



Prince George's County Council

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Meeting Minutes - Final County Council

Edward P. Burroughs III, Chair, District 8

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Wala Blegay, District 6

Thomas E. Dernoga, District 1

Wanika Fisher, District 2

Sydney J. Harrison, District 9

Calvin S. Hawkins, II, At-Large

Jolene Ivey, At-Large

Eric C. Olson, District 3

Ingrid S. Watson, District 4

Vacant - District 5 (effective: 12/05/2024)

Jennifer A. Jenkins, Council Administrator

Thursday, May 29, 2025

11:00 AM

Council Hearing Room

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11:00 A.M. - CALL TO ORDER - (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

This meeting was called to order by Chair Edward P. Burroughs, III at 1:17 p.m. with 9 members present at roll call. Council Member Hawkins arrived at 1:21 p.m. (Vacant - District 5 (effective: 12/05/2024)).

Present: 10 - Council Member Wala Blegay
Council Member Thomas Dernoga
Council Member Wanika Fisher
Council Member Sydney Harrison
Council Member Calvin S. Hawkins
Council Member Eric Olson
Council Member Ingrid Watson
Member Jolene Ivey
Chair Edward Burroughs
Vice Chair Krystal Oriadha

Also present:

Colette Gresham, Deputy Council Administrator

Karen Zavakos, Associate Council Administrator

Donna Brown, Clerk of the Council

Leonard Moses, Deputy Clerk of the Council

Edgar L. Reese, III, Legislative Reference Aide

Natasha Avery, Legislative Reference Aide

Sakinda Skinner, Council Liaison, Office of the County Executive

Joseph Ruddy, Deputy County Attorney, Office of Law

Leroy Maddox, Jr., Legislative Attorney

Stanley Earley, Director, Office of Management and Budget

INVOCATION:

The Invocation was provided by Tyrone Collington, Sr., Chair of the Deacons, Hillcrest Baptist Church. Council Member Blegay requested prayer for her friend, Guhle Schultz, and her family as they mourn the loss of her husband. Council Member Olson requested prayer for the family of former Landover Hills Council Member Jeannie Ripley in light of her recent passing. Council Member Olson also requested continued prayer for Kilmar Abrego Garcia and his family as they await his safe return from his illegal detainment in El Salvador. Council Member Watson requested prayer for the safety of all students in Prince George's County Public Schools, especially those at Bowie High School in light of the recent stabbing on campus. Council Member Fisher requested prayer for the birthday of her friend and the Chair of the Maryland Black Caucus, Jheanelle Wilkins. Council Member Hawkins requested prayer for the former majority leader of the Maryland General Assembly, Talmadge Branch, and his family as they mourn the passing of his father.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Member Fisher.

REQUESTS BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

There were no requests to address the Council.

DESIGNATION OF MAY 29, 2025 AS LEGISLATIVE DAY NO. 14

1. ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BUDGETS

[CR-061-2025](#)

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2026 OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGETS OF THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION AND THE RECOMMENDATION OF WATER AND SEWER RATES AND AD VALOREM TAX LEVIES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026 for the purpose of adopting the Fiscal Year 2026 Operating and Capital Budgets of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission and the recommended Water and Sewer Rates and Ad Valorem Tax Levies for Fiscal Year 2026.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Watson and Hawkins

Attachment(s): [CR-061-2025 - signed R2025061](#)
[CR-061-2025 Appendix C](#)
[CR-061-2025 Appendix D-F](#)
[CR-061-2025 Summary](#)

Section 17-202 of the Public Utilities Article, of the Annotated Code of Maryland, requires the joint WSSC operating and capital budgets. This resolution recommends that WSSC adopt an 9.5% combined rate increase in fixed fees and water and sewer rates. The joint approval of both Councils is required to increase operating expenditures above the amount approved for Fiscal Year 2026. Any changes to the Operating or Capital Budget categories that exceed the approved categories by 5% or greater require prior Council approval. For changes below the 5% limit, the Commission may authorize the transfer of funds between categories.

