

#### 1 Calling the Roll.

#### 2 Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance

- 3 Reading and Acting Upon the Minutes of the Following Meeting of City Council:
  - <u>14-2452</u> The Regular Meeting Minutes of February 11, 2014.

Attachments: 14-2452\_Feb 11 minutes

#### RECOGNITION OF YOUTH BY MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

None.

#### PROCLAMATIONS

4 <u>14-2445</u> Presentation of a Check for the Community Impact Funds for the United Way of the National Capital Area.

#### **REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CITY MANAGER (five min.)**

#### CONSENT CALENDAR (5-7)

#### (Resignations and Uncontested Appointments)

5 14-2453 Receipt of the Following Resignations From Members of Boards, Commissions and Committees: (a) Affordable Housing Advisory Committee Alma Allen (b) Commission on Persons with Disabilities Ana Torres-Davis (c) Environmental Policy Commission Stephen A. Walz (d) George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee Danny Smith (e) Historic Alexandria Resources Commission Dawn Rogala Attachments: 14-2453 board resignations feb 25 2014.doc

- 6 <u>14-2463</u> Uncontested Appointments to Boards, Commissions and Committees:
  - (a) Alexandria Gang Prevention Community Task Force
  - 1 Citizen-at-Large Member

(b) Commission for the Arts

1 Member Who Has Expertise in the Arts, Either as a Practitioner of Various Art Disciplines or as Professional Administrators Working in the Field

(c) Commission on Aging1 Citizen Member

(d) Environmental Policy Commission 1 Citizen Member

(e) Public Health Advisory Commission
 1 Representative From the Inova Alexandria Hospital
 <u>Attachments:</u> <u>14-2463 board uncontested appoints feb 25 2014.docx</u>

#### (Reports and Recommendations of the City Manager)

7 <u>14-2361</u> Consideration of a Renewal Grant Application to the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles for an Aggressive Driving/DUI Interdiction Program in FY 2015.

#### END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

#### CONTESTED APPOINTMENTS

8	<u>14-2457</u>	Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee		
		4 Citizen Members		
		Attachments: 14-2457 Alexandria-Caen Sister City Comm.docx		
9	<u>14-2458</u>	Building Code Board of Appeals		
		1 Citizen Member		
		Attachments: 14-2458_Building Code Board of Appeals.docx		
10	<u>14-2459</u>	Commission on HIV/AIDS		
		1 Citizen Member		
		Attachments: 14-2459_Commission on HIV AIDS		
11	<u>14-2460</u>	George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee		
		1 Member Nominated by the Alexandria Jaycees		

Attachments: 14-2460 George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee

12	<u>14-2461</u>	Public Healt 1 Citizen Me	h Advisory Commission ember
		<u>Attachments:</u>	14-2461_Public Health Advisory Comm.docx
13	<u>14-2462</u>	Sister Cities 1 Citizen Me <u>Attachments:</u>	

# REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CITY MANAGER FOR DISCUSSION (60 min.)

- 14 <u>14-1959</u> Update on 2014 General Assembly Session.
- 1514-2299Presentation of the Proposed Annual Operating Budget for FY 2015<br/>(Including Schools), Calendar Year 2014 Real Property Assessments, and<br/>the Proposed Capital Improvements Program for FY 2015-2024<br/>(Including the Schools CIP.)

# REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FROM BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

#### **ORAL REPORTS BY MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL**

#### **ORAL PRESENTATIONS BY MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL**

#### ORAL REPORT FROM THE CITY MANAGER

#### **ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS**

1614-2300Introduction and First Reading. Consideration. Passage on First Reading<br/>of an Ordinance on the Proposed Real and Personal Property Tax Rates<br/>and Proposed Effective Tax Rate Increase for Calendar Year 2014 (Fiscal<br/>Year 2015).

Attachments: 14-2300 2014Tax Rate ordinance COVER - RevFinal 14-2300\_201415TaxRateOrdinance\_RevFinal

#### OTHER

17	<u>14-2454</u>	Consideration of City Council Schedule.		
		Attachments: 14-2454_Council Calendar_February 2014 to June2014.docx		
18	<u>14-2467</u>	Consideration of Convening a Closed Meeting for the Purpose of Consulting with Legal Counsel Regarding a Pending Legal Matter.		

#### Attachments: 14-2467 exec session motion.doc

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PUBLIC NOTICE:

Budget Meetings:

Budget Work Session, March 3, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Budget Public Hearing, March 10, 4 p.m., Council Chambers Budget Work Session, March 12, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Budget Work Session, March 18, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Budget Work Session, March 26, 2014, 6 p.m., 2900 Business Center Drive Budget Work Session, April 2, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Budget Work Session, April 2, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Budget Work Session, April 10, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Preliminary Add/Delete, April 21, 2014, 6:30 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Final Add/Delete, April 24, 2014, 6 p.m., Sister Cities Conference Room Budget Adoption, May 1, 7 p.m., Council Chambers

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The Regular Meeting Minutes of February 11, 2014.

# City of Alexandria Meeting Minutes City Council Legislative Meeting Tuesday, February 11, 2014, 7:00 P.M. Council Chambers

Present: Mayor William D. Euille, Members of Council John Taylor Chapman, Timothy B. Lovain, Redella S. Pepper, Paul C. Smedberg and Justin M. Wilson.

Absent: Vice Mayor Allison Silberberg.

Also Present: Mr. Gates, Deputy City Manager; Mr. Banks, City Attorney; Mr. Fletcher, Special Assistant to the City Manager; Mr. Jinks, Deputy City Manager; Ms. Evans, Deputy City Manager; Ms. Hamer, Director, Planning and Zoning (P&Z); Mr. Baier, Director, Transportation and Environmental Services (T&ES); Police Chief Cook; Mr. Castrilli, Director, Office of Public Information and Communications; Mr. Caton, Legislative Director; Mr. Browand, Division Chief, Recreation, Parks and Cultural Activities; Ms. Triggs, Chief Financial Officer/Finance Director; Ms. Taylor, Financial Operations Engineer, Finance; Mr. Page, Acting Director, Real Estate Assessments; Mr. Bandy, Appraiser Supervisor, Real Estate Assessments; Ms. Dastgheib, Principal Planner, T&ES; Fire Chief Thiel; Police Captain Wemple; Ms. Bryan, Information Technology Services, and Mr. Lloyd.

Recorded by: Gloria Sitton, Deputy City Clerk and Clerk of Council.

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6:00 P.M. Consideration of Convening a Closed Meeting for the Purpose of Consulting with Legal Counsel Regarding a Pending Legal Matter and for Discussion or Consideration of the Acquisition of Real Property for a Public Purpose.

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, at 6:02 p.m., City Council convened in closed executive session to consult with legal counsel and to discuss or consider the acquisition of real property for a public purpose where discussion in open meeting would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiation strategy of the public body, specifically the possible acquisition of the real property for use and development as low-income or elderly housing, pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(a)(3) of the Code of Virginia. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, at 7:10 p.m., City Council reconvened the meeting. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0 by roll-call vote, City Council adopted a resolution pertaining to the Executive Session. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

The resolution reads as follows:

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2601**

**WHEREAS**, the Alexandria City Council has this 11th day of February 2014, recessed into executive session pursuant to a motion made and adopted in accordance with the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by the city council that such executive session was conducted in accordance with Virginia law;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the city council does hereby certify that, to the best of each member's knowledge, only public business matters that were identified in the motion by which the executive session was convened, and that are lawfully exempted by the Freedom of Information Act from the Act's open meeting requirements, were heard, discussed or considered by council during the executive session.

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1. Calling the Roll.

Mayor Euille called the meeting to order and the Deputy City Clerk called the roll. All members of Council were present, except Vice Mayor Silberberg, who had an excused absence.

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Mayor Euille welcomed Boys Scout Troop 1515 from St. Stephens and St. Agnes School.

Mayor Euille expressed condolences in the unfortunate passing of Ruthanne Lodato and he acknowledged the passing of two long-time Alexandria residents, Virginia Smith and Elsie Taylor.

2. Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance.

City Council participated in a moment of silence and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Reading and Acting Upon the Minutes of the Following Meetings of City Council:

The Public Hearing Meeting Minutes of January 25, 2014; and The Regular Meeting Minutes of January 28, 2014.

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilwoman

Pepper and carried 6-0, City Council approved the public hearing meeting minutes of January 25, 2014 and the regular meeting minutes of January 28, 2014. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

### NEW BUSINESS ITEM #1

Police Chief Cook gave Council an update on the recent murder that occurred on Ridge Road Drive and responded to questions and comments from Council.

