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FAYETTEVILLE CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
LAFAYETTE CONFERENCE ROOM, CITY HALL
JUNE 1, 2023
5:00 P.M.

Present: Mayor Mitch Colvin

Council Members Katherine K. Jensen (District 1) (arrived at 5:06 p.m.); Shakeyla Ingram (District 2); Mario Benavente (District 3); D. J. Haire (District 4); Johnny Dawkins (District 5) (via zoom); Derrick Thompson (District 6) (via zoom); Brenda McNair (District 7); Courtney Banks-McLaughlin (District 8) (arrived at 5:07 p.m.); Deno Hondros (District 9) (departed at 6:45 p.m.)

Others Present: Douglas Hewett, City Manager
Adam Lindsay, Assistant City Manager
Jeff Yates, Assistant City Manager
Jodi Phelps, Chief of Staff
Kemberle Braden, Police Chief
Mike Hill, Fire Chief
Kimberly Leonard, Budget and Evaluation Director
Loren Bymer, Marketing/Communication Director
Lachelle Pulliam, Assistant City Attorney
Paul Allen, Assistant City Attorney
Lisa Harper, Senior Assistant City Attorney
Jerry Clipp, Human Resource Development Director
Michael Gibson, Parks, Recreation, and Maintenance Director
Tyffany Neal, Transit Director
Sheila Thomas-Ambat, Public Services Director
Dwayne Campbell, Chief Information Officer
Pamela Megill, City Clerk
Members of the Press

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Colvin called the meeting to order.

2.0 INVOCATION

The invocation was offered by Council Member Haire.

3.0 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag was led by Mayor and City Council.

4.0 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Council Member Ingram moved to approve the agenda.

SECOND: Council Member Benavente

VOTE: UNANIMOUS (8-0)

5.0 ITEMS OF BUSINESS

5.1 Presentation of the Recommended Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Annual Operating Budget and Setting of the Budget Public Hearing

Mr. Douglas Hewett, City Manager, presented the recommended Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Annual Operating Budget. Mr. Hewett provided an overview of Budget Highlights, General Fund Revenues, Sales Tax Net Revenue, Property Tax Recommendation, General Fund Budgetary Expenditure Drives, General Fund Operating, Environmental Services Fund, Stormwater Utility Fund, Transit Operating Fund, Other Funds, Opportunities and the Budget Calendar.

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Discussion ensued.

Mr. Douglas Hewett, City Manager, stated staff will revise the June 5, 2023, City Council work session agenda to add an item to discuss the FY 2023-24 Budget and answer questions that have been put forth this evening.

MOTION: Council Member Benavente moved to set the public hearing for June 12, 2023, to receive comments on the recommended budget.

SECOND: Council Member Jensen

VOTE: UNANIMOUS (10-0)

6.0 ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

PAMELA J. MEGILL
City Clerk
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Mayor