

**November 4, 2019
Special Meeting**

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL HELD NOVEMBER 4, 2019

A Special Meeting of Hopewell City Council, was held Monday, November 4, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, Municipal Building, and 300 North Main Street, Hopewell, Virginia.

PRESENT: Jasmine E. Gore, Mayor, Ward 4
Patience Bennett, Vice Mayor, Ward 7
Deborah Randolph, Councilor, Ward 1
Arlene Holloway, Councilor, Ward 2
John B. Partin, Jr., Councilor, Ward 3
Janice B. Denton, Councilor, Ward 5
Brenda Pelham, Councilor, Ward 6

John M. Altman, Jr., City Manager
Sandra R. Robinson, City Attorney
Ronnieye L. Arrington, City Clerk
Debra McKnight, Assistant City Clerk

ROLL CALL

Mayor Gore opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m. Roll call was taken as follows:

Mayor Gore	-	present
Vice Mayor Bennett	-	present
Councilor Randolph	-	present
Councilor Holloway	-	absent (arrived at 7:01 p.m.)
Councilor Partin	-	present
Councilor Denton	-	present
Councilor Pelham	-	present

CLOSED MEETING

At 7:01 p.m., Councilor Pelham made a motion to go into closed meeting pursuant to Va. Code §§ 2.2-3711 (A)(1) to discuss and consider personnel matters, including the appointment, assignment, resignation, and performance of specific public officers, appointees and employees of the City; and to the extent such discussion will be aided thereby, (A)(4) for the protection of the privacy of individuals in personal matters not related to public business. The motion was seconded by Councilor Partin. Upon the roll call, the vote resulted:

Councilor Pelham	-	yes
Vice Mayor Bennett	-	yes
Councilor Randolph	-	yes
Councilor Holloway	-	yes
Councilor Partin	-	yes
Mayor Gore	-	yes
Councilor Denton	-	yes

Motion passed 7-0

The meeting ended at 10:00 p.m. per Council Rules.

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/s/ Jasmine E. Gore
Jasmine Gore, Mayor

/s/ Ronnie L. Arrington
Ronnie L. Arrington, City Clerk

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