

# City of Gainesville

City Hall  
200 East University Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida 32601



## **Minutes - Final**

February 13, 2020

1:00 PM

Roberta Lisle Kline Conference Room

## **General Policy Committee**

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

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**CALL TO ORDER - 1:03 PM**

**ROLL CALL**

- Present** 6 - Commissioner Arreola, Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Simmons, Mayor Poe, Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Ward, and Commissioner Hayes-Santos
- Absent** 1 - Commissioner Warren

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

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

- Aye:** 4 - Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Simmons, Mayor Poe, and Commissioner Hayes-Santos
- Absent:** 3 - Commissioner Warren, Commissioner Arreola, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Ward

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

[190933.](#) **Approval of Minutes from the January 23, 2020 General Policy Committee Meeting (B)**

**RECOMMENDATION** *The General Policy Committee approve the minutes of January 23, 2020.*

**A motion was made by Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Hayes-Santos, that this Matter be Approved as Recommended. The motion carried by the following vote:**

- Aye:** 4 - Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Simmons, Mayor Poe, and Commissioner Hayes-Santos
- Absent:** 3 - Commissioner Warren, Commissioner Arreola, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Ward

**DISCUSSION OF PENDING REFERRALS**

[190547.](#) **Buffer Zones Around Medical Facilities (B)**

*Commissioner Arreola arrived at 1:04 PM.*

*Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Ward arrived at 1:06 PM.*

*Motion: 1) Direct the City Manager to work with the City Attorney to collect data existing on medical facilities (that provide women's health*

care in the City); 2) Look at existing laws and how they can be improved, better enforced; 3) Review data and staff come back with recommendations on buffer zones to protect access to medical facilities.

Lindsay Hoffman, Policy Oversight Administrator, gave a presentation.

Dan Hoffman spoke to the matter.

Chief Inspector Campos spoke to the matter.

Kristen, Alison Hayes, Kai, Victoria Ingrid, Donald Shepherd, Jenny Bolen, Tess, Jessica McCloud, Kavia, Joe Quarter and Rufino spoke to the matter.

RECOMMENDATION            The General Policy Committee discuss.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Hayes-Santos, seconded by Commissioner Arreola, that this Matter be Approved, as shown above. The motion carried by the following vote:**

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

**Absent:** 1 - Commissioner Warren

[180985.](#)

**Gainesville Police Department Quarterly Tactical Briefing (B)**

Chief Tony Jones and Chief Inspector Campos gave a presentation.

City Manager Feldman commented about use of the aviation unit. Will bring a policy question to the Commission in March.

Assistant Chief Scott presented on the Pineridge PEACE Initiative.

Inspector Campos and GPD staff commented on the Deflection Program, Angel Shot Program and Credible Violence Disrupters.

Mr. Feldman stated that information from the Digital Access Committee will be coming back on facial recognition policies and a website technology use policy.

Police Captain Kurnick responded about statistics for cannabis arrests; nearly zero arrests compared to previous years.

*Kali Blount and Donald Shepherd spoke to the matter.*

**RECOMMENDATION**            *The General Policy Committee discuss.*

**Discussed**

[190260.](#)

**Violence Prevention in the City of Gainesville (B)**

*Motion: Ask staff to return with a timeline to develop a comprehensive violence prevention plan for the City (Commission wants to hear about all options presented).*

*Lindsay Hoffman, Policy Oversight Administrator, introduced the item.*

*Morgan Spicer, Research and Prototyping Fellow, gave a presentation.*

*Chief Inspector Campos responded.*

*Kali Blount and Donald Shepherd spoke to the matter.*

**RECOMMENDATION**            *The General Policy Committee discuss.*

**A motion was made by Commissioner Arreola, seconded by Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Ward, that this Matter be Approved, as shown above. The motion carried by the following vote:**

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

**Absent:** 1 - Commissioner Warren

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Kali Bount

**MEMBER COMMENT**

**NEXT MEETING DATE**

**ADJOURNMENT - 4:45 PM**

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**Omichele D. Gainey**  
**Clerk of the Commission**