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FAYETTEVILLE CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
LAFAYETTE CONFERENCE ROOM, CITY HALL
433 HAY STREET, FAYETTEVILLE, NC
APRIL 26, 2024
12:00 P.M.

Present: Mayor Mitch Colvin

Council Members Katherine K. Jensen (District 1); Malik Davis (District 2); Mario Benavente (District 3); D. J. Haire (District 4); Lynne Greene (District 5); Derrick Thompson (District 6) (via zoom); Brenda McNair (District 7) (via zoom); Courtney Banks-McLaughlin (District 8) (via zoom); Deno Hondros (District 9)

Others Present: Douglas Hewett, City Manager
Lachelle Pulliam, City Attorney
Adam Lindsay, Assistant City Manager
Jeffrey Yates, Assistant City Manager
Jodi Phelps, Assistant City Manager
Kevin Dove, Fire Chief
Loren Bymer, Marketing & Communications Director
Gerald Tate, Executive Director, NC Office of Violence Prevention (via zoom)
Pamela Megill, City Clerk
Members of the Press

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Colvin called the meeting to order.

2.0 APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

MOTION: Council Member Hondros moved to approve the agenda.

SECOND: Council Member Benavente

VOTE: UNANIMOUS (9-0)

3.0 ITEMS OF BUSINESS

Mr. Jeffrey Yates, Assistant City Manager, provided an overview of the hiring process for the Office of Community Safety Director position. Mr. Yates stated staff narrowed the list of applicants down to 15 and hopes to have an applicant selected and in place by the end of June.

Discussion ensued pertaining to hosting the Public Safety Summit to take place on April 30, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. at Fayetteville State University. The summit has guest presenters from various agencies: City, County, Schools, Health Providers, Non-Profits, Mental Health, Homelessness, and Substance Abuse Professionals.

Staff provided a presentation on the Office of Community Safety - Implementation and Analysis.

Discussion ensued.

4.0 ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:22 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

PAMELA J. MEGILL
City Clerk
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