

City of Ann Arbor

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Monday, January 30, 2023

4:00 PM

City Council Planning Session

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~~Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Second floor, City Council~~
~~Chambers~~
~~Public commentary can be made in person only.~~
City Council

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Taylor called the Work Session of the Ann Arbor City Council to order at 4:02 p.m. in the Guy C. Larcom, Jr. Building, 2nd Floor Council Chambers, 301 E. Huron Street.

ROLL CALL OF COUNCIL

Present: 10 - Mayor Christopher Taylor, Councilmember Erica Briggs, Councilmember Lisa Disch, Councilmember Linh Song, Councilmember Travis Radina, Councilmember Cynthia Harrison, Councilmember Ayesha Ghazi Edwin, Councilmember Chris Watson, Councilmember Dharma Akmon and Councilmember Jennifer Cornell

Absent: 1 - Councilmember Jen Eyer

WS WORK SESSION

WS-1 [23-0028](#) City Council Planning Work Session - January 30, 2023

City Administrator Milton Dohoney Jr. presented highlights to City Council of the City Administrator's proposed budget and introduced departments preparing new projects.

Marti Praschan, CFO; Brett Lenart, Planning Manager; Dr. Missy Stults, Director of Sustainability and Innovation; Brian Steglitz, Public Services Area Administrator; and Laura Orta, Director of Organizational Equity; represented City departments and were available to answer any questions of Council.

A copy of the presentation is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

Received and Filed

PUBLIC COMMENTARY (3 MINUTES PER SPEAKER)*** ACCOMMODATIONS CAN BE MADE FOR PERSONS NEEDING ASSISTANCE WHILE ADDRESSING COUNCIL**

Edward Vielmetti, Ward 4 resident, stated he was disappointed that remote public comment opportunities were not available for this session, as has been provided at all Council meetings since the beginning of the pandemic. Regarding the presentations, he urged Public Works to consider a similar dashboard system for the condition of bike lanes, as is done for streets.

Susan Morrison, 1124 Brooks Street, presented a letter of petition from Brooks Street residents in opposition to a proposed sidewalk gap construction project. The letter outlines why a new sidewalk is not necessary in this location.

CC COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL

None.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilmember Radina, seconded by Councilmember Disch, that the meeting adjourn. On a voice vote, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

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