

**HIGH POINT CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING
MARCH 25, 2021 – 4:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

MINUTES

As part of the City of High Point's on-going COVID-19 mitigation efforts, in-person attendance was not allowed at this meeting. Instead, the meeting was live-streamed and the public was provided a link to listen to the meeting as it was being live-streamed.

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CALL TO ORDER and ROLL CALL

Mayor Wagner called the meeting to order at 4:02 p.m.

He then called the roll for attendance. The following council members were **present (9)**:

Mayor Jay W. Wagner (physically present)
Mayor Pro Tem Britt W. Moore- At Large (physically present)
Council Member Tyrone Johnson- At Large (physically present)
Council Member Cyril Jefferson- Ward 1 (physically present) [joined the meeting at 3:42 p.m.]
Council Member Christopher Williams- Ward 2 (physically present)
Council Member Monica L. Peters- Ward 3 (physically present)
Council Member S. Wesley Hudson- Ward 4 (physically present)
Council Member Victor Jones- Ward 5 (physically present)
Council Member Michael Holmes- Ward 6 (remote participation)

The following council members were absent (2):

Council Member Cyril Jefferson- Ward 1
Council Member Christopher Williams- Ward 2

The following staff members were physically present:

Randy McCaslin, Interim City Manager; Eric Olmedo, Assistant City Manager; JoAnne Carlyle, City Attorney; and Lisa Vierling, City Clerk

Staff participating remotely:

Meghan Maguire, Assistant City Attorney

Others present:

Bruce Ashley- Fox Rothschild (outside legal counsel for Seaboard Chemical litigation)

PRESENTATION OF ITEMS

2021-109 Closed Session (Attorney-Client Privilege)

Council is requested to go into Closed Session pursuant to N.C. General Statute 143-318.11(a)(3) to preserve the attorney-client privilege.

A motion was made by Mayor Pro Tem Moore at 4:03 p.m., seconded by Council Member Hudson, to go into closed session pursuant to N.C. General Statute 143-318.11(a)(4) for attorney-client privilege. Following a roll call vote by the Mayor, the motion to go into closed session carried by the following unanimous 7-0 vote.

Aye (7): Mayor Wagner, Mayor Pro Tem Moore, Council Member Johnson, Council Member Peters, Council Member Hudson, Council Member Jones, and Council Member Holmes

Absent (2): Council Member Jefferson, and Council Member Williams

Upon reconvening into Open Session at 4:32 p.m., Mayor Wagner announced there would be no action taken as a result of the closed session.

ADJOURNMENT

There being nothing further to discuss, no objections were voiced to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 4:33 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jay W. Wagner, Mayor

Attest:

Lisa B. Vierling, City Clerk