

# City of Gainesville

City Hall  
200 East University Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida 32601



## **Minutes - Final**

October 3, 2017

1:30 PM

City Commission Workshop

Gainesville Police Department Hall of Heroes

## **City Commission**

*Mayor Lauren Poe (At Large)*

*Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Harvey Budd (At Large)*

*Commissioner Helen Warren (At Large)*

*Commissioner Charles Goston (District 1)*

*Commissioner Harvey Ward (District 2)*

*Commissioner David Arreola (District 3)*

*Commissioner Adrian Hayes-Santos (District 4)*

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**ROLL CALL 1:38 PM**

**Present** 6 - Mayor Poe, Commissioner Hayes-Santos, Commissioner Ward, Commissioner Arreola, Commissioner Warren, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Budd

**Absent** 1 - Commissioner Goston

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

**A motion was made by Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Budd, seconded by Commissioner Arreola, that this Matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

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

**Absent:** 1 - Commissioner Goston

**AGENDA STATEMENT**

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**Initial Presentation by Van Scoyoc Associates (B)**

**This is a request for the City Commission to hear a presentation by Van Scoyoc Associates on Federal Legislative Agenda priorities.**

*Carrie Bush, Kelly Ferrel, Greg Burns, Harry Glenn, Mary Scott Hardwick and Fred Murry made presentations.*

*The following topics were discussed: 1) body cameras; 2) grants; 3) broadband; 4) tax reform; 5) housing; 6) Empowerment Center; 7) Koppers Brownfield Superfund site; 8) SW 62nd boulevard; 9) surface transportation; 10) flooding culverts; 11) RTS; 12) stormwater infrastructure; 13) EB5 visa program; 14) CareerSource; 15) start-up tax sector; 16) VA; 17) Waters of the United States; 18) flood insurance program; 19) gas and mobility tax; 20) partnering with UF and SFC; 21) teambuilding retreats; 22) renewal portfolio standards and renewable energy credits; and 23) definition of what constitutes renewable energy.*

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The Commission: 1) hear the presentation from Van Scoyoc Associates regarding the priorities for the Federal Agenda; 2) discuss and approve priorities to be included in the Federal Agenda; and 3) direct staff to write and design the final Federal Agenda.*

**ADJOURNMENT 3:41 PM**

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**Kurt Lannon, Clerk of the Commission**