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**FAYETTEVILLE CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
J.W. SEABROOK AUDITORIUM
FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY
1200 MURCHISON ROAD
DECEMBER 2, 2019
6:00 P.M.**

Present: Mayor Mitch Colvin

Council Members Katherine K. Jensen (District 1); Shakeyla Ingram (District 2); Tisha S. Waddell (District 3); D. J. Haire (District 4); Johnny Dawkins (District 5); Chris Davis (District 6); Larry Wright, Sr. (District 7); Courtney Banks-McLaughlin (District 8); Yvonne Kinston (District 9)

Others Present: Douglas Hewett, City Manager
Karen McDonald, City Attorney
Kristoff Bauer, Deputy City Manager
Angel Wright-Lanier, Assistant City Manager
Telly Whitfield, Assistant City Manager
Gina Hawkins, Police Chief
Dwayne Campbell, Chief Information Officer
Gerald Newton, Development Services Director
Michael Gibson, Fayetteville-Cumberland Parks and Recreation Director
Tracey Broyles, Budget and Evaluation Director
Elizabeth Somerindyke, Internal Audit Director
Barbara Hill, Human Resources Development Director
Pamela Megill, City Clerk
Jennifer Ayre, Senior Administrative Assistant
Members of the Press

1.0 Welcome

Mr. John Malzone, Master of Ceremonies, welcomed those in attendance.

2.0 Posting of the Colors

Police and Fire Departments Honor Guard Team performed the Posting of the Colors followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

3.0 Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag was recited by those in attendance.

4.0 National Anthem

Ms. Victoria Huggins sang the National Anthem.

5.0 Invocation

The invocation was offered by Mr. Chris Davis, Council Member-Elect.

6.0 Administration of Oaths of Office

Mr. Mitch Colvin was sworn in by The Honorable Stephen Benjamin, Mayor, Columbia, South Carolina.

Ms. Kathy Jensen, District 1, was sworn in by The Honorable Claire Hill, Superior Court Judge.

Ms. Shakeyla Ingram, District 2, was sworn in by The Honorable Stephen Stokes, District Court Judge.

Ms. Tisha S. Waddell, District 3, was sworn in by Ms. Adriane Patton, North Carolina Notary Public.

Mr. D. J. Haire, District 4, was sworn in by Mrs. Sandra Jones Morrissey, North Carolina Notary Public.

Mr. Johnny Dawkins, District 5, was sworn in by The Honorable Stephen Stokes, District Court Judge.

Mr. Chris Davis, District 6, was sworn in by The Honorable Stephen Stokes, District Court Judge.

Mr. Larry Wright, Sr., District 7, was sworn in by The Honorable Stephen Stokes, District Court Judge.

Ms. Courtney Banks-McLaughlin, District 8, was sworn in by Mayor Mitch Colvin.

Ms. Yvonne Kinston, District 9, was sworn in by The Honorable Cheri-Siler-Mack, District Court Judge.

7.0 Call to Order

Mayor Colvin called the meeting to order and thanked all present for their attendance.

8.0 Election of Mayor Pro Tem

Mayor Colvin called for nominations for the position of Mayor Pro Tempore.

MOTION: Council Member Waddell moved to nominate Council Member Jensen for the position of Mayor Pro Tempore.

SECOND: Council Member Haire

VOTE: UNANIMOUS (10-0)

9.0 Opening Address

Mayor Colvin provided the opening address.

10.0 Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

11.0 Retire the Colors

The Fayetteville Police and Fire Departments Honor Guard Team retired the colors.

Respectfully submitted,

PAMELA J. MEGILL
City Clerk

MITCH COLVIN
Mayor