

Chester City Council Meeting Special Called Meeting Monday, March 5, 2018, 4:00 p.m.

MINUTES

Present: Mayor Pro Tempore Annie Reid; Council Members Betty Bagley, Angela Douglas, Linda Tinker, Susan Kovas, Carlos Williams and William King; Interim Administrator Carla Roof and Payroll Clerk/Interim Clerk to Council Sylvia Young.

Absent: Mayor George Caldwell and Council Member William Killian.

Call to Order: Mayor Pro Tempore Reid called Council meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Prayer: Councilwoman Douglas led in prayer.

Pledge of Allegiance: Mayor Pro Tempore Reid and Council recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Mayor Pro Tempore Reid stated that Council needed to convene into Executive Session to discuss a Legal Matter – Opioid Class Action Lawsuit and Contractual Matter – Administration Department. Councilwoman Kovas made a motion that Council convene into Executive Session to discuss a Legal Matter – Opioid Class Action Lawsuit and Contractual Matter – Administration Department. Councilwoman Bagley seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Council convened into Executive Session at 4:02 p.m.

At 4:45 p.m. Councilwoman Bagley made a motion that Council go back into open session. Councilman King seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Mayor Pro Tempore Reid stated that while in Executive Session Council discussed a Legal Matter – Opioid Class Action Lawsuit. No action was taken. Councilman King made a motion to pursue the Opioid Lawsuit and to allow the gentleman to send Council a contract to be reviewed by its attorney. Councilwoman Tinker seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tempore Reid stated that Council needed to convene into Executive Session to discuss a Contractual Matter – Administration Department. Councilwoman Tinker made a motion that Council convene into Executive Session to discuss a Contractual Matter – Administration Department. Councilman King seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Council convened into Executive Session at 4:50 p.m.

Mayor Pro Tempore Reid stated that Council needed to reconvene from Executive Session. Councilwoman Tinker made a motion that Council reconvene from Executive Session. Councilwoman Bagley seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Council reconvened from Executive Session at 5:12 p.m. Mayor Pro Tempore Reid stated that while in Executive Session, Council discussed a Contractual Matter – Administration Department. No action was taken.

With no further discussion, Councilwoman Bagley made a motion to adjourn. Councilwoman Tinker seconded motion. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 5:12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,