FY2026 Water and Sewer Operating Budget - \$1,130,501,300

FY2026 General Bond Debt Service - \$2,595,900

TOTAL FY2026 Operating Budget - \$ 1,133,097,200

FY2026 Capital Budget - \$ 696,815,600

TOTAL FY2026 Operating and Capital Budget - \$1,829,912,800

Combined Volumetric/ Fixed Fee Rate Increase - 9.5%

Water and Sewer Rate Schedule (eff.: July 1, 2025. See Appendix C)

Account Maintenance Fee - (Fee varies by meter size. See Appendix D)

Infrastructure Investment Fee - (Fee varies by meter size. See Appendix E)

SDC Fee - \$208 per fixture

Water Production - 162.0 million gallons per day

Authorized Work-Years - 2,040

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Watson and Hawkins.

A motion was made by Council Member Olson, seconded by Council Member Hawkins, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	8 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey and Burroughs
Absent		Oriadha
Abstain	1 -	Harrison

ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BUDGETS (Continued)**[CR-062-2025](#)**

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION FISCAL YEARS 2026-2031 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROGRAM AND FISCAL YEAR 2026 CAPITAL BUDGET FOR PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY FOR WATER AND SEWERAGE for the purpose of adopting with amendments the WSSC Fiscal Years 2026-2031 Capital Improvements Program and Fiscal Year 2026 Capital Budget for Water and Sewerage.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Blegay, Fisher, Hawkins and Watson

Attachment(s): [CR-062-2025 - signed R2025062](#)
[CR-062-2025 Appendices A and B](#)
[CR-062-2025 Summary](#)

The WSSC Fiscal Years 2026-2031 Capital Improvements Program contains projects totaling \$4.9 billion. The Fiscal Year 2026 Capital Budget totals \$696.8 million.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Blegay, Fisher, Hawkins and Watson.

A motion was made by Council Member Olson, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	9 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	1 -	Harrison

[CR-063-2025](#)

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2026 WASHINGTON SUBURBAN TRANSIT COMMISSION BUDGET AND TAX RATES for the purpose of approving the Washington Suburban Transit Commission's administration of the County's Fiscal Year 2026 Mass Transit Plan; approving the levy of property tax rates necessary to support the expenses and obligations of the Commission including County mass transit operations; and approving the Commission's administrative budget.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Watson, Olson, Dernoga, Hawkins and Fisher

Attachment(s): [CR-063-2025 - signed](#)
[R2025063](#)
[CR-063-2025 Summary](#)

This resolution provides for certifying the dedicated property tax rates for transit activities by the Washington Suburban Transit Commission (“WSTC”), approving the levy of property tax rates necessary to support the expenses and obligations of the Commission, approving the budget for the County's Mass Transit Plan, and formally approving the WSTC's administrative budget, as approved in the Prince George's - Montgomery Bi-County Council meeting of May 8, 2025.

The tax levy of two and six-tenths cents (\$0.026) per \$100 of assessed valuation of real property and six- and one-half cents (\$0.065) per \$100 of assessed valuation of personal property and operating real property is the County's share of the total WSTC budget of \$413,358,966. The County's share of the Approved FY 26 WSTC Administrative Budget is \$145,345.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Watson, Olson, Dernoga, Hawkins and Fisher

A motion was made by Council Member Olson, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	9 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	1 -	Harrison

ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BUDGETS (Continued)[CR-064-2025](#)

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE REVENUE AUTHORITY OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY FISCAL YEAR 2026 OPERATING BUDGET AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM for the purpose of approving the Capital Improvement Program of the Revenue Authority of Prince George's County for Fiscal Years 2026-2031, prepared pursuant to the authority contained in Subtitle 21A of the Prince George's County Code and providing comments on the proposed Operating Budget of the Authority for Fiscal Year 2026.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs and Blegay

Attachment(s): [CR-064-2025 - signed R2025064](#)
[CR-064-2025 Attachment 1 \(DR-2\)](#)
[CR-064-2025 Attachment 2 \(DR-2\)](#)
[CR-064-2025 Summary](#)

A motion was made by Chair Burroughs, seconded by Vice Chair Oriadha, that this Resolution be amended. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	8 - Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	2 - Harrison and Hawkins

In Fiscal Year 2026, the Revenue Authority's capital expenditures is authorized at \$0. This resolution approves the proposed Operating and Capital Improvement Program Budget for the Revenue Authority.

