

# City of Gainesville

City Hall  
200 East University Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida 32601



## **Minutes - Draft**

**August 26, 2020**

**10:00 AM**

**Joint City/County Commission Special Meeting**

**Virtual Teleconference Special Meeting**

## **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 - 10:01 AM****AGENDA STATEMENT****ROLL CALL - 10:01 AM**

**Present** 6 - Commissioner Johnson, Commissioner Simmons, Commissioner Hayes-Santos, Commissioner Saco, Commissioner Ward, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Arreola

**Absent** 1 - Mayor Poe

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

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

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

**Absent:** 1 - Mayor Poe

**BUSINESS DISCUSSION ITEMS**

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**COVID-19 Discussion (NB)****University of Florida Update**

*Dr. Lane and Dr. Lauzardo gave presentations.*

*Lee Feldman, City Manager spoke to the matter.*

*Lee Libby, Senior Assistant City Attorney spoke to the matter.*

*Sylvia Torres, County Attorney spoke to the matter.*

*Paul Myers, Administrator of Alachua County Health spoke to the matter.*

*Michele Liberman, County Manager spoke to the matter.*

**County Motion:** 1) Adjust the emergency order to limit indoor activity to 10 individuals or less and outdoor activity to 50 individuals or less; and 2) County send a letter to the University of Florida to encourage and support the University of Florida adding a Student Code of

*Conduct violation (for violating groups of gatherings), and encourage the Mayor to send a letter as well.*

**Alachua County School Board Update**

*Karen Clarke, Superintendent of Schools, gave an update.*

**Alachua County Health Department Update**

*Paul Myers gave a presentation.*

**CARES Act Fund Update**

*April Shuping, Audit Partner from Carr, Riggs & Ingram gave an update.*

**Emergency Management Update**

*Hal Grieb, Director of Emergency Management gave an update*

*Debbie Martinez and Nathan Skop spoke to the matter.*

*There was a discussion on picnic tables.*

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The Joint City and County Commissions discuss and take action, as appropriate.*

**Discussed**

**ADJOURNMENT - 1:50 PM**