# **RECOGNITION OF YOUTH BY MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL**

4. Recognition of School to Skanska Reflections From Students at T.C. Williams High School.

City Council recognized the School to Skanska Reflections from students at T.C. Williams High School and the students presented their projects on redevelopment of the Gen-On site.

5. Recognition of Adey Fentaw and the X Stem Club from T.C. Williams High School.

City Council recognized Adey Fentaw and the X STEM Club from T.C. Williams High School.

#### PROCLAMATIONS

#### Please note: This item was considered prior to item #4.

6. Presentation by CVS in the Amount of \$25,000 For Funding of the Therapeutic Equipment and Playground Equipment at the Lee Center.

CVS presented the City with \$25,000 for funding of the therapeutic equipment and playground equipment at the Lee Center.

7. Presentation of a Check for the Community Impact Funds for the United Way of the National Capital Area. THIS ITEM HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM THE DOCKET.

This item has been postponed.

# REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CITY MANAGER

# CONSENT CALENDAR (8-13)

#### (Resignations and Uncontested Appointments)

8. Receipt of the Following Resignations From Members of Boards, Commissions and Committees:

- (a) Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee Kathleen Barnett Lora Jerakis
- (b) Commission on Aging L. Virginia Fernbach
- (c) Environmental Policy Commission Ryan Sloan
- (d) George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee Amber Johnson
- (e) Potomac Yard Design Advisory Committee Shawn Glerum

(A copy of the above resignations is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 8 (a-e); 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

- 9. Uncontested Appointments to Boards, Commissions and Committees:
  - (a) Alexandria-Gyumri Sister City Committee 1 Citizen Member
  - (b) Alexandria Transportation Commission1 Member From the Planning Commission, Nominated by the Commission
  - (c) Commission on Information Technology
     1 Member From and Representing the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce
  - (d) Community Services Board
     1 Consumer Representative (Current or Former Direct Recipient of Public or Private Mental Health, Intellectual Disability, or Substance Abuse Treatment Rehabilitation Services) or Family Members (Immediate Family Member or the Principal Caregiver Who is Not Paid) of Consumer
  - (e) Environmental Policy Commission
     1 Member From the Field of Environmental Sciences (e.g., Environmental/Sanitary Engineering, Ecology, Geology, Botany, Hydrology, Chemistry) or Who Have Alexandria Waterfront Expertise
  - (f) George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee
     1 Member Nominated by the Masonic Fraternity
     1 Citizen Member
  - (g) Historic Alexandria Resources Commission 1 Business Representative

- (h) Human Rights Commission1 Commission on Persons with Disabilities Representative
- (i) Law Library Board1 Member Appointed by the City Council

(A copy of the above uncontested appointments is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 9 (a-i); 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

#### (Reports and Recommendations of the City Manager)

10. Consideration of the Monthly Financial Report for the Period Ending December 31, 2013.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 10; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

11. Receipt of Recommendation from the City Council Naming Committee on the Proposal to Name the Relocated City Playground at Buchanan Park the Leatrice Byrd Playground at Buchanan Park and Setting the Proposal for Public Hearing and Consideration on Saturday, February 22, 2014.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 11; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

(Ordinances for Introduction)

12. Introduction and First Reading. Consideration. Passage on First Reading of an Ordinance to Amend and Reordain Section 7-700 (Allowance For Increases in Floor Area Ratio, Density and Height and Reductions in Required Off-street Parking as Incentive For Provision of Low- and Moderate-Income Housing) of Article VII (Supplemental Zone Regulations) of the City of Alexandria Zoning Ordinance, in Accordance With the Text Amendment Heretofore Approved By City Council as Text Amendment No. 2013-0013(A). (Implementation Ordinance For the Text Amendment Approved By the City Council on January 25, 2014)

(A copy of the informal memorandum explaining the ordinance is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 12; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.

A copy of the ordinance referred to in the above item, of which each Member of Council received a copy not less than 24 hours before said introduction, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 2 of Item No. 12; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

13. Introduction and First Reading. Consideration. Passage on First Reading of a Proposed

Amendment to Title 5 (Transportation And Environmental Services), Chapter 8 (Parking And Traffic Regulation), and Title 10 (Motor Vehicles And Traffic), Chapter 4 (Stopping, Standing And Parking) of the Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as Amended.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 13; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.

A copy of the informal memorandum explaining the ordinance is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 2 of Item No. 13; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.

A copy of the ordinance referred to in the above item, of which each Member of Council received a copy not less than 24 hours before said introduction, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 3 of Item No. 13; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

#### END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

**WHEREUPON**, upon motion by Councilwoman Pepper, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, City Council approved the consent calendar, with the exception of item #13, which was considered under separate motion. The City Manager's recommendations were as follows:

8. City Council received the following resignations with regret: (a) Kathleen Barnett and Lora Jerakis, Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee; (b) L. Virginia Fernbach, Commission on Aging; (c) Ryan Sloan, Environmental Policy Committee; (d) Amber Johnson, George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee; and (e) Shawn Glerum, Potomac Yard Design Advisory Committee.

9. City Council made the following appointments to boards and commissions: (a) appointed Eric O'Leary as the citizen member to the Alexandria-Gyumri Sister City Committee; (b) appointed Nathan Macek as the member from the Planning Commission, nominated by the Commission to the Alexandria Transportation Commission; (c) appointed David Kaszowicz as the member from and representing the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce to the Commission on Information Technology; (d) appointed Samantha Pitts-Kiefer as the consumer representative (current or former direct recipient of public or private mental health, intellectual disability, or substance abuse treatment rehabilitation services) or family members (immediate family member or the principal caregiver who is not paid) of consumer to the Community Services Board; (e) reappointed Geoffrey Goode as the member from the field of environmental sciences (e.g., environmental/sanitary engineering, ecology, geology, botany, hydrology, chemistry) or who have Alexandria waterfront expertise to the Environmental Policy Commission; (f) appointed Shawn Eyer as the member nominated by the Masonic Fraternity and reappointed Ellen Tabb as the citizen member to the George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee; (g) appointed Danny Smith as the business representative to the Historic Alexandria Resources Commission; (h) appointed Tom Sachs as the Commission on Persons with Disabilities representative to the Human Rights Commission; and (i) appointed Sarah Becker as the member appointed by the City Council to the Law Library Board.

10. City Council received the Monthly Financial Report for the period ending December 21, 2013.

11. City Council: (1) received the recommendation of the City Council Naming Committee to name the City playground at Buchanan Park: The Leatrice Byrd Playground at Buchanan Park; and (2) set the proposal for public hearing and consideration on Saturday, February 22, 2014.

12. City Council approved the ordinance on first reading and set it for public hearing, second reading and final passage on February 22, 2014.

The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

13. Introduction and First Reading. Consideration. Passage on First Reading of a Proposed Amendment to Title 5 (Transportation And Environmental Services), Chapter 8 (Parking And Traffic Regulation), and Title 10 (Motor Vehicles And Traffic), Chapter 4 (Stopping, Standing And Parking) of the Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as Amended.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 13; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.

A copy of the informal memorandum explaining the ordinance is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 2 of Item No. 13; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.

A copy of the ordinance referred to in the above item, of which each Member of Council received a copy not less than 24 hours before said introduction, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 3 of Item No. 13; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

Councilman Wilson requested that staff review several sections of the proposed ordinance for updating and he requested that staff have those changes available to Council prior to the public hearing. Councilman Wilson also requested information on staff recommendations for permits for child-care workers.

In response to questions from Council, Director of Transportation and Environmental Services Baier stated that the Traffic and Parking Board has considered the request a couple of times and did not support the request because they believed there should not be a distinction between employees servicing a home business or client. Mr. Baier also noted that in areas with residential parking districts, employees should be encouraged to use the many mass transit options that the City has available.

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, City Council approved the ordinance on first reading and set it for

public hearing, second reading and final passage on February 22, 2014. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

#### OTHER

14. Update on the 2014 General Assembly Session. (No. 3)

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 10, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 14; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

Mr. Caton, Legislative Director, gave an update on legislation that is being considered before the General Assembly and responded to questions from Council about the session.

