

**HAMLET CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR SESSION  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS ROOM  
201 MAIN STREET, HAMLET, NC 28345  
TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2024  
6:00 PM  
MINUTES**

**Governing Body Present:**

Mayor	Amy Guinn
Council Member	Eddie Martin
Mayor Pro-Tem	Jesse McQueen
Council Member	Oscar Sellers
Council Member	Abbie Covington
Council Member	Maurice Stuart

**Staff Present:**

Interim City Manager	Lane Bailey
City Clerk	Heather Hawks
City Attorney	TC Morphis

**Others Present:** Dan Blair, Trey Goodwin, Wilson Webber

**1. Call to Order**

Mayor Guinn called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

**2. Invocation**

Pastor Dan Blair of Fellowship United Methodist offered the invocation.

**3. Adoption of the Agenda**

Council Member Covington motioned to adopt the agenda. Council Member Stuart provided the second. The motion passed unanimously.

**4. Consent Agenda**

Council Member Covington made a motion to adopt the consent agenda, Council Member Martin provided the second. The motion passed unanimously.

**5. Comments from Attendees**

There were no comments from attendees.

## **Other Business**

### **6. City Manager's Report**

Interim City Manager Bailey stated he would be spending time getting to know the staff and community this week. He also stated his schedule will be Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday most weeks and he is looking forward to working with everyone during his time in Hamlet.

### **7. Comments of Council**

Council Member Martin had no comments.

Council Member Stuart thanked everyone for supporting educators and city employees. He reminded everyone that June is African American Music Appreciation Month and June 19<sup>th</sup> is Juneteenth.

Council Member Sellers wished everyone a safe and cool summer. He also stated sidewalks and streets need to be cleaned.

Council Member Covington reminded everyone about the Fourth of July celebration which will be held on July 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30. She congratulated Council Member Martin on a successful opening day for the Legion Baseball game and encouraged everyone to go watch a game.

Mayor Pro-Tem McQueen thanked Council Member Martin for his hard work in making opening day for Legion Baseball a success.

### **8. Mayor's Comments**

Mayor Guinn agreed with Mayor Por-Tem McQueen on congratulating Council Member Martin on a successful opening day for Legion Baseball. She reminded everyone about upcoming events this Friday including Food Trucks, Cruise-In and the Crimestoppers Fundraiser.

### **9. Closed Session per NCGS § 143-318.11 (a)(3)(6) for attorney-client privilege and personnel.**

At 6:07 pm, Mayor Pro-Tem McQueen motioned, seconded by Council Member Covington to go into closed session for attorney-client privilege and personnel. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Return to Open Session**

At 7:00 pm, Council Member Sellers motioned to return to Open Session, seconded by Council Member Covington. The motion passed unanimously.

### **10. Motion to Adjourn**

Council Member Sellers motioned, seconded by Mayor Pro-Tem McQueen, to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously at 7:04 pm.