

CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, AND ROLL CALL

Mayor Brett L. Wittner called the special meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Councilmembers David M. Viafore, Shannon Reynolds, Joe Barrentine, Nikki Bufford, and Jim Andrews were present. Councilmember Hunter T. George was absent.

INTERIM POLICE CHIEF LATOUR FARWELL

Interim Police Chief LaTour thanked the City for the Interim Police Chief opportunity.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE DISCUSSION

Project Coordinator Bob Jean briefed the Council on the City’s 2024 comprehensive plan update and provided an update on the new middle housing laws.

Councilmember Reynolds left the Council Chambers at 7:19 P.M. and returned at 7:23 P.M.

BHC Consultants, Talia Tittelfitz and Eli Mulberry provided an overview of the comprehensive plan, including current housing analysis, community engagement, and additional housing unit impacts.


Councilmember Reynolds left the Council Chambers at 7:28 P.M. and returned at 7:30 P.M.

Councilmember George entered the Council Chambers at 7:30 P.M.

In-person meeting attendees collected into small groups to discuss important City attributes, and housing types to enhance the community and retain its character. Council discussions included population target planning, infrastructure concerns, socioeconomic status, preserving the Fircrest “feel” while complying with state mandates, and continuing community engagement. The Council thanked all meeting attendees.

ADJOURNMENT

Viafore MOVED to adjourn the meeting at 9:14 P.M., seconded by Barrentine. The Motion Carried (7-0).



Brett L. Wittner, Mayor



Arlette Burkhardt, Acting City Clerk