**WHEREUPON**, motion by Councilman Smedberg, seconded by Councilwoman Pepper and carried 6-0, City Council received the report. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

#### CONTESTED APPOINTMENTS

15. Alexandria Transportation Commission

1 Member Who Shall be a Resident of the City Possessing Qualifications in Land Use, Transportation and/or Municipal Finance, Who Shall Reside East of Quaker Lane

(The following persons volunteered for appointment to the above Commission)

NAME:

ENDORSED BY:

Sarah Clements Jerry King

Lisa Kapowitz, MD Bruce Dwyer

(Material pertaining to the above appointment is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 15; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

**WHEREUPON**, ballots were distributed, tellers were appointed and ballots tallied with the following results: City Council appointed Jerry King as the member who shall be a resident of the City possessing qualifications in land use, transportation and/or municipal finance, who shall reside east of Quaker Lane to the Alexandria Transportation Commission. The vote was as follows:

Euille – King Silberberg – absent Chapman – King Lovain – King Pepper – King Smedberg – Clements Wilson – King

#### 16. Commission for the Arts

1 Member Who Shall Have Expertise in the Arts, Either as Practitioners of Various Art Disciplines or as Professional Administrators Working in the Field

(The following person volunteered for appointment to the above Commission)

NAME:

Michelle Kozlak

(Material pertaining to the above appointment is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 16; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

**WHEREUPON**, ballots were distributed, tellers were appointed and ballots tallied with the following results: City Council waived the residency requirement and appointed Michelle Kozlak as the member who shall have expertise in the arts, either as practitioners of various art disciplines or as professional administrators working in the field to the Commission for the Arts. The vote was as follows:

- Euille Kozlak Silberberg – absent Chapman – Kozlak Lovain – Kozlak Pepper – Kozlak Smedberg – Kozlak Wilson - Kozlak
- 17. George Washington Birthday Celebrations Committee

1 Member Nominated by the American Legion

1 Member Nominated by Any Other Veterans Organizations (Other than the American Legion or the Veterans of Foreign Wars)

(The following person volunteered for appointment to the above Commission)

NAME: ENDORSED BY:

Henry DortonJames E. Glassman, The American Legion, Alexandria Post 24John SimsJim Carman, Capt., U.S. Navy, Military Officers Association of<br/>America

(Material pertaining to the above appointment is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 17; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

WHEREUPON, ballots were distributed, tellers were appointed and ballots tallied with the following results: City Council waived the residency requirement and appointed Henry Dorton as the member nominated by the American Legion and waived the residency requirement and appointed John Sims as the member nominated by any other Veterans organizations (other than American Legion or the Veterans of Foreign Wars) to the George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee. The vote was as follows:

Euille –Dorton, SimsSilberberg –absentChapman –Dorton, SimsLovain –Dorton, SimsPepper –Dorton, SimsSmedberg –Dorton, SimsWilson –Dorton, Sims

18. Planning Commission1 Citizen Member

(The following persons volunteered for appointment to the above Commission)

NAME:

ENDORSED BY:

David Brown Jeffrey Dienno William (Bill) Hendrickson

(Material pertaining to the above appointment is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 18; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

**WHEREUPON**, ballots were distributed, tellers were appointed and ballots tallied with the following results: City Council appointed David Brown as the citizen member to the Planning Commission. The vote was as follows:

- Euille –BrownSilberberg –absentChapman –HendricksonLovain –BrownPepper –BrownSmedberg –BrownWilson -Brown
- Public Records Advisory Commission
   1 Citizen Member

(The following persons volunteered for appointment to the above Commission)

NAME:

ENDORSED BY:

Ryan McClure Laura Vetter

(Material pertaining to the above appointment is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 19; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

**WHEREUPON**, ballots were distributed, tellers were appointed and ballots tallied with the following results: City Council reappointed Laura Vetter as the citizen member to the Public Records Advisory Commission. The vote was as follows:

Euille – Vetter Silberberg – absent Chapman – Vetter Lovain – Vetter Pepper – Vetter Smedberg – Vetter Wilson - Vetter

#### 20. Waterfront Commission

1 Citizen Representative Who Resides East of Washington Street and North of Pendleton Street

(The following persons volunteered for appointment to the above Commission)

NAME:

ENDORSED BY:

Daniel Straub Christa Watters

(Material pertaining to the above appointment is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 20; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

**WHEREUPON**, ballots were distributed, tellers were appointed and ballots tallied with the following results: City Council reappointed Christa Watters as the citizen representative who resides east of Washington Street and north of Pendleton Street to the Waterfront Commission. The vote was as follows:

Euille – Watters Silberberg – absent Chapman – Watters Lovain – Watters Pepper – Watters Smedberg – Watters Wilson – Watters

#### **REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CITY MANAGER FOR DISCUSSION**

21. Recommendation to Receive and Accept the Calendar Year 2014 Real Property Assessment.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 21; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

Mr. Page, Acting Director, Real Estate Assessments and Mr. Bandy, Appraiser Supervisor, Real Estate Assessments, explained the assessments for real property for 2014 for residential and commercial in the City of Alexandria and responded to questions from Council about the assessments, property uses and market projections.

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilwoman Pepper and carried 6-0, City Council received the report. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

#### REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FROM BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

#### ORAL REPORTS BY MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

#### ORAL PRESENTATIONS BY MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

(a) Councilwoman Pepper requested an update on the plans for the sidewalks and walking paths around the proposed ReNew Enterprises building in the Carlyle area. Councilwoman Pepper noted that the Commission on Aging had concerns that the rendition depicted a curvy path and brick sidewalks and not the approved hybrid sidewalks for the development.

In response to Councilwoman Pepper, Director of Planning and Zoning Hamer stated that there will be an updated rendition coming that will show the hybrid sidewalks.

(b) Councilman Chapman reported that on February 5, he attended the Strong Men and Women in Virginia History program, sponsored by Dominion Virginia Power and the Library of Virginia, in Richmond and he congratulated Mayor Euille on being one of the honorees for this year. A video clip of the evening was played.

(c) Councilman Chapman encouraged citizens to load an app called "Ready Virginia" to their mobile devices to help them prepare for the upcoming snowstorms and any emergency situation.

(d) Councilmember Lovain reported that the Transportation and Planning Board of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments recently approved a Green Streets Plan to encourage the development and redevelopment of streets in the region using green techniques and materials creating more environmentally sustainable streets. Councilmember

Lovain stated that he hoped the City of Alexandria would examine the policy and seek to develop a green streets policy of its own.

#### ORAL REPORT FROM THE CITY MANAGER

Deputy City Manager Gates reminded Council that there would be a Budget work session tomorrow at 6:00 p.m., at 2900 Business Center Drive and he noted that staff would monitor the weather and notify Council and the public should the meeting need to be postponed.

Council recognized Fire Chief Thiel for his service to the City of Alexandria as he prepares to leave to accept the position of Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs and Homeland Security with the administration of Governor Terry McAuliffe.

#### ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

22. Introduction and First Reading. Consideration. Passage on First and Second Reading of an Ordinance to Adopt Zoning Supplement Number 61.

(A copy of the informal memorandum explaining the ordinance is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 22; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.

A copy of the ordinance referred to in the above item, of which each Member of Council received a copy not less than 24 hours before said introduction, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 2 of Item No. 22; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Smedberg, seconded by Councilman Wilson and carried 6-0 by roll-call vote, City Council approved the ordinance to adopt Zoning Supplement Number 61. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent)

The ordinance reads as follows:

#### ORDINANCE NO. 4857

AN ORDINANCE adopting supplemental pages for the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992, as amended, and providing for the repeal of ordinances not included therein, except those saved from repeal by this ordinance, and for other purposes.

#### THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the sections of the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992, as amended ("Zoning Ordinance"), and the portions thereof, set forth in the supplemental and replacement pages for the Zoning Ordinance, each of which pages is identified in the lower left-hand corner by the notation "Supp. No. 61," are hereby adopted as

and shall constitute "The Sixty-First Supplement to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992."

Section 2. That the sections of the Zoning Ordinance, and the portions thereof, set forth in "The Sixty-First Supplement to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992," shall be in force and effect on and after the effective date of this ordinance, and all ordinances amending the text of the Zoning Ordinance which were adopted between September 10, 2013 and November 12, 2013 inclusive, and which are not included in such supplement or in the Zoning Ordinance are hereby repealed, except as otherwise provided in section 3 of this ordinance.

Section 3. That the repeal provided for in section 2 of this ordinance shall not affect any offense or act committed or done, or any penalty or forfeiture incurred, or any contract established or accruing prior to the effective date of this ordinance; nor shall it affect any prosecution, suit or proceeding pending or any judgment rendered prior to said date; nor shall it affect any provision of any ordinance amending the Zoning Ordinance which was adopted between September 10, 2013 and November 12, 2013, inclusive, and which is inadvertently omitted from or erroneously incorporated into "The Sixty-First Supplement to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992"; nor shall it affect any ordinance adopted after November 12, 2013.