The Revenue Authority is required to submit its proposed Operating Budget to the Council for comments. This resolution states the Council's concurrence with the FY 2026 Operating Budget of \$43,170,100, and the Capital Improvement Program Budget for FY 2026-2031.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Burroughs and Blegay.

A motion was made by Council Member Watson, seconded by Vice Chair Oriadha, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	8 - Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	2 - Harrison and Hawkins

ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BUDGETS (Continued)[CR-065-2025](#)

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY FISCAL YEAR 2026 OPERATING BUDGET AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

for the purpose of approving the Capital Improvement Program of the Redevelopment Authority of Prince George's County for Fiscal Years 2026-2031; prepared pursuant to the authority contained in Subtitle 15B of the Prince George's County Code; and providing comments on the proposed Operating Budget of the Redevelopment Authority for Fiscal Year 2026.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Blegay, Oriadha, Dernoga, Ivey, Hawkins, Fisher and Watson

Attachment(s): [CR-065-2025 - signed R2025065](#)
[CR-065-2025 Attachment 1](#)
[CR-065-2025 Attachment 2](#)
[CR-065-2025 Attachment 3](#)
[CR-065-2025 Summary](#)

The Redevelopment Authority is proposing a six-year Capital Improvement Program. This Resolution approves the proposed Fiscal Year 2026 Capital Budget in the amount of \$2,336,000 for one project, as follows:

Suitland Manor - \$2,336,000

The Redevelopment Authority is required to submit its proposed Operating Budget to the County Council for comments. This resolution states the Council's concurrence on the Authority's proposed FY 2026 Capital Budget of \$2,336,000, and an Operating Budget of approximately \$2,724,300.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Blegay, Oriadha, Dernoga, Ivey, Hawkins, Fisher and Watson.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	9 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	1 -	Harrison

2. ADOPTION OF THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PORTION OF THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION BUDGET AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AND LEVYING TAXES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024 FOR THE M-NCPPC

[CB-055-2025](#)

Draft 1

AN ACT CONCERNING MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND

PLANNING COMMISSION for the purpose of approving the Prince George's County portion of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission budget and making appropriations and levying certain taxes for Fiscal Year 2026 for the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Use Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, as amended ("Land Use Article").

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Watson, Olson, Blegay, Oriadha and Fisher

Attachment(s): [B2025055](#)

[CB-055-2025 Appendix A](#)

[CB-055-2025 Appendix B](#)

[CB-055-2025 Summary](#)

This bill adopts the M-NCPPC's operating and capital budgets for Prince George's County for Fiscal Year 2026 and establishes the tax rates as shown below. The total tax rate is proposed at 29.40 cents per \$100 of assessed value of real property and 73.50 cents per \$100 of assessed value of personal property.

<i>Real Property Tax Rates</i>	<i>FY 2025</i>	<i>FY 2026</i>
<i>Administration</i>	<i>5.66 cents</i>	<i>5.66 cents</i>
<i>Advance Land Acquisition</i>	<i>-0- cents</i>	<i>-0- cents</i>
<i>Mandatory Metropolitan District</i>	<i>4.00 cents</i>	<i>4.00 cents</i>
<i>Discretionary Metropolitan District</i>	<i>11.94 cents</i>	<i>11.94 cents</i>
<i>Recreation</i>	<i>7.80 cents</i>	<i>7.80 cents</i>
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>29.40 cents</i>	<i>29.40 cents</i>

<i>Personal Property Tax Rates</i>	<i>FY 2025</i>	<i>FY 2026</i>
<i>Administration</i>	<i>14.15 cents</i>	<i>14.15 cents</i>
<i>Advance Land Acquisition</i>	<i>-0- cents</i>	<i>-0- cents</i>
<i>Mandatory Metropolitan District</i>	<i>10.00 cents</i>	<i>10.00 cents</i>
<i>Discretionary Metropolitan District</i>	<i>29.85 cents</i>	<i>29.85 cents</i>
<i>Recreation</i>	<i>19.50 cents</i>	<i>19.50 cents</i>
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>73.50 cents</i>	<i>73.50 cents</i>

