



City of Richmond

Special Meeting Minutes

900 East Broad Street
Richmond, VA 23219
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Monday, June 7, 2021

5:00 PM

Council Chamber, 2nd Floor - City Hall
Virtual Meeting

Councilmembers Present

The Honorable Cynthia Newbille, President
The Honorable Ellen Robertson, Vice President
The Honorable Andreas Addison
The Honorable Michael Jones
The Honorable Katherine Jordan
The Honorable Ann-Frances Lambert
The Honorable Kristen Larson (late arrival)
The Honorable Stephanie Lynch (late arrival)
The Honorable Reva Trammell

Council President Cynthia Newbille called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m., and presided.

ELECTRONIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

City Clerk Candice Reid, in accordance with Ordinance No. 2020-093, adopted April 9, 2020, as most recently amended by Ordinance No. 2020-232, adopted December 14, 2020, announced the meeting would be held through electronic communication means. City Clerk Reid stated notice of the meeting was provided to the public through a public information advisory issued on May 25, 2021, and through Legistar on the city website in accordance with usual practice. She also stated members of the public were encouraged to provide comments in writing prior to the meeting and all comments received prior to 10:00 a.m., on Monday, June 7, 2021, were provided to Council members. Ms. Reid indicated that members of the public who signed up to speak and provide comment would be called to speak at the appropriate time.

Councilor Kristen Larson joined the meeting at 5:07 p.m.

Councilor Stephanie Lynch joined the meeting at 5:07 p.m.

CITIZEN SPEAKER GUIDELINES

Upon the President's request, Deputy City Clerk RJ Warren provided citizen speaker guidelines.

MOTION TO AMEND AND CONTINUE

Councilor Michael Jones moved that the ordinance entitled:

ORD. 2021-115

To conditionally rezone the properties known as 2 Manchester Road and 4 Manchester Road from the RF-1 Riverfront District to the B-4 Central Business District (Conditional), upon certain terms and conditions.

be amended and continued to Monday, June 14, 2021, as follows:

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After the period following the text "Ordinance No", strike the text "2021-____" and insert the ordinance number "2021-115"

After the word "and", strike the word "undated" and insert the text "dated June 2, 2021"

The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

PAPER FOR CONSIDERATION

The following ordinance was considered:

ORD. 2021-139

To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for an on behalf of the City of Richmond, to accept funds in the amount of \$2,097,416.68 from the School Board of the City of Richmond and to appropriate the funds received to the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 General Fund Budget by increasing estimated revenues and the amount appropriated to the Office of the Deputy Chief Administrative Officer for Human Services by \$2,097,416.68 for the purpose of funding payments to providers of emergency childcare and virtual learning support through the end of the 2020-2021 school year and reimbursing the City for payments made by the City in Feb., 2021, to four providers of emergency childcare and virtual learning support.

Eva Colen, Mayor's Office Senior Policy Advisory and Manager, Office of Children and Families, provided an introduction and additional background information regarding ORD. 2021-139.

Councilor Kristen Larson stated her concerns with the city delaying initial payment to providers. Councilor Larson also stated that moving forward, the city should not require that providers wait on delayed payments and instead address the issue of payment earlier.

There were no further comments or discussions and **ORD. 2021-139 was adopted:** Ayes 8, Addison, Jordan, Lambert, Larson, Trammell, Jones, Robertson, Newbille. Noes None. Lynch was excused.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Council, the meeting adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

CITY CLERK