Section 4. That one complete set of pages comprising "The Sixty-First Supplement to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992," shall be stapled or otherwise permanently fastened together, shall be manually signed on the front sheet by the mayor and the city clerk, and shall be filed in the office of the city clerk and made available to any person desiring to inspect the same. In addition, one complete set of the pages comprising such supplement shall be properly inserted into the copy of the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1992, which bears the manual signatures of the mayor and the city clerk, and such code, as amended and supplemented, shall be kept on file in the office of the city clerk and be made available to any person desiring to inspect the same.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall become effective upon the date and at the time of its final passage.

23. Consideration of a Resolution Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of General Obligation Refunding Bonds.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item No. 23; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Smedberg, seconded by Councilman Wilson and carried 6-0 by roll-call vote, City Council adopted a resolution to: (1) authorize the issuance and sale of the General Obligation Refunding Bonds; (2) approve the form and other details of such bonds; (3) authorize the City Manager and the Director of Finance to take all actions as shall be required in connection with the issuance, sale and delivery of such bonds; and (4) provide the details with respect to the issuance of such bonds. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor

The resolution reads as follows:

### **RESOLUTION NO. 2602**

#### A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia ("City") has determined that is advisable to authorize the issuance and sale of general obligation refunding bonds of the City to refund in advance of their maturities certain bonds previously issued by the City in order to achieve debt service savings.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA:

Authorization of Bonds; Refunding of Prior Bonds. The City Council hereby 1. determines that it is advisable to contract a debt and to issue and sell general obligation refunding bonds (the "Bonds") on the terms determined in the manner set forth in this Resolution. The issuance and sale of the Bonds are hereby authorized. The proceeds from the issuance and sale of the Bonds shall be used to refund, redeem, and/or defease certain outstanding bonds issued by the City (the "Refunded Bonds"). The specific bonds to be refunded shall be determined by the City Manager and the Finance Director/Chief Financial Officer, or either one of them ("the Authorized Officer") pursuant to the criteria set forth in this paragraph. The Authorized Officer is authorized to determine the series, maturities and amounts of the Refunded Bonds as such officer determines to be in the best interest of the City as long as the minimum savings achieved by the issuance of the Bonds is not less than 3% savings on a present value basis compared to the existing debt service on the Refunded Bonds. The Authorized Officer is authorized to enter into an escrow agreement providing for the deposit of proceeds of the Bonds and the refunding and redemption of the Refunded Bonds with such escrow agent as the City Manager may select.

2. <u>Pledge of Full Faith and Credit</u>. The full faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds as the same become due and payable. The City Council shall levy an annual ad valorem tax upon all property in the City, subject to local taxation, sufficient to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds as the same shall become due for payment unless other funds are lawfully available and appropriated for the timely payment thereof.

3. <u>Details and Sale of Bonds</u>. The Bonds shall be issued upon the terms established pursuant to this Resolution and upon such other terms as may be determined in the manner set forth in this Resolution. The Bonds shall be issued in one or more series, in fully registered form and shall be dated such date or dates as the Authorized Officer may approve. The Bonds shall mature on such dates and in such amounts and shall be issued in such principal amount as the City Manager may approve, provided that the final maturity of the Bonds is not later than one year after the final maturity of the Refunded Bonds and the

aggregate principal amount of the Bonds is not more than the amount needed to pay principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the Refunded Bonds to the redemption date and to pay the cost of issuing the Bonds. The Bonds may be sold pursuant to a public or private placement and may be sold on a negotiated or competitive bid basis all as may be determined by the Authorized Officer. The Authorized Officer is authorized and directed to accept a bid or bids or a proposal for the purchase of the Bonds which such officer determines to be in the best interest of the City, subject to debt service savings criteria set forth in paragraph 1 above. The Authorized Officer is authorized to enter into a bond purchase agreement with the purchaser of the Bonds if required in connection with the sale of the Bonds. The Authorized Officer is authorized and directed to approve such optional redemption provisions for the Bonds as such officer or officers determine to be in the best interest of the City.

4. <u>Form of Bonds</u>. The Bonds shall be in substantially the form attached to this Resolution as Exhibit A, with such appropriate variations, omissions, and insertions as are permitted or required by this Resolution. There may be endorsed on the Bonds such legend or text as may be necessary or appropriate to conform to any applicable rules and regulations of any governmental authority or any usage or requirement of law with respect thereto.

5. <u>Book-Entry-Only Form</u>. If the Bonds are sold publicly, the Bonds shall be issued in book-entry-only form as set forth in this paragraph. The Bonds shall be issued in fully-registered form and registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of the Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC") as registered owner of the Bonds, and immobilized in the custody of DTC. One fully-registered Bond in typewritten or printed form for the principal amount of each maturity of the Bonds shall be registered to Cede & Co. Beneficial owners of the Bonds shall not receive physical delivery of the Bonds. Principal, premium, if any, and interest payments on the Bonds shall be made to DTC or its nominee as registered owner of the Bonds on the applicable payment date.

Transfer of ownership interest in the Bonds shall be made by DTC and its participants (the "Participants"), acting as nominees of the beneficial owners of the Bonds in accordance with rules specified by DTC and its Participants. The City shall notify DTC of any notice required to be given pursuant to this Resolution or the Bonds not less than fifteen (15) calendar days prior to the date upon which such notice is required to be given. The City shall also comply with the agreements set forth in the City's Letter of Representations to DTC.

Replacement Bonds (the "Replacement Bonds") may be issued directly to beneficial owners of the Bonds rather than to DTC or its nominee but only in the event that:

- (i) DTC determines not to continue to act as securities depository for the Bonds; or
- (ii) The City has advised DTC of its determination not to use DTC as a securities depository; or
- (iii) The City has determined that it is in the best interest of the beneficial owners of the Bonds or the City not to continue the book-entry system of transfer.

Upon occurrence of the event described in (i) or (ii) above, the City shall attempt to locate another qualified securities depository. If the City fails to locate another qualified

securities depository to replace DTC, the City Council shall execute and deliver Replacement Bonds substantially in the form set forth in Exhibit A to this Resolution to the Participants. In the event the City Council, in its discretion, makes the determination noted in (iii) above and has made provisions to notify the beneficial owners of the Bonds by mailing an appropriate notice to DTC, the appropriate officers and agents of the City shall execute and deliver Replacement Bonds substantially in the form set forth in Exhibit A to this Resolution to any Participants requesting such Replacement Bonds. Principal of and interest on the Replacement Bonds shall be payable as provided in this Resolution and in the Bonds and Replacement Bonds will be transferable in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 9 and 10 of this Resolution and the Bonds.

6. <u>Appointment of Bond Registrar and Paying Agent</u>. The City Manager is authorized and directed to appoint a Bond Registrar and Paying Agent for the Bonds and as long as the Bonds are in book-entry form, either the City Manager or the Chief Financial Officer/Director of Finance may serve as Paying Agent.

The City Manager may appoint a subsequent registrar and/or one or more paying agents for the Bonds upon given written notice to the owners of the Bonds specifying the name and location of the principal office of such registrar or paying agent.

7. <u>Execution of Bonds</u>. The Mayor and the Clerk of the City are authorized and directed to execute appropriate negotiable Bonds and to affix the seal of the City thereto and to deliver the Bonds to the purchaser thereof upon payment of the purchase price. The manner of execution and affixation of the seal may be by facsimile, provided, however, that if the signatures of the Mayor and the Clerk are both by facsimile, the Bonds shall not be valid until signed at the foot thereof by the manual signature of the Bond Registrar.

8. <u>CUSIP Numbers</u>. If the Bonds are sold publicly, the Bonds shall have CUSIP identification numbers printed thereon. No such number shall constitute a part of the contract evidenced by the Bond on which it is imprinted and no liability shall attach to the City, or any of its officers or agents by reason of such numbers or any use made of such numbers, including any use by the City and any officer or agent of the City, by reason of any inaccuracy, error or omission with respect to such numbers.

9. <u>Registration, Transfer and Exchange</u>. Upon surrender for transfer or exchange of any Bond at the principal office of the Bond Registrar, the City shall execute and deliver and the Bond Registrar shall authenticate in the name of the transferee or transferees a new Bond or Bonds of any authorized denominations in an aggregate principal amount equal to the Bond surrendered and of the same form and maturity and bearing interest at the same rate as the Bond surrendered, subject in each case to such reasonable regulations as the City and the Bond Registrar may prescribe. All Bonds presented for transfer or exchange shall be accompanied by a written instrument or instruments of transfer or authorization for exchange, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the City and the Bond Registrar, duly executed by the registered owner or by his or her duly authorized attorney-in-fact or legal representative. No Bond may be registered to bearer.

