

MINUTES OF
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
CITY HALL - ZOOM
APRIL 15, 2021 – 6:00 P.M.

PRESENT	MAYOR	TODD M. HARRELSON
	COUNCIL	LEWIS C. HARDEE, JR. CARROLL D. PADGETT, JR. MICHAEL E. SUGGS JOAN GAUSE

ABSENT	TERRENCE T. HARDEE JAN P. VESCOVI
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CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Todd Harrelson.

INVOCATION:

The invocation was given by Mayor Todd Harrelson.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Todd Harrelson.

ROLL CALL:

The roll was called by Interim City Clerk Todd K. Massey II

Councilman Terrence T. Hardee arrived at 6:06pm.

FOIA:

Notice of the meeting with an agenda was publicly posted, published, and forwarded to the media no less than 24 hours prior to commencement.

Keith Massey II

Interim Clerk Keith Massey II spoke of how the agenda of the council meetings are posted to the city's social media outlets for public and media review. Interim Clerk Massey spoke about how well Microsoft has everything backed up even if someone deletes something, he as administrator can go into the system and retrieve it.

Mayor Todd Harrelson asked for a motion to go into executive secession to discuss recent employee resignations, and personnel matters. Motion to enter executive session was made by Councilman Lewis C. Hardee, Jr. Seconded by Councilwoman Joan S. Gause. All voted favorably.

Motion to come out of executive session was made by Councilman Caroll D. Padgett, Jr. made a motion to authorize the appointment of the Interim City Clerk and Interim Treasurer. Interim City Clerk to be appointed will be Todd Keith Massey II and Interim City Treasurer to be appointed will be Jenna Santiago. A second was made by Councilman Lewis C. Hardee, Jr. All voted favorably.

Councilman Caroll D. Padgett, Jr. Made a motion that we advertise for a Recreation Director, Water Clerk, and a Public Works Department Head for the City. Councilman Padgett reminded everyone that even though they council passed a Resolution for a hiring freeze these were not new positions. We are going to fill the positions we currently have vacant. The hiring freeze is still in place until further notice. All voted favorably.

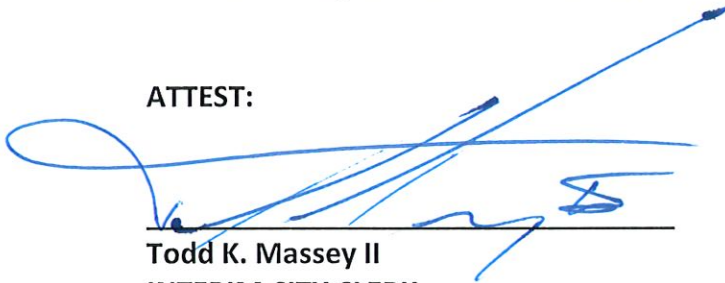
PUBLIC AND PRESS COMMENTS:

Mrs. Jen Causey Boyd, writer with the Tabor-Loris Tribune asked who the new Interim Treasurer and Interim Clerk would be. Jenna Santiago replied that Keith Massey II would be the Interim Clerk and she would be in the Interim Treasurer.

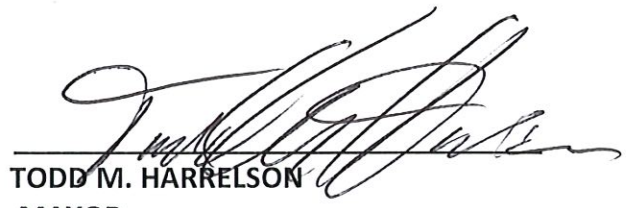
ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor Harrelson asked if he could get a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made to adjourn by Councilman Lewis C. Hardee, Jr. Seconded by Councilwoman Joan S. Gause. All voted favorably. No further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:26 pm.

ATTEST:

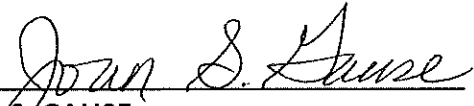


Todd K. Massey II
INTERIM CITY CLERK




TODD M. HARRELSON
MAYOR

LORIS COUNCIL MEMBERS



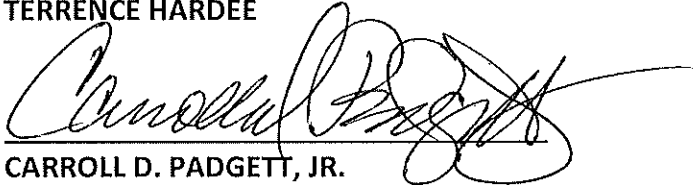
JOAN S. GAUSE



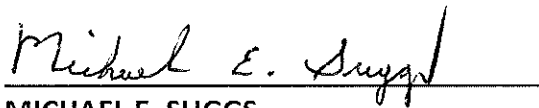
LEWIS C. HARDEE JR.

Absent

TERRENCE HARDEE



CARROLL D. PADGETT, JR.



MICHAEL E. SUGGS

Absent

JAN P. VESCOVI