

City of Gainesville

City Hall
200 East University Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601



Minutes - Draft

June 16, 2021

3:00 PM

Joint City/County Commission Special Meeting

Grace Knight Conference Room

City Commission

Mayor Lauren Poe (At Large)
Commissioner Reina Saco (At Large, Seat A)
Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Gail Johnson (At Large, Seat B)
Commissioner Desmon Duncan-Walker (District 1)
Commissioner Harvey Ward (District 2)
Commissioner David Arreola (District 3)
Commissioner Adrian Hayes-Santos (District 4)

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CALL TO ORDER - 3:00 PM

Mayor Poe gave a brief introduction to the meeting.

AGENDA STATEMENT**ROLL CALL**

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

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Commissioner Hayes-Santos arrived at 3:05 PM.

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

Aye: 6 - Commissioner Hayes-Santos, Mayor Poe, Commissioner Saco, Commissioner Ward, Commissioner Duncan-Walker, and Commissioner Arreola

Absent: 1 - Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Johnson

BUSINESS DISCUSSION ITEMS**[200753.](#)****Use of Federal Relief Dollars (NB)**

Lee Feldman spoke regarding the deficit for the operation of the proposed medical facility (information from UF), Discussing the pro-forma for the facility.

Michele Lieberman spoke - agreed with Mr. Feldman and doesn't want the facility to compete with the Health Department but to complement the services offered since they will likely be in close proximity.

Commissioner Johnson arrived at 3:14 PM

Public Comment: Kali Blount, Nathan Skop, Armando Grundy-Gomes, Nancy Deren and Gigi Simmons.

RECOMMENDATION

The City Commission discuss with the County Commission potential partnerships regarding the use of CARES Act and American Rescue Plan Act funds received by the City of

Gainesville and Alachua County.

Discussed

PUBLIC COMMENT

MEMBER COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT - 3:23 PM