New Bonds delivered upon any transfer or exchange shall be valid obligations of the City, evidencing the same debt as the Bonds surrendered, shall be secured by this Resolution

and entitled to all of the security and benefits hereof to the same extent as the Bonds surrendered.

**10.** <u>Charges for Exchange or Transfer</u>. No charge shall be made for any exchange or transfer of Bonds, but the City may require payment by the registered owner of any Bond of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge which may be imposed with respect to the transfer or exchange of such Bond.

11. <u>Non-Arbitrage Certificate and Tax Covenants</u>. The Authorized Officer and such officers and agents of the City as the Authorized Officer may designate are authorized and directed to execute a Non-Arbitrage Certificate and Tax Covenants setting forth the expected use and investment of the proceeds of the Bonds and containing such covenants as may be necessary in order to comply with the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code"), including the provisions of Section 148 of the Code and applicable regulations relating to "arbitrage bonds." The City Council covenants on behalf of the City that the proceeds from the issuance and sale of the Bonds will be invested and expended as set forth in the City's Non-Arbitrage Certificate and Tax Covenants, to be delivered simultaneously with the issuance and delivery of the Bonds and that the City shall comply with the other covenants and representations contained therein.

**12.** <u>Disclosure Documents</u>. The Authorized Officer and such officers and agents of the City as either of them may designate are hereby authorized and directed, if required, to prepare, execute, and deliver an appropriate notice of sale, preliminary official statement, official statement, continuing disclosure agreement or such other offering or disclosure documents as may be necessary to expedite the sale of the Bonds. The notice of sale, preliminary official statement, official statement, continuing disclosure agreement or other documents, if required, shall be published in such publications and distributed in such manner, including electronically, and at such times as the Director of Finance shall determine. The Director of Finance is authorized and directed to deem the preliminary official statement "final" for purposes of Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

**13.** <u>Defeasance</u>. Bonds may be defeased pursuant to Section 15.2-2623 of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended, or any successor statute and shall be deemed no longer outstanding upon the establishment of an escrow or sinking fund for such Bonds meeting the requirements of, and the satisfaction of other conditions, if any, to defeasance, set forth in such Section 15.2-2623 or successor statute.

14. <u>Further Actions</u>. The Authorized Officer and such officers and agents of the City as either of them may designate are authorized and directed to take such further action as they deem necessary regarding the issuance and sale of the Bonds and all actions taken by such officers and agents in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds are ratified and confirmed.

**15.** <u>Effective Date; Applicable Law</u>. In accordance with Section 15.2-2601 of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended, the City Council elects to issue the Bonds pursuant to the provisions of the Public Finance Act of 1991. This Resolution shall take effect at the time of its enactment.

# OTHER

24. Consideration of City Council Schedule.

(A copy of the City Manager's memorandum dated February 5, 2014, is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Clerk of Council, marked Exhibit No. 1 of Item 24; 02/11/14, and is incorporated as part of this record by reference.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilwoman Pepper, seconded by Councilman Chapman and carried 6-0, City Council: (1) received the revised Council calendar which includes: two preliminary budget work sessions scheduled for Wednesday, February 12 at 6 p.m. and Thursday, February 20 at 6 p.m. Both meetings will be held at 2900 Business Center Drive; a work session with the Torpedo Factory Art Center Board, which is scheduled for Tuesday, March 11 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council workroom; an annual stockholders meeting for the Alexandria Transit Company and a DASH work session, which is scheduled for Tuesday, March 25 at 6 p.m. in the Council workroom; and the 34th Annual Salute to Women Awards, which is scheduled for Monday, March 31 at 6 p.m. The event will be held at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; and (2) approved the calendar. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

Mayor Euille noted that the annual George Washington Birthday Celebration parade will be held on Monday, February 17, 2014 at 12:00 noon in Old Town. Mayor Euille also noted that the City Manager would be presenting his budget proposal to Council at the legislative meeting on February 25 and the first public hearing would be held on Monday, March 10 at 4:00 p.m., in Council Chambers.

25. Consideration of Convening a Closed Meeting for the Purpose of Consulting with Legal Counsel Regarding a Pending Legal Matter.

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, at 9:02 p.m., City Council convened in closed executive session to consult with staff and legal counsel regarding threatened or pending litigation, specially litigation or settlement regarding certain land use matters pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(a)(7) of the Code of Virginia. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, at 10:22 p.m., City Council reconvened the meeting. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

WHEREUPON, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0 by roll-call vote, City Council adopted a resolution pertaining to the Executive Session. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman

Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

The resolution reads as follows:

# **RESOLUTION NO. 2603**

**WHEREAS**, the Alexandria City Council has this 11th day of February 2014, recessed into executive session pursuant to a motion made and adopted in accordance with the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by the city council that such executive session was conducted in accordance with Virginia law;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the city council does hereby certify that, to the best of each member's knowledge, only public business matters that were identified in the motion by which the executive session was convened, and that are lawfully exempted by the Freedom of Information Act from the Act's open meeting requirements, were heard, discussed or considered by council during the executive session.

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THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO CONSIDER, upon motion by Councilman Wilson, seconded by Councilman Smedberg and carried 6-0, City Council adjourned the legislative meeting of February 11, 2014 at 10:24 p.m. The vote was as follows: In favor, Mayor Euille, Councilman Chapman, Councilmember Lovain, Councilwoman Pepper, Councilman Smedberg and Councilman Wilson; Opposed, none. (Vice Mayor Silberberg was absent.)

APPROVED BY:

WILLIAM D. EUILLE MAYOR

ATTEST:

Gloria Sitton, CMC Deputy City Clerk

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Presentation of a Check for the Community Impact Funds for the United Way of the National Capital Area.

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Receipt of the Following Resignations From Members of Boards, Commissions and Committees:

(a) Affordable Housing Advisory Committee Alma Allen

(b) Commission on Persons with Disabilities Ana Torres-Davis

(c) Environmental Policy Commission Stephen A. Walz

(d) George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee Danny Smith

(e) Historic Alexandria Resources Commission Dawn Rogala

#### February 19, 2014

Receipt of the following resignations from Members of Boards, Commissions and Committees:

- (a) Affordable Housing Advisory Committee Alma Allen *(effective February 7, 2014)*
- (b) Commission on Persons with Disabilities Ana Torres-Davis *(effective February 19, 2014)*
- (c) Environmental Policy Commission Stephen A. Walz (effective February 5, 2014)
- (d) George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee Danny Smith *(effective February 18, 2014)*
- (e) Historic Alexandria Resources Commission Dawn Rogala *(effective February 19, 2014)*

#### These resignations are for information only.



File #:	14-2463	Name:	Uncontested Appointments to Boards and Commissions		
Туре:	Appointment	Status:	Agenda Ready		
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	(a) Alexandria Gan  109 Citizen-at-Large Me	g Prevention Commun ember	ty Task Force		
	(b) Commission for 1 Member Who Has Exp Professional Administra	pertise in the Arts, Either	er as a Practitioner of Various Art Disciplines or as		
	(c) Commission on 1 Citizen Member	Aging			
	(d) Environmental Policy Commission 1 Citizen Member				
	(e) Public Health Ad 1 Representative From 1	dvisory Commission the Inova Alexandria H	ospital		
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Uncontested Appointments to Boards, Commissions and Committees:

- (a) Alexandria Gang Prevention Community Task Force
- 1 Citizen-at-Large Member
- (b) Commission for the Arts

1 Member Who Has Expertise in the Arts, Either as a Practitioner of Various Art Disciplines or as Professional Administrators Working in the Field

- (c) Commission on Aging 1 Citizen Member
- (d) Environmental Policy Commission 1 Citizen Member
- (e) Public Health Advisory Commission
- 1 Representative From the Inova Alexandria Hospital



Name of Council Member

Endorsement

UNCONTESTED APPOINTMENTS

# Alexandria Gang Prevention Community Task Force

(3-year term) 1 citizen-at-large member



Steven Jansen \* (residency waiver required)

### **Commission for the Arts**

(3-year term) 1 member who has expertise in the arts, either as a practitioner of various art disciplines or as professional administrators working in the field

