

City of Gainesville

City Hall
200 East University Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601



Minutes - Final

April 27, 2021

6:00 PM

Joint City Commission/Utility Advisory Board Special Meeting

**City Hall Auditorium - City Commission; Room 16 - Utility Advisory
Board
City Commission**

Mayor Lauren Poe (At Large)
Commissioner Reina Saco (At Large)
Commissioner Gail Johnson (At Large)
Commissioner Gigi Simmons (District 1)
Commissioner Harvey Ward (District 2)
Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem David Arreola (District 3)
Commissioner Adrian Hayes-Santos (District 4)

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CALL TO ORDER - 6:01 PM

AGENDA STATEMENT

ROLL CALL

Present 7 - Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Simmons, Commissioner Hayes-Santos, Mayor Poe, Commissioner Saco, Commissioner Ward, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Arreola

[200682.](#) **Attendance Affidavit (B)**

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ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

A motion was made by Commissioner Hayes-Santos, seconded by Commissioner Ward, that this Matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Hayes-Santos, Mayor Poe, Commissioner Saco, and Commissioner Ward

Absent: 2 - Commissioner Simmons, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Arreola

BUSINESS DISCUSSION ITEMS

[200693.](#) **Update on the UAB's Current Work (B)**

Motion: 1) Remove rebate from electric to gas. Bring back what it would look like in terms of revenue; and 2) Revisit language used to market gas as "clean fuel."

Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Arreola arrived at 6:04 PM.

Dino DeLeo spoke to the matter.

Ed Bielarski, GRU General Manger spoke to the matter.

Nathan Skop, Donald Shepherd and Roberta Gastimeyer spoke to the matter.

RECOMMENDATION *The City Commission hear an update from the UAB and take any action deemed appropriate.*

A motion was made by Commissioner Hayes-Santos, seconded by

Commissioner Ward, that this Matter be Approved, as shown above. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 6 - Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Hayes-Santos, Mayor Poe, Commissioner Saco, Commissioner Ward, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Arreola

Absent: 1 - Commissioner Simmons

MEMBER COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT - 7:33 PM