

City of Ann Arbor

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday, October 10, 2023

7:00 PM

City Council/DDA Joint Work Session

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CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Christopher Taylor called the Work Session of the Ann Arbor City Council to order at 7:08 p.m. in the CTN Studio, 2805 S. Industrial Highway, Ann Arbor.

ROLL CALL OF COUNCIL

Councilmember Disch arrived at 7:16 p.m.

DDA Members present included City Administrator Milton Dohoney Jr., Steven Brummer, Jessica Letaw, Tyler Kinney, Mike Michelin and Micah Bartelme. DDA Members absent were Darron McKinnon, Danielle Vaughn, Thressa Nichols, and Alexandra Dieck.

Present: 7 - Mayor Christopher Taylor, Councilmember Erica Briggs, Councilmember Lisa Disch, Councilmember Jen Eyer, Councilmember Travis Radina, Councilmember Chris Watson and Councilmember Jennifer Cornell

Absent: 4 - Councilmember Linh Song, Councilmember Cynthia Harrison, Councilmember Ayesha Ghazi Edwin and Councilmember Dharma Akmon

WS WORK SESSION

WS-1 [23-1496](#) Joint City/Downtown Development Authority (DDA) Annual Work Session

Interim DDA Director Maura Thomson presented the yearly update to Council from the DDA, including an update regarding the DDA's management of the City's parking system.

A consultant was available to discuss the proposed rate increases and answer questions of Council and the DDA.

Ms. Thomson also provided an update on the DDA's future planning projects.

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

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PUBLIC COMMENT - GENERAL (MUST BEGIN NO LATER THAN 8:45 P.M.)

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Blaine Coleman, resident, spoke about the recent bombings in Gaza City. He reiterated his position that he is against military aid to Israel.

Mozhgan Savabieasfahani, resident, spoke about Palestine and the recent bombings by Israel in Gaza.

CC COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL

(None.)

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilmember Eyer, seconded by Councilmember Radina, that the meeting adjourn. On a voice vote, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 8:37 p.m.

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