Pamela Corsini

# **Commission on Aging** (3-year term)

1 citizen member

Connie Haworth

# **Environmental Policy Commission**

(2-year term) 1 citizen member

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Tyler Orton

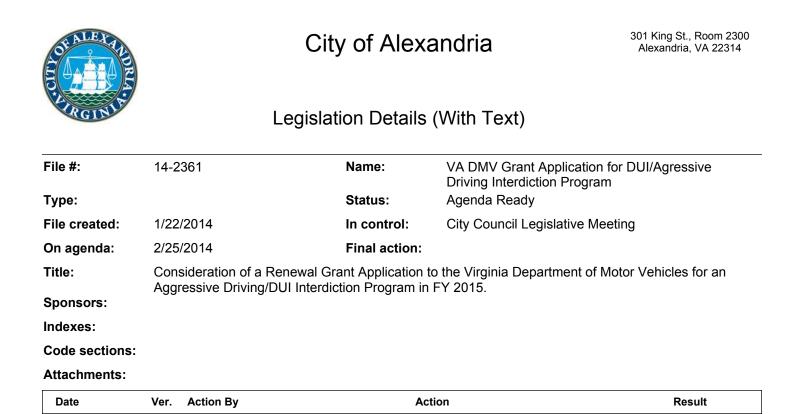
# Public Health Advisory Commission

(2-year term) 1 representative from the Inova Alexandria Hospital

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Mary Dixon \* (residency waiver required)

\* incumbent



# City of Alexandria, Virginia

# MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** FEBUARY 19, 2014

#### **TO:** THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

#### FROM: RASHAD M. YOUNG, CITY MANAGER /s/

#### DOCKET TITLE:

Consideration of a Renewal Grant Application to the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles for an Aggressive Driving/DUI Interdiction Program in FY 2015.

**<u>ISSUE</u>**: Consideration of a renewal grant application to the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) for an aggressive driving and driving under the influence (DUI) interdiction program.

#### **<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>**: That City Council:

- (1) Approve the grant application (due February 28, 2014) to the Virginia DMV in the amount of \$30,325, which will provide funds to the Police Department to operate a DUI/aggressive driving interdiction program in the City; and
- (2) Authorized the City Manager to execute all necessary documents that may be required.

**BACKGROUND**: For the past sixteen years the City has obtained a grant under this program to allow the Police Department to pay overtime for police officers to conduct high intensity patrol operations, targeting aggressive drivers whose behavior contributed statistically to automobile crashes and unsafe driving complaints. The targeted behaviors included right-of-way violations, stop sign violations, speeding and following too closely. In FY 2014, the approved grant was for \$30,325.

**DISCUSSION**: The new grant request is for \$30,325 for Federal FY2015 (October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2015). The Police Department requests \$28,000 for overtime operations to combat aggressive driving and DUI violations. If approved, the Police Department will employ police officers on overtime status to deploy mobile and stationary patrols as methods to reduce the number of alcohol and aggressive driving related accidents in the City.

The Police Department also requests \$1,825 for five Alco-Sensors and \$500 for regional crash investigation and DUI enforcement training. The Alco-Sensors allow an officer to determine a person's blood alcohol content as part of the preliminary investigation for DUI offenses.

**FISCAL IMPACT**: To receive the DMV grant of \$30,325, the City must identify 20 percent matching funds, which may be in-kind. Since the City's share is an in-kind match of resources, there is no additional fiscal impact to the City in obtaining the grant. The proposed match is identified in the Police Department's operating budget for vehicle depreciation and maintenance costs. If approved, notification is expected by September 2014.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

None.

#### <u>STAFF</u>:

Earl Cook, Police Chief Donald Hayes, Captain, Police, Sector Two Commander Elisabeth Weaver, Division Chief, Police, Fiscal Management Error

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	Colin Eilts *	
	Elizabeth Guttmann	
	Anthony Smith	Jennifer Reading, chair, Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee
	Matthew Troiani	Jennifer Reading, chair, Alexandria-Caen Sister City Committee

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Building Code Board of Appeals 1 Citizen Member Name of Council Member

CONTESTED APPOINTMENT

Endorsement

**Building Code Board of Appeals** (5-year term) 1 citizen member

\_\_\_\_\_ William Kruse

\_\_\_\_\_ Patricia Sanders

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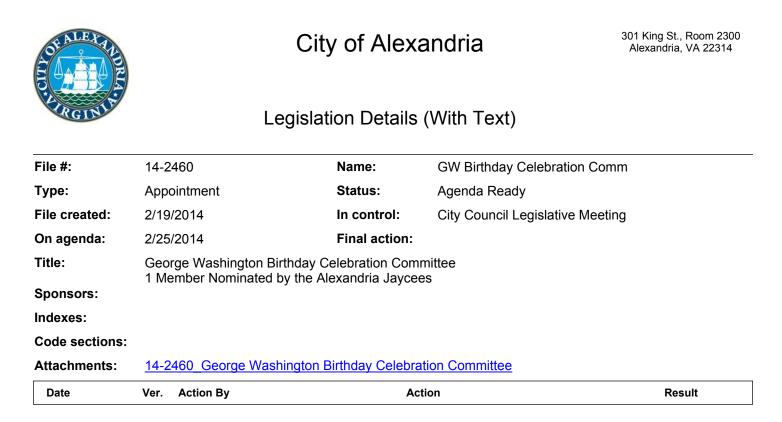
Commission on HIV/AIDS 1 Citizen Member Name of Council Member

CONTESTED APPOINTMENT

Endorsement

**Commission on HIV/AIDS** (3-year term) 1 citizen member

\_\_\_\_\_ Ambrose Sayles (residency waiver required)



George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee 1 Member Nominated by the Alexandria Jaycees Name of Council Member

CONTESTED APPOINTMENT

Endorsement

# George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee

(2-year term) 1 member nominated by the Alexandria Jaycees

> Herbert Warner (residency waiver required)

Jackie Huelbig, 2014 Alexandria Jaycees Chairman of the Board

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File #:	14-2461	Name:	Public Health Advisory Comm	l
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File created:	2/19/2014	In control:	City Council Legislative Meeti	ng
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Public Health Advisory Commission 1 Citizen Member Name of Council Member

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Endorsement

# Public Health Advisory Commission

(2-year term) 1 citizen member

\_\_\_\_\_ Rebecca Ash

\_\_\_\_\_ Alice Patty

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File #:	14-2462	Name:	Sister Cities Committee	
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Sister Cities Committee 1 Citizen Member Name of Council Member

CONTESTED APPOINTMENT

Endorsement

# Sister Cities Committee

(2-year term) 1 citizen member

\_\_\_\_\_ Stacie Andersen

\_\_\_\_\_ Scott Stephens \*

\* incumbent

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RGINIE	Legislation Details (With Text)			
File #:	14-1959	Name:	Update on 2014 General Ass	sembly Session
Туре:		Status:	Agenda Ready	
File created:	10/1/2013	In control:	City Council Legislative Meet	ling
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Update on 2014 General Assembly Session.



# Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	14-2299	Name:	Presentation of the Proposed Annual Operating Budget for FY 2015 (Including Schools)	g
Туре:		Status:	Agenda Ready	
File created:	1/7/2014	In control:	City Council Legislative Meeting	
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Title:			g Budget for FY 2015 (Including Schools), Calenda	ar
Sponsors:	Year 2014 Real Property 2015-2024 (Including the		e Proposed Capital Improvements Program for FY	/
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Presentation of the Proposed Annual Operating Budget for FY 2015 (Including Schools), Calendar Year 2014 Real Property Assessments, and the Proposed Capital Improvements Program for FY 2015-2024 (Including the Schools CIP.)



## Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	14-2300	Name:	Introduction and First Reading of Ordinance to Establish Real Estate and Personal Property Tax Rates for Calendar Year 2014 (Fiscal Year 2015).
Туре:	Ordinance	Status:	Agenda Ready
File created:	1/7/2014	In control:	City Council Legislative Meeting
On agenda:	2/25/2014	Final action:	
Title:		Property Tax Ra	Passage on First Reading of an Ordinance on the estimates and Proposed Effective Tax Rate Increase for
Sponsors:	· ·	,	
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Code sections:			
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# City of Alexandria, Virginia

## MEMORANDUM

#### **DATE:** FEBRUARY 19, 2014

#### **TO:** THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

#### FROM: RASHAD M. YOUNG, CITY MANAGER /s/

#### DOCKET TITLE:

Introduction and First Reading. Consideration. Passage on First Reading of an Ordinance on the Proposed Real and Personal Property Tax Rates and Proposed Effective Tax Rate Increase for Calendar Year 2014 (Fiscal Year 2015).

