

City of Gainesville

City Hall
200 East University Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601



Minutes - Draft

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 Manager spoke to the matter.

Nathan Skop, Donald Shepherd and Roberta Gastmeyer 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