



CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES

Wednesday, April 23, 2025 at 10:00 AM

10:00 AM, City Hall, 114 North Broad Street, Salem, Virginia 24153

1. Call to Order

A work session of the Council of the City of Salem, Virginia, was held in Council Chambers, City Hall, 114 North Broad Street, Salem, Virginia, on April 23, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., there being present the following members of said Council, to wit: Renée Ferris Turk, Mayor; Anne Marie Green, Vice-Mayor; Councilmembers: Byron Randolph Foley, H. Hunter Holliday, and John Saunders (remote participation); with Renée Ferris Turk, Mayor, presiding; together with Chris Dorsey, City Manager; Rob Light, Assistant City Manager and Clerk of Council; Crystal Williams, Assistant to the City Manager; Rosie Jordan, Director of Finance; Tammy Todd, Assistant Director of Finance; and Shawn Crockett, Senior Accountant; and the following business was transacted:

Mayor Turk reported that this date, place, and time had been set in order for the Council to hold a budget work session.

Mayor Turk requested that Mr. Light read a request from Councilman Saunders to participate remotely in this Council meeting.

The request from Councilman Saunders stated: "in accordance with Section 2.2-3708.3 B(1) of the Code of the Commonwealth of Virginia and the Remote Participation Policy of the City of Salem, I hereby request to participate remotely due to a temporary medical condition that prevents my physical attendance."

Randy Foley motioned to accept the remote participation of Councilman Saunders. Anne Marie Green seconded the motion.

Ayes: Hunter Holliday, Randy Foley, Anne Marie Green, Renee Turk

Nays: None

Abstaining: John Saunders

2. New Business

A. Discussion regarding the Fiscal Year 2026 budget

Discussion was held regarding the Fiscal Year 2026 budget.

3. Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Council, the work session was adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Submitted by:



H. Robert Light
Clerk of Council

Approved by:



Renée Ferris Turk
Mayor