

**FAYETTEVILLE CITY COUNCIL
DISCUSSION OF AGENDA ITEMS MEETING MINUTES
ST. AVOLD CONFERENCE ROOM, CITY HALL
SEPTEMBER 25, 2023
6:00 P.M.**

Present: Mayor Mitch Colvin

Council Members Katherine K. Jensen (District 1) (arrived at 6:07 p.m.); Shakeyla Ingram (District 2); Mario Benavente (District 3); D. J. Haire (District 4); Johnny Dawkins (District 5); Brenda McNair (District 7); Courtney Banks-McLaughlin (District 8); Deno Hondros (District 9)

Absent: Council Member Derrick Thompson (District 6)

Others Present: Douglas Hewett, City Manager
Lachelle Pulliam, Interim City Attorney
Adam Lindsay, Assistant City Manager
Kelly Olivera, Assistant City Manager
Jodi Phelps, Chief of Staff
Sheila Thomas-Ambat, Public Services Director
Gerald Newton, Development Services Director
Kemberle Braden, Police Chief
Kimberly Leonard, Budget and Evaluation Director
Lisa Harper, Senior Assistant City Attorney
Pamela Megill, City Clerk

Mayor Colvin called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Ms. Kelly Olivera, Assistant City Manager, stated there is an additional item that needs to be added to the consent agenda: Receive corrected information and uphold the Adoption of Budget Ordinance Amendment 2024-1 Previously adopted by Council on September 11, 2023. The information presented to Council for the adoption of BOA 2024-1 was misaligned to the intended use of the funding allocation.

Discussion ensued.

Council Member Benevente requested Item 9.03, Administrative Report - Traffic Calming Measures, be forwarded to a work session.

Council Member Haire requested Item 9.02, Administrative Report - Reducing Compliance Times, be forwarded to a work session.

Council Member Ingram requested Item 9.01, Administrative Report - Unaccompanied Minors in City Facilities, be forwarded to a work session.

Mayor Colvin stated he will be asking for votes for each of the four candidates for Item 8.01, Appointment of a Public Works Commissioner, and will do so in alphabetical order.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m.