



Richmond City Council

900 East Broad Street
Richmond, VA 23219
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Special Meeting Minutes

Monday, August 25, 2025

12:00 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall

Council Members Present

The Honorable Cynthia Newbille, President
The Honorable Katherine Jordan, Vice President
The Honorable Andrew Breton
The Honorable Nicole Jones
The Honorable Ellen Robertson
The Honorable Reva Trammell

Absent

The Honorable Sarah Abubaker
The Honorable Kenya Gibson
The Honorable Stephanie Lynch

Call to Order

Council President Cynthia Newbille called the meeting to order at 12:00 p.m. and presided.

Chamber Emergency Evacuation Plan Announcement

Upon the President's request, Assistant City Clerk Nahdiah Muhammad provided information on the appropriate way to evacuate the Council Chamber in an emergency.

Introduction of Legislation

[CD.2025.257](#) August 25, 2025 Introduction Papers List

Attachments: [20250825 Special Meeting Introduction List](#)

City Council will hold a public hearing on the following ordinance on Monday, September 8, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.:

1. [ORD. 2025-188](#) To amend Ord. No. 2025-057, adopted May 12, 2025, which adopted the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Special Fund Budget and made appropriations thereto, by transferring \$5,800,000.00 from the “Delinquent Tax Sales” special fund, and to amend Ord. No. 2025-057, adopted May 12, 2025, which adopted the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 General Fund Budget, by (i) creating a new line item in the Outside Agencies and Central Appropriations agency called “Restitution Payments,” and (ii) appropriating such transferred funds to such new line item in the Outside Agencies and Central Appropriations agency for the purpose of providing funding for a restitution payment pursuant to Va. Code § 8.01-195.13.

Patrons: Mayor Avula

Attachments: [Ord. No. 2025-188](#)

This ordinance was introduced and referred to the Organizational Development Standing Committee meeting on Tuesday, September 2, 2025, at 4:00 p.m.

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Council, the meeting adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

CITY CLERK