M-NCPPC (Pr. George's Co) FY26 Operating Budget

Administration Fund \$84,936,818
Recreation Fund \$166,678,779
Park Fund \$240,767,075
Advance Land Acquisition Fund - Debt Svc \$0
Subtotal - Tax Supported Funds \$492,382,672

Park Debt Service Fund \$15,717,154
Special Revenue Funds \$8,235,501
Enterprise Fund \$17,256,538
Internal Service Funds \$44,280,373
ALA Revolving Fund 325,510
Subtotal - Other Funds \$85,815,076
Grand Total/Operating \$578,197,748

M-NCPPC (Pr. George's Co) FY265 Capital Budget
Capital Projects Fund (Excludes Transfer to Park Fund) \$129,590,000
Grand Total/Capital \$129,590,000

This Council Bill was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Watson, Olson, Blegay, Oriadha and Fisher.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion passed by the following vote:

Aye	8 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	2 -	Harrison and Ivey

3. ADOPTION OF THE COUNTY CURRENT EXPENSE BUDGET, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, CAPITAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024[CB-056-2025](#)

Draft 1

AN ACT CONCERNING FISCAL YEAR 2026 APPROPRIATIONS for the purpose of making appropriations for the support of the County government and for the Prince George's Community College and for the schools, institutions, departments, offices, boards, commissions, and agencies of Prince George's County, and for other purposes, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026; adopting the current expense budget, the capital improvement program, and the capital budget prepared according to the Charter of Prince George's County and submitted by the County Executive to the County Council; appropriating the items of expense in said current expense budget; establishing rates of reimbursement for subsistence expenses for employees of the County; providing for the inclusion of all State, Federal and private grants received subsequent to adoption of the current expense budget; imposing the applicable income and special area tax rates under the public general laws and public local laws of Maryland; all to be known as the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance of Prince George's County for Fiscal Year 2026.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Watson, Oriadha, Fisher, Dernoga, Hawkins, Olson and Ivey

Attachment(s): [B2025056](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 1](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 2](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 3](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 4](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 4A](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 4B](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 5](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 6](#)
[CB-056-2025 Exhibit 7](#)
[CB-056-2025 Summary](#)

This bill adopts the County's current expense budget and capital budget for the fiscal year 2026. It adopts an appropriation amount for the County's General Fund portion of the budget of \$4.816 billion, which is \$227.4 million, or 5% over the approved FY 2025 budget of \$4.589 billion. Overall, 65.0% of all General Funds are appropriated for Education (Board of Education, Community College, and Memorial Library), while Public Safety receives 20.2% of available funds. Of the remaining 14.8% of County General Funds, 9.4% goes to pay for fixed charges and debt service, leaving

5.4% for Human Services, Public Works, Environment, and General Government. The budget also establishes appropriation authority for all operating funds, including grants, Internal Service funds, Enterprise funds and Special Revenue funds that, when combined with the General Fund, total \$5.8 billion.

This Council Bill was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Watson, Oriadha, Fisher, Dernoga, Hawkins, Olson and Ivey.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Blegay, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	9 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	1 -	Harrison

4. PROPOSED CORRESPONDENCE/ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

[LTR 05292025](#)

Draft 1

Proposed letter to the Honorable Brannndon D. Jackson, Chair, Prince George's County Board of Education, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2026 Operating Budget.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs

Attachment(s): [BOE Budget Letter](#)
[BOE Budget Letter Attachment 1](#)
[BOE Budget Letter Summary](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Watson, seconded by Council Member Fisher, that this Agenda Letter be authorized for the Chair's signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye	9 -	Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha
Abstain	1 -	Harrison

5. INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS[CR-066-2025](#)

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN

SANITARY COMMISSION for the purpose of modifying the System Development Charge (SDC) to help finance the capital costs of expanding and augmenting water and sewage systems to accommodate service to subscribers in the Washington Suburban Sanitary District (WSSD) and to provide a financing mechanism to aid the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (Commission) in paying for the capital projects thereof by providing methods and procedures by which the SDC is to be implemented and/or collected.

