works Director Charles Simpson, Jr.	P
P	Council Vice President Angela D. Ferguson	Treasurer Dean Stewart	P
P	Council President Derek Curtis, II	HR Specialist Karen Shoultz	P
		Webmaster/Media Specialist Monay Ward	T
	City Council Staff		
P	Acting Council Clerk Robin Bailey-Walls	Michelle Cheeks – Police Dept. – Administrative Assistant	T
	Onsite	Onsite	
P	Mario Cross	Mr. Powell	P
P	Rick Gray (Cable Contractor)	Carolyn Smallwood	P
		Celeste Wilson	P
	Online	Online	
T	Armstrong	Karen M.	T
T	Mrs. Butler	Khyree	T
T	Gary Edmonds	Tanya	T
T	Laletia Gaither		T

- I. **Call to Order** – President Curtis called the meeting to order at 7:02PM
- II. **Invocation** – Vice President Ferguson
- III. **Roll Call** – Acting City Clerk
- IV. **Motion to Adopt Agenda**
 CM Herring Motioned to Accept the agenda; Seconded by CW Guillaume
VOTE:
 CW Fareed Yes
 CW Guillaume Yes
 CM Hairston Yes
 CM Herring Yes
 CW Jones Yes
 Vice President Ferguson Yes
 President Curtis Yes
VOTE Carries 7/0



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V. Citizen Comments on Pending Legislation:

- **O-03-2023 An Ordinance to Amend §149-22.1 Commercial Vehicle Parking Restrictions (Third Reading)**

CW Jones asked Chief Bryant if the police patrols can check the number of commercial vehicles parking on the streets.

Mrs. Wilson talked about two years’ worth of complaints about parking problems; she supports the Ordinance; she also voiced concern about the police vehicles being purchased

Chief Bryant responded they began are checking for commercial vehicles in the last two weeks.

- **O-05 An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 15, “Ethics”**
- **R-20-2023 A Resolution to Draft and Award a Contract to Thomas & Michael LLC**
- **R-21-2023 Resolution to Award a Contract to Municipal Grant Services for Grant Consulting And Project Management**
- **R-22-2023 A Resolution Authorizing the Purchase of a Ford Police Interceptor from New Holland Group**

Mrs. Smallwood commented that the protocol to purchase of police vehicle wasn’t followed; she asked why not; stated the Treasurer could be dismissed for this error; also stated she would report the Council President to Open Meetings Act because the agenda wasn’t posted on time, and she had to wait for thirty minutes for the meeting package to be brought outside to her.

- **R-23-2023 A Resolution Authorizing Purchase of Two Ford Police Utility Vehicles from New 13 Holland Auto Group**
- **R-24-2023 A Resolution to Increase the Salaries of the Gold Room Staff**

Mr. Powell asked why staff was getting raises in the Gold Room doesn’t make the city money.

President Curtis explained the increase in pay is minimum wage law requirement.

- **R-25-2023 A Resolution Authorizing a Contract with Global Public Safety, LLC for the Purchase of Outfitting for Three Police Vehicles**

V. Adjourn – President Curtis Motioned to go into Closed Session to Interview a Candidate for the Gold Room; Seconded by CW Jones

VOTE:

CW Fareed No and stated the Council are legislators; it is the responsibility of the City Manager to hire staff

CW Guillaume Yes

CM Hairston Yes

CM Herring Yes

CW Jones Yes

Vice President Ferguson Yes

President Curtis Yes

VOTE Carries 6/1

Meeting adjourned at 7:27 PM

Council Reserves the Right to Go in to Closed Session Anytime During a Public Meeting.

Please Note: Pursuant to the Annotated Code of Maryland, State Government Article Section 10-508(a), the Council by majority vote may retire to executive or closed session at any time during the meeting. Should the Council retire to executive or closed session the chair will announce the reasons and a report will be issued at a future meeting disclosing the reasons for such closed session.