

**FAYETTEVILLE CITY COUNCIL**  
**DISCUSSION OF AGENDA ITEMS MEETING MINUTES**  
**ST. AVOLD CONFERENCE ROOM, CITY HALL**  
**January 13, 2025**  
**5:30 P.M.**

Present: Mayor Mitch Colvin

Council Members Katherine K. Jensen (District 1); Malik Davis (District 2); Mario Benavente (District 3); Lynne Greene (District 5); Derrick Thompson (District 6); Brenda McNair (District 7); Courtney Banks-McLaughlin (District 8) (arrived 5:57 p.m.); Deno Hondros (District 9)

Absent: D. J. Haire (District 4)

Others Present: Douglas Hewett, City Manager  
Lachelle Pulliam, City Attorney  
Adam Lindsay, Assistant City Manager  
Kelly Olivera, Assistant City Manager  
Jeffery Yates, Assistant City Manager  
Jodi Phelps, Assistant City Manager  
Loren Bymer, Marketing & Communications Director  
Jerry Clipp, Human Resources Development Director  
Todd Major, Assistant Police Chief  
Pamela Megill, City Clerk

Mayor Colvin called the meeting to order at 5:38 p.m.

Mayor Colvin asked the Council to review the regular agenda for the January 13, 2025, meeting.

Council Member Hondros stated he intends to pull Item 8.0A4 - Ghost Gun Regulation Resolution, for presentation and separate vote.

Council Member Thompson asked for an overview of Item 8.0A7 - National Sexual Assault Kit Initiative (SAKI) Program Award. Assistant Police Chief, Todd Joyce, provided an overview of this item.

Mayor Colvin asked Ms. Lexi Hasapis, PWC, to provide an overview of Item 11.02 - Public Hearing, Phase 5 Annexation Utility Improvement Project Area 32 East Section I Public Hearing on the Preliminary Assessment Roll.

Mr. Jerry Clipp, Human Resources Development Director provided an overview of the search process for a new Police Chief, as the current Police Chief, Mr. Kemberle Braden, is retiring at the end of March 2025.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:19 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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PAMELA J. MEGILL  
City Clerk  
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Mayor

