

MINUTES OF THE DALLAS CITY COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2020

20-1660

CITY COUNCIL BRIEFING
DALLAS CITY HALL, ROOM 5ES/VIDEO CONFERENCE
MAYOR ERIC JOHNSON, PRESIDING

PRESENT: [15] Johnson, *Medrano, *McGough, *West, *Thomas, *Arnold (**9:18 a.m.),
*Resendez, *Narvaez, *Bazaldua, *Atkins, *Blackmon, *Kleinman,
*Mendelsohn, *Gates, *Blewett

ABSENT: [0]

The meeting was called to order at 9:14 a.m. with a quorum of the city council present.

The invocation was given by Pastor Brent McDougal of Cliff Temple.

Mayor Johnson led the pledge of allegiances of the United States of America and Texas State Flag.

The meeting agenda, posted in accordance with Chapter 551, "OPEN MEETINGS," of the Texas Government Code, was presented.

After all business properly brought before the city council had been considered, the meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

ATTEST: _____
Mayor

City Secretary Date Approved

The annotated agenda is attached to the minutes of this meeting as EXHIBIT A.

The actions taken on each matter considered by the city council are attached to the minutes of this meeting as EXHIBIT B.

Ordinances, resolutions, reports and other records pertaining to matters considered by the city council, are filed with the City Secretary as official public records and comprise EXHIBIT C to the minutes of this meeting.

***Note:** Members of the City Council participated in this meeting by video conference.

****Note:** Indicates arrival time after meeting called to order/reconvened.

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SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

At the beginning of each briefing meeting of the city council a time is set aside for the mayor and city council to recognize special individuals or groups, to read mayoral proclamations, to confer honorary citizenships, and to make special presentations.

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CITIZEN SPEAKERS

In accordance with the City Council Rules of Procedure, the city council provided "open microphone" opportunities for the following individuals to comment on matters that were scheduled on the city council voting agenda or to present concerns or address issues that were not matters for consideration listed on the posted meeting agenda:

OPEN MICROPHONE – BEGINNING OF MEETING:

SPEAKER: Changa Higgins, 2618 Sharpview Ln.
SUBJECT: Full data access to Office of Community Police Oversight

SPEAKER: Isabelle Edwards, Not Provided
SUBJECT: Reopening library

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Item 1: Approval of Minutes of the October 7, 2020 City Council Meeting

Councilmember Blackmon moved to adopt the minutes as presented.

Motion seconded by Councilmember Narvaez and unanimously adopted.

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Item 2: Consideration of appointments to boards and commissions and the evaluation and duties of board and commission members (List of nominees is available in the City Secretary's Office)

The city secretary distributed a report showing nominations received and indicated the nominees met qualifications for service with the terms for appointment for the 2019-2021 term.

Councilmember Mendelsohn moved to appoint the following:

- Sam Childers, Historian, to the Landmark Commission; and
- Hannah Gabriella Schwitzer to the Youth Commission;

Motion seconded by Councilmember Narvaez and unanimously adopted.

[Information on each newly-appointed member is located in the file shown next to the name of the board.]

20-6147 LMC LANDMARK COMMISSION
20-6148 YOC YOUTH COMMISSION

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Briefing A: Community Transformation Action Roadmap

The city manager briefed the city council on the item.

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Briefing B: Fair Park Master Plan

The following individuals briefed the city council on the item:

- Darren L. James, Board President, Fair Park First;
- Brian Luallen, Executive Director, Fair Park First; and
- Ryan O'Connor, Senior Manager, Park and Recreation Department.

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EXHIBIT C