**ISSUE:** Consideration of the Real and Personal Property Tax Rates for Calendar Year 2014 (Fiscal Year 2015).

#### **<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>**: That City Council will:

(1) Pass the proposed ordinance on first reading after establishing the tax rates to be advertised for residential and commercial real property and personal property; and

#### File #: 14-2300, Version: 1

(2) Set the ordinance for public hearing on Saturday, April 12, and second reading and final passage on Thursday, May 1.

The maximum rates authorized by City Council in the attached ordinance reflect:

- 1. A base real estate tax rate on residential, commercial and industrial property for calendar year 2014 of \$ per one hundred dollars of assessed valuation;
- 2. Assumed in this proposed amount is the continued dedication of 0.6 cents for affordable housing and the continued dedication of 0.5 cents for a stormwater infrastructure trust fund account;
- 3. Assumed in the proposed amount is the continued reservation of 2.2 cents of the real property tax rate for transportation projects;
- 4. A special services district tax is proposed to continue to be levied on all real property located in the Tier I Potomac Yard Metrorail Station Special Services District at the current rate of \$0.20 per one hundred dollars of valuation.
- 5. Tax rates on vehicles and on other classes of personal property are not proposed to change for calendar year 2014.

**DISCUSSION:** Under the requirements of The Code of Virginia ("The Code"), the City Council annually must establish real property and personal property tax rates for each calendar year. The Code also establishes certain advertising and public hearing requirements prior to the adoption of these property tax rates. One of these Code requirements is that the rates that Council chooses to advertise are the highest rates that Council can consider adopting when they vote on the budget and set tax rates on May 1.

It should be noted, as discussed below, that the State Code requires a separate public hearing (i.e., separate from the budget hearing on March 10th) on the real property tax rate if the rates levied for the year in which the proposed tax rate applies would increase by more than one percent (after the value of new construction has been deducted). An increase of more than one percent is termed by statute an "effective tax rate increase." This would be the case in CY 2014 as taxes levied at the current \$1.038 rate reflect a 2.25 percent increase for all classes of real property (after the value of new construction has been deducted). It should be noted that the maximum tax rate that will be advertised may be different from the City Manager's proposed tax rate. The tax rate that would generate the same revenue as FY 2014 is \$1.013. Also, State law requires, in the circumstance of an increase in taxes levied in excess of 1%, to maintain or increase the current real property tax rate, that a special "notice of proposed real property tax increase" in a specific format and language be placed in a local newspaper of general circulation. We plan that the separate hearing on the "effective real property tax increase" will be held on April 12<sup>th</sup>, with the special notice of the hearing date, as required specifically by State statute, printed in two newspapers prior to that hearing. The advertisements will be placed in the Washington Times and the Alexandria Gazette Packet on March 13<sup>th</sup>, 30 days prior to the public hearing.

I propose that City Council act on Tuesday, March 11th to establish the maximum real estate tax and personal property tax rates which will be advertised in advance of the April 12 public hearing on the tax ordinance to be considered.

The following is the planned schedule for calendar year 2014 (FY 2015):

The FY 2015 proposed operating budget reflects no increase in the real property tax rate of \$1.038 per \$100. The proposed budget and the proposed ordinance assume the continuation of the dedication of 0.6 cents of the base real estate tax rate for affordable housing and the continuation of the dedication of 0.5 cents for the Stormwater Management Infrastructure Trust Fund. The proposed budget and the proposed ordinance also assumes the continuation of the reservation of 2.2 cents for transportation projects. In addition, the proposed budget and the proposed ordinance assume the same Tier I Potomac Yard Metrorail Station Special Services District Tax Rate of 20 cents for all real property located in that District.

Below are the values attributed to dedicated taxes and Council reserved taxes.

Dedicated Taxes: Affordable housing: Storm Water Management: Potomac Yard Special Services:	0.6 cents 0.5 cents 20 cents	\$2.1 million \$1.8 million \$0.6 million
Council Reserved Taxes: Transportation Improvement:	2.2 cents	\$7.8 million
Value of one cent (on all taxable real property):		\$3.6 million

The FY 2015 Proposed Operating budget reflects no change per \$100 of assessed value to the current various personal property tax rates:

\$5.00 for tangible personal property,

\$3.55 for vehicles with specially designed equipment for use by the physically disabled,

\$4.50 for machinery and tools used in machinery and manufacturing business, and certain vehicles for hire, and

\$0.01 for privately-owned pleasure boats and watercraft that are used for recreational purposes only.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The proposed tax of \$1.038 in the base real estate tax on each \$100 of assessed value for calendar year 2013 is expected to generate \$361.3 million in FY 2014 and \$383.4 million in FY 2015. It should be noted that the 2014 calendar year tax rate impacts the tax payment made in June 2014, which falls in FY 2014. In the fiscal impact below, the impact of the change in tax rate will be described in terms of its effect on FY 2014 and FY 2015.

In the FY 2010 Approved Budget, the City reduced its dedication for affordable housing to 0.7 cents. The FY 2012 budget reduced the dedication to 0.6 cents of the real estate tax rate. In FY 2015, this is estimated to

generate \$2.1 million, of which \$1.5 million is needed for debt service. The remaining \$0.6 million is available for affordable housing initiatives. If Council chooses to change the affordable housing dedication, a separate ordinance will be required and introduced at the time the budget is approved.

In FY 2011, City Council approved the dedication of 0.5 cents for stormwater management. The half cent is expected to generate an estimated \$1.8 million in both FY 2014 and FY 2015 and will be used primarily for capital projects related to maintenance and improvements of the City's stormwater infrastructure.

The Tier I Potomac Yard Special Services tax rate of 20 cents is projected to raise \$0.6 million in Calendar Year 2014.

#### ATTACHMENT:

Ordinance Cover Proposed Ordinance

#### STAFF:

Mark Jinks, Deputy City Manager Laura Triggs, Chief Financial Officer Nelsie L. Smith, Budget Director Morgan Routt, Assistant Budget Director

1	Introduction and first reading: 02/25/2014
2	Public hearing: 04/12/2014
3	Second reading and enactment: 05/01/2014
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5	INFORMATION ON PROPOSED ORDINANCE
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7	Title
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9	AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain Section 3-2-181 (LEVIED; AMOUNT),
10	Section 3-2-188 (CLASSIFICATION AND TAXATION OF CERTAIN
11	COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL REAL PROPERTY), and Section 3-2-189
12	(TIER I POTOMAC YARD METRORAIL STATION SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
13	DISTRICT TAX) of Division 1, (REAL ESTATE), and Section 3-2-221
14	(LEVIED ON TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY OTHER THAN MOBILE
15	HOMES, AUTOMOBILES, TRUCKS, ANTIQUE MOTOR VEHICLES,
16	TAXICABS, MOTOR VEHICLES WITH SPECIALLY DESIGNED
17	EQUIPMENT FOR USE BY THE HANDICAPPED, MOTORCYCLES,
18	CAMPERS AND OTHER RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, BOATS AND
19	TRAILERS; AMOUNT), Section 3-2-222 (LEVIED ON MACHINERY AND
20	TOOLS USED IN MINING OR MANUFACTURING BUSINESS; AMOUNT),
21	Section 3-2-223 (LEVIED ON MOBILE HOMES; AMOUNT), Section 3-2-224
22	(LEVIED ON AUTOMOBILES, TRUCKS, TRAILERS, SEMI-TRAILERS,
23	ANTIQUE MOTOR VEHICLES, TAXICABS, MOTORCYCLES, CAMPERS
24	AND OTHER RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, BOATS AND TRAILERS;
25	AMOUNT) of Division 3 (TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY AND
26	MACHINERY AND TOOLS), all of Article M (LEVY AND COLLECTION OF
27	PROPERTY TAXES), Chapter 2 (TAXATION), Title 3 (FINANCE,
28	TAXATION AND PROCUREMENT) of The Code of the City of Alexandria,
29	Virginia, 1981, as amended.
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31	Summary
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33	The proposed ordinance sets the city's calendar year 2014 general tax rates for (1)
34	real property; (2) personal property; (3) machinery and tools; (4) for the additional
35	real property taxes assessed on commercial and industrial real property; and (5)
36	real property located in the special services tax district located in the Tier I
37	Potomac Yard Metrorail Station Special Services District.
38	Totomae Tare Metorali Station Special Services District.
39	0.6 cents of the calendar year 2014 real estate tax rate continues to be set aside for
40	affordable housing. 0.5 cents of the calendar year 2014 real estate tax rate
40 41	continues to be set aside for the Storm Water Trust Fund. It is assumed in the
42	proposed amount is the continued reservation of 2.2 cents of the real property tax
42 43	rate for transportation projects.
43 44	rate for transportation projects.
44 45	The ordinance sets the calendar year 2014 real property tax rate at \$ on
45 46	each \$100 of assessed value.
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2		The special services district tax for real property located in the Tier I Potomac
3		Yard Metrorail Station Special Services District remains unchanged from
4		calendar year 2013.
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6		The ordinance for calendar year 2014, will not levy an additional real property tax
7		on all commercial and industrial property in the City (i.e. tax rate will be \$0 per
8		\$100 of assessed value).
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10		Automobiles, trucks, trailers, semi-trailers, and antique motor vehicles tax rates
11		remain unchanged from calendar year 2013, and the personal property, machinery
12		and tools tax rates remains unchanged from calendar year 2013.
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14	Spons	or
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17	<u>Staff</u>	
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19		Laura Triggs, Chief Financial Officer
20		Nelsie L. Smith, Budget Director
21		Christina Zechman Brown, Assistant City Attorney
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23	Autho	<u>rity</u>
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25		Article X, § 4, Virginia Constitution
26		§§ 2.02(a)(1), 6.15 Alexandria City Charter
27		§ 15.2-2400 et seq., Code of Virginia
28		§ 58.1-3221.3, Code of Virginia
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30	Estima	ated Costs of Implementation
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32		None.
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34	Attach	ments in Addition to Proposed Ordinance and its Attachments (if any)
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36		None.

