

City of Gainesville

City Hall
200 East University Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601



Minutes - Final

March 25, 2019

3:00 PM

JOINT CITY/COUNTY COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING

City Hall Auditorium

City Commission

Mayor Lauren Poe (At Large)

Commissioner Helen Warren (At Large)

Commissioner Gail Johnson (At Large)

Commissioner Gigi Simmons (District 1)

Commissioner Harvey Ward (District 2)

Commissioner David Arreola (District 3)

Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Adrian Hayes-Santos (District 4)

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CALL TO ORDER - 3:00 PM

AGENDA STATEMENT

ROLL CALL

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

BUSINESS DISCUSSION ITEMS

[180885.](#)

CRA Discussion (NB)

Sarah Vidal-Finn spoke to the matter.

RECOMMENDATION *Discuss*

This item was added to the agenda. Discussed

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

- Absent:** 1 - Commissioner Ward

[180526.](#)

Conceptual Master Plan for the area immediately west of the intersection of NE 8th Avenue and Waldo Road (B)

Dan Hoffman made a presentation.

Michelle Lieberman spoke to the matter.

Deborah Bowie and Anne Wolf spoke to the matter.

RECOMMENDATION *The Joint City and County Commission discuss and direct staff on next steps.*

Discussed

[180226.](#)

Cabot-Koppers Community Engagement (NB)

In July 2018, the City Commission directed Staff to engage the community regarding the future redevelopment of the Cabot Koppers Site. A community meeting is scheduled for April 10, 2019 to discuss existing conditions and future opportunities for the site.

Dan Hoffman gave an introduction.

Sarit Sela made a presentation.

Robert Pearce and Nathan Skop spoke to the matter.

RECOMMENDATION *The Joint City and County Commission hear an update from staff and provide direction.*

Discussed

[180862.](#)

Proposed Joint City/County Administration Building (B)

Deborah Bowie and Michelle Lieberman spoke to the matter.

Nathan Skop spoke to the matter.

RECOMMENDATION *The Joint City and County Commission discuss and provide direction as to whether City staff should continue to explore the idea.*

Discussed

PUBLIC COMMENT

*Nathan Skop
Brian O'Brien
Nancy Daren*

MEMBER COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT - 4:46 PM