



The City of Glenarden
Work Session (Virtual)
Thursday, July 7, 2022, at 6:30 PM
Minutes

Attendees:

Council President – Derek D. Curtis, II
Council Vice President – Angela D. Ferguson
Councilwoman – Erika L. Fareed
Councilwoman – Kathleen J. Guillaume
Councilman – Maurice A. Hairston
Councilman – James A. Herring
Councilwoman – Robin Jones

- Called to Order at 6:30 PM
- Invocation led by Vice President Angela D. Ferguson
- Roll Call
Council President – Derek D. Curtis, II – Present
Council Vice President – Angela D. Ferguson – Present
Councilwoman – Erika L. Fareed – Present
Councilwoman – Kathleen J. Guillaume - Present
Councilman – Maurice A. Hairston – Present
Councilman – James A. Herring – Present
Councilwoman – Robin Jones – Present

7 Present, 0 Absent

- Motion to Adopt Agenda

Councilwoman Erika L. Fareed motioned to adopt the agenda – Second by Vice President Angela D. Ferguson.

Council President – Derek D. Curtis, II - Yes
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Councilwoman – Kathleen J. Guillaume - Yes
Councilman – Maurice A. Hairston – Yes
Councilman – James A. Herring - Yes
Councilwoman – Robin Jones - Yes
7 Yes, 0 No = PASSED

- Proposed Legislation
 - R-XX-2022 A Resolution Authorizing the City to Enter into a Contract for Trash Removal Services
 - **R. Jones** – Request an itemized invoice to have a better understanding of what the service charges are in the agreement.
- FY 2023 Budget
 - Gold Room
 - American Rescue Plan
 - **E. Fareed** – Councilwoman Fareed request to know how much it cost to run the Gold Room without having to touch our reserve or ARPA Funds, so we can know the right type of rates to charge or how much expenses we need to cut for this to truly be considered an enterprise fund.
 - **E. Fareed** - There should be an inclusion for the purchase of playground equipment for the 7th Street Park listed under ARPA Expenditures to notate the true value of how much 7th Street is going to cost.
 - **President Curtis** – Change the expenditure for the Glenarden HOA Grant program from 6k to 360k.
 - **President Curtis** – Change the Stormwater Rebate expenditure line to 200k.
 - **President Curtis** – Add 200k expenditure lines for Councilwoman Guillaume’s residential assistance program & non-profit assist program.
 - **Treasurer D. Stewart** – Per the request in this discussion, the following modifications to the budget related to ARPA Funds will be made as follows:
 - **Gold Room** – Remove 18k from the 60k allotment per Councilwoman Fareed to set the budget at \$42,473

- **7th Street Park** – Currently budgeted at \$112,350 which does not include the playground equipment. D. Stewart requests to obtain a quote for the purchase of the playground equipment to determine the allocation of funds before funds are added to this line item.
- **HOA Grant** – 6 grants at 60k each will set that budget at 360k.
- **Storm Water Run-off** – Is set at 50k.
- **ARPA Funds Management** – 65k
- **Rental Assistance** – 200k
- **Grants for Non-Profits & Small Business** – 200k
- **Speed Bump Pilot Program** – 50k
- **Water Rebate** – 200k
- **Poverty Assistance** – 200k
- **Council Dias** – 200k

➤ Capital Projects

- **J. Herring** – Under “Elevator Project – (Grant Needed)” Councilman Herring request to have the Elevator Project placed back into the budget because there is available grant funding to move forward with the project.
- **Vice President Ferguson** – Remove the Electric Car for Code Enforcement.
- **President Curtis** – Remove the Admin Pool Car.
- **R. Jones** – Update “Support Equipment” to notate the purchase is for 4 vehicles instead of one (2 Police/2 Code Enforcement).
- **R. Jones** – Please add 10k to the budget to replace the tile in the municipal hallway floors.

- Vote to Close Session

- Closed session in accordance with Charter Section 304(b)(1)
 - Discussion of Salary Restructuring for City Employees

Motion to close session adopted by Councilwoman Kathleen J. Guillaume – Second by Vice President Angela D. Ferguson.

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Councilman – Maurice A. Hairston – Yes
Councilman – James A. Herring - Yes
Councilwoman – Robin Jones - Yes
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- Adjourned at 8:39 pm

Submitted by:

Victoria Lewis, Council Clerk