



CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

Thursday, April 1, 2021
Pre-Council Meeting - 6:15 PM
Council Meeting - 6:30 PM
CENTER POINT CITY HALL

MINUTES

A. Call to Order

B. Invocation

B.1. Councilwoman Tiffany Moore will present the invocation.

C. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

D. Roll Call

E. Approval of Agenda

Council President D.M. Collins presented the agenda for consideration. President Pro Tempore Moore made a motion to adopt the agenda. Councilwoman Jones seconded the motion. Upon voice vote, the agenda passed unanimously.

F. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting

F.1. March 18, 2021, Pre & Regular Meeting Minutes
March 26, 2021, Special Call Meeting

Councilwoman Jones made a motion to adopt March 18, 2021, Pre & Regular Minutes and March 26, 2021, Special Call Meeting Minutes. President Pro Tempore Moore seconded the motion.

All items designated as "Consent" are routine and non-controversial and will be approved by one motion. NO separate discussion of these items will be permitted unless a Councilmember, the Mayor, or citizen interested in further discussion or hearing so requests, if so, such item (s) will revert to its normal place on the Agenda Order of Business.

Yes: Councilwoman Jones, Councilwoman Copeland, Councilman Williams, Sr, Council President Collins, President Pro Tempore Moore. Motion passed unanimously.

No: None

G. Consent Agenda

Councilwoman Copeland made a motion for unanimous consent to consider the Consent Agenda. Councilwoman Jones seconded the motion.

Yes: Councilwoman Jones, Councilwoman Copeland, Councilman Williams, Sr, Council President Collins, President Pro Tempore Moore. Motion passed unanimously.

No: None

Councilwoman Copeland made a motion to adopt the Consent Agenda. Councilwoman Jones seconded the motion.

Yes: Councilwoman Jones, Councilwoman Copeland, Councilman Williams, Sr, Council President Collins, President Pro Tempore Moore. Motion passed unanimously.

No: None

G.1. Julian Hendrix, City Attorney, Contract

G.2. Resolution No. 2021-12 New Inspection Forms

H. Public Comment

1. Elvin Skipper, 1717 2nd Street NE, expressed concerns about utility companies making holes in the streets and halfway patching them up. He also questioned if the city provides street lights in the neighborhoods or if the residents have to pay for them. President Collins stated the city provides street lights at intersections. There is a timing issue with the traffic signal at 16th Avenue NE. Mayor Scott will relay it to Public Works to notify the State so they can repair it.

2. Rae Coates, Civitan Club Secretary, invited the Mayor & Council to the Civitan Club Awareness Brunch held April 17th at 11:00 am.

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3. Gene Coleman, Fire Chief, provided a monthly status report of fire and medical incidents.

I. Presentation

J. Discussion/Action

J.1. ALM Voting Delegate

President Pro Tempore Moore made a motion to appoint President Collins & Councilor Copeland as voting delegates for ALM. Councilwoman Jones seconded the motion.

Yes: Councilwoman Jones, Councilwoman Copeland, Councilman Williams, Sr, Council President Collins, President Pro Tempore Moore. Motion passed unanimously.

No: None

J.2. LRY Marketing

Councilwoman Copeland made a motion to accept Strategy Development & Media Plan for \$7,500. Councilwoman Jones seconded the motion.

Yes: Councilwoman Jones, Councilwoman Copeland, Councilman Williams, Sr, Council President Collins, President Pro Tempore Moore. Motion passed unanimously.

No: None

K. Reports- Mayor & Committee Chairs

Mayor- April 22, 2021, is the annual Tree Planting Dedication, this year it will be in the honor of Ms. Kinner who passed this year. Thank you to Carlos Chaverest and everyone who donated and participated in the Annual Easter Egg Hunt at the Community Center.

K.1. Economic Development- President D.M. Collins

I am still accepting applications for the Economic Development Committee. If you are interested please contact me at councilplace1@centerpointal.org. The city has a new website www.cityofcenterpoint.org. Residents are encouraged to sign up for alerts to receive important information from the city pertaining to city events, inclement weather and etc. Also, we added a new feature call Citizens

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Request Tracker. Citizens are able to submit their complaints or request through this platform without having to call city hall.

K.2. Park & Recreation- Councilman Glenn Williams, Sr.

K.3. Public Safety- Councilwoman Tiffany Moore

I hosted a Neighborhood Watch Meeting on March 31, 2021. The goal is to establish Neighborhood Watch Programs in all neighborhoods. If you are interested, email Tiffanymoore@centerpointal.org.

K.4. Education & Library- Councilwoman Sharon Jones

The Jefferson County Personnel Board is accepting applications for internships from high school students. Students should take advantage of this opportunity. All interested parties should contact Sharon Jones at sharonjones@centerpointal.org or Ebonee Copeland at eboneecopeland@centerpointal.org

K.5. Finance Report-Councilwoman Ebonee Copeland, Chair

L. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting stood adjourned.

Tameeka Vann, City Clerk

Approved:

D.M. Collins, President

Date:

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