

**FAYETTEVILLE CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
J.W. SEABROOK AUDITORIUM
FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY
1200 MURCHISON ROAD
DECEMBER 7, 2015
6:00 P.M.**

Present: Mayor Nat Robertson

Council Members Kathy Jensen (District 1); Kirk deViere (District 2); Mitchell Colvin (District 3); Chalmers McDougald (District 4); Robert T. Hurst (District 5); William J. L. Crisp (District 6); Larry Wright, Sr. (District 7); Theodore W. Mohn (District 8); Jim Arp (District 9)

Others Present: Theodore L. Voorhees, City Manager
Kristoff Bauer, Deputy City Manager
Rochelle Small-Toney, Deputy City Manager
Jay Reinstein, Assistant City Manager
Harold Medlock, Police Chief
Ben Major, Fire Chief
Dwayne Campbell, Chief Information Officer
Scott Shuford, Planning and Code Enforcement Director
Michael Gibson, Parks, Recreation and Maintenance Director
Randy Hume, Transit Director
Victor Sharpe, Community Development Director
Tracey Broyles, Budget and Evaluation Director
Elizabeth Somerindyke, Internal Audit Director
Rebecca Rogers-Carter, Strategic Performance Analytics Director
Pamela Megill, City Clerk
Jane Starling, Deputy City Clerk
Members of the Press

1.0 Welcome

Mr. Ricardo Morgan, Master of Ceremonies, welcomed those in attendance.

2.0 Posting of the Colors

Police and Fire Departments Honor Guard Team performed the Posting of the Colors followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

3.0 Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag was recited by those in attendance.

4.0 National Anthem

Ms. Taylor Bridges, Miss Fayetteville Dogwood Festival, sang the National Anthem.

5.0 Invocation

The invocation was offered by Dr. Bruce Martin, Village Baptist Church.

6.0 Administration of Oaths of Office

Mr. Nat Robertson was sworn in by the Honorable James Floyd Ammons, Jr., Senior Resident Superior Court Judge.

Ms. Kathy Jensen, District 1, was sworn in by the Honorable Claire Hill, Superior Court Judge.

Mr. Kirk deViere, District 2, was sworn in by the Honorable Toni S. King, Superior Court Judge.

Mr. Mitchell Colvin, District 3, was sworn in by the Honorable April Smith, District Court Judge.

Mr. Chalmers McDougald, District 4, was sworn in by the Honorable Edward A. Pone, District Court Judge.

Mr. Robert Thomas Hurst, Jr., District 5, was sworn in by the Honorable James Floyd Ammons, Jr., Senior Resident Superior Court Judge.

Mr. Larry Wright, Sr., District 7, was sworn in by the Honorable Edward A. Pone, District Court Judge.

Mr. Theodore W. Mohn, District 8, was sworn in by Mayor Nat Robertson.

Mr. James William Arp, Jr., District 9, was sworn in by the Honorable James Floyd Ammons, Jr., Senior Resident Superior Court Judge.

7.0 Call to Order

Mayor Robertson called the meeting to order and thanked all present for their attendance.

8.0 Election of Mayor Pro Tem

Mayor Robertson called for nominations for the position of Mayor Pro Tempore.

MOTION: Council Member Crisp moved to nominate Council Member Colvin for the position of Mayor Pro Tempore.

SECOND: Council Member Wright

VOTE: UNANIMOUS (10-0)

9.0 Opening Address

Mayor Robertson provided the opening address.

10.0 Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

11.0 Retire the Colors

The Fayetteville Police and Fire Departments Honor Guard Team retired the colors.