Sponsor(s): Burroughs, Watson, Blegay and Hawkins

Attachment(s): [CR-066-2025 - signed](#)

[R2025066](#)[CR-066-2025 Summary](#)

Section 25-402 of the Public Utilities Article of the Maryland Annotated Code authorizes the imposition of a System Development Charge (SDC) fee, and Section 25-403 provides that Montgomery and Prince George's County Councils shall meet annually to discuss and approve the SDC fee. The Councils met on May 8, 2025 and agreed to increase the SDC fee, and the maximum allowable ceiling by a percentage equal to the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the prior calendar year. The CPI for November 2023 to November 2024 increased by 2.5%.

The Commission is increasing the SDC Fee for the first time since FY 2000 (July 1999). This action increases the base System Development Charge for water supply fixtures with an assigned fixture value of 1 from \$88.00 to \$90.00, and increases the base System Development Charge for a sewage drainage fixture with an assigned drainage fixture unit value of 1 from \$115.00 to \$118.00.

This action also provides the Commission with the flexibility in future fiscal years to increase the base System Development Charge for water supply fixtures with an assigned fixture value of 1 from \$90.00 to a maximum of \$160.00, and the base System Development Charge for a sewage drainage fixture with an assigned drainage fixture unit value of 1 from \$118.00 to a maximum of \$209.00.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Watson, Blegay and Hawkins.

A motion was made by Council Member Watson, seconded by Council

Member Fisher, that the rules be suspended for this Resolution. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 10 - Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Harrison, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha

A motion was made by Council Member Watson, seconded by Council Member Hawkins, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 9 - Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha

Abstain 1 - Harrison

ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

A motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Blegay, that this additions package be accepted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 10 - Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Harrison, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha

EXECUTIVE SESSION – (1ST FLOOR EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE ROOM)

[EX 05292025](#)

Draft 1

Motion to convene in executive session pursuant to Section 3-305(b)(1), General Provisions Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, to discuss the appointment, employment, assignment, promotion, discipline, demotion, compensation, removal, resignation, or performance evaluation of an appointee, employee, or official over whom it has jurisdiction, specifically, Administration staffing.

the Chair read the following closing statement/motion to convene in executive session: "Motion to convene in executive session pursuant to Section 3-305(b)(1), General Provisions Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, to discuss the appointment, employment, assignment, promotion, discipline, demotion, compensation, removal, resignation, or performance evaluation of an appointee, employee, or official over whom it has jurisdiction, specifically, Administration staffing." The Executive Session was held.

On 5/29/2025, a motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Blegay, to convene into Executive Session. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 10, Burroughs, Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey, Olson, Oriadha and Watson

Date of Executive Session: May 29, 2025

Location: 1st Floor Executive Conf. Room (WKC Admin. Bldg.)

Beginning Time: 2:17 p.m.

Ending Time: 2:20 p.m.

Members Present: CM Burroughs, CM Oriadha, CM Blegay, CM Dernoga, CM Fisher, CM Ivey, CM Olson and CM Watson

Others Present: Colette Gresham, Donna Brown, Karen Zvakos.

Topic Discussed:

I. PERSONNEL – COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION STAFFING:

The Chair advised the Members present that Jennifer Jenkins, Council Administrator has been placed on Administrative Leave ending on June 30, 2025. Thereafter, Chair Burroughs made a motion, duly seconded Vice Chair Oriadha, as follows:

Motion to Remove Jennifer Jenkins as Council Administrator as of June 30, 2025, and to appoint Colette Gresham as Acting Council Administrator.

Motion by Chair Burroughs, Seconded by Vice Chair Oriadha; FAV: 7-1; Aye: 7, Burroughs, Oriadha, Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Olson and Watson. Nay: 1, Ivey

ADJOURNED: Motion by Vice Chair Oriadha, Seconded by Council Member Blegay.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Blegay, to convene an Executive Session. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 10 - Blegay, Dernoga, Fisher, Harrison, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey, Burroughs and Oriadha

[ADJ58-25](#)

Draft 1

ADJOURN

THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 2:12 P.M.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Oriadha, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by an unanimous vote.

Prepared by:

Edgar L. Reese, III, Legislative Reference Aide

Submitted by:

Donna J. Brown, Clerk of the Council