1	ORDINANCE NO
2	ORDINANCE NO.
3	AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain Section 3-2-181 (LEVIED; AMOUNT), Section 3-2-
4	188 (CLASSIFICATION AND TAXATION OF CERTAIN COMMERCIAL AND
5	INDUSTRIAL REAL PROPERTY), and Section 3-2-189 (TIER I POTOMAC YARD
6	METRORAIL STATION SPECIAL SERVICES DISTRICT TAX) of Division 1, (REAL
7	ESTATE), and Section 3-2-221 (LEVIED ON TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY
8	OTHER THAN MOBILE HOMES, AUTOMOBILES, TRUCKS, ANTIQUE MOTOR
9	VEHICLES, TAXICABS, MOTOR VEHICLES WITH SPECIALLY DESIGNED
10	EQUIPMENT FOR USE BY THE HANDICAPPED, MOTORCYCLES, CAMPERS
11	AND OTHER RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, BOATS AND TRAILERS; AMOUNT),
12	Section 3-2-222 (LEVIED ON MACHINERY AND TOOLS USED IN MINING OR
13	MANUFACTURING BUSINESS; AMOUNT), Section 3-2-223 (LEVIED ON MOBILE
14	HOMES; AMOUNT), Section 3-2-224 (LEVIED ON AUTOMOBILES, TRUCKS,
15	TRAILERS, SEMI-TRAILERS, ANTIQUE MOTOR VEHICLES, TAXICABS,
16	MOTORCYCLES, CAMPERS AND OTHER RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, BOATS
17	AND TRAILERS; AMOUNT) of Division 3 (TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY
18	AND MACHINERY AND TOOLS), all of Article M (LEVY AND COLLECTION OF
19	PROPERTY TAXES), Chapter 2 (TAXATION), Title 3 (FINANCE, TAXATION AND
20	PROCUREMENT) of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as amended.
21 22	THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:
22	THE CIT I COUNCIL OF ALEAANDRIA HERED I ORDAINS.
23 24	Section 1. That Section 3-2-181 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981,
25	as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows:
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27	Sec. 3-2-181 Levied; amount.
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29	There shall be levied and collected for the calendar year 20134 on all real estate located
30	within the territorial boundaries of the city and subject to taxation for city purposes under the
31	constitution and laws of this state and city, a tax of \$ on each \$100 of the assessed
32	residential property value thereof and \$ on each \$100 of the assessed commercial residential
33	property value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of principal and
34	interest of the city debt and for other municipal expenses and purposes.
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36	Section 2. That Sec. 3-2-188 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, 1981 as amended,
37	be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows:
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39	Sec. 3-2-188 Classification and taxation of certain commercial and industrial real
40	property.
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42	(a) Pursuant to the authority granted by Section 58.1-3221.3 of the Code of Virginia
43	(1950), as amended, all commercial and industrial real property in the City of Alexandria
44 45	classified by the General Assembly as a separate class of real property for local taxation shall be
45	designated, assessed and taxed as a separate class of real property. Such separate class of real

1 property shall not include any residential uses excluded by Section 58.1-3221.3 of the Code of 2 Virginia. 3 4 (b) In addition to all other taxes and fees permitted by law, the class of real property 5 designated in this section may, and if imposed by ordinance shall, be subject to a real property 6 tax, in addition to that imposed by City Code Section 3-2-181 and any other applicable law, at 7 the rate established by the City Council of the City of Alexandria 8 not to exceed the rate authorized by the Code of Virginia. 9 10 (c) All revenues generated from the real property tax imposed by this Section 3-2-188 shall be used exclusively for transportation-related projects and services that benefit 11 12 the City of Alexandria. 13 14 (d) The real property tax imposed by this Section 3-2-188 shall be levied, administered, 15 enforced and collected in the same manner as set forth in Subtitle III of Title 58.1 of the Code of 16 Virginia and Chapter 2 of this Title for the levy, administration, enforcement and collection of 17 local taxes. 18 19 (e) The director of the department of real estate assessments shall separately assess and 20 set forth upon the City of Alexandria's land book the fair market value of that property that is 21 designated as a separate class of real property in accordance with the provisions of this section. 22 23 (f) There shall be levied and collected for the calendar year 20134 on all real estate 24 located within the territorial boundaries of the city and subject to taxation pursuant to this 25 section, a tax of \$\_\_\_\_\_ on each \$100 of the assessed value thereof, for the purposes set forth in 26 subsection (c) above. 27 28 Section 3. That Section 3-2-189 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, 29 as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows: 30 31 Sec. 3-2-189 Tier I Potomac Yard Metrorail Station Special Services District Tax. 32 33 (a) Pursuant to the authority granted by Section 15.2-2400, et seq. of the Code of 34 Virginia (1950), as amended, all real property located in the Tier I Potomac Yard Metrorail 35 Station Special Services District, established pursuant to Ordinance Number 4693, classified by the city council as a separate class of real property for local taxation shall be designated, assessed 36 37 and taxed as a separate class of real property. 38 39 (b) In addition to all other taxes and fees permitted by law, the class of real property 40 designated in this section may, and if imposed by ordinance shall, be subject to a real property 41 tax, in addition to that imposed by city code section 3-2-181 and any other applicable law, at the rate established by the city council of the City of Alexandria. 42 43 44 (c) As detailed in Ordinance Number 4693, all revenues generated from the real property tax imposed by this Section 3-2-189 shall be used exclusively for the purpose of providing 45 46 facilities and services related to the construction of the Potomac Yard Metro Station in the City

1 of Alexandria and the construction of a pedestrian bridge from Potomac Greens to Potomac 2 Yard. 3 4 (d) The real property tax imposed by this section 3-2-189 shall be levied, administered, 5 enforced and collected in the same manner as set forth in Subtitle III of Title 58.1 of the Code of 6 Virginia and chapter 2 of this title for the levy, administration, enforcement and collection of 7 local taxes. 8 9 (e) The director of the department of real estate assessments shall separately assess and set forth upon the City of Alexandria's land book the fair market value of that property that is 10 designated as a separate class of real property in accordance with the provisions of this section. 11 12 13 (f) There shall be levied and collected for the calendar year 20134 on all real estate 14 located within the territorial boundaries of the city and subject to taxation pursuant to this 15 section, a tax of \$0.20 on each \$100 of the assessed value thereof, for the purposes set forth in 16 subsection (c) above. 17 18 Section 4. That Section 3-2-221 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, 19 as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows: 20 21 Sec. 3-2-221 Levied on tangible personal property other than mobile homes, automobiles, 22 trucks, antique motor vehicles, taxicabs, motor vehicles with specially designed 23 equipment for use by the handicapped, motorcycles, campers and other 24 recreational vehicles, boats and boat trailers; amount. 25 26 There shall be levied and collected for the calendar year 20134 on all tangible personal property, other than mobile homes, automobiles, trucks, antique motor vehicles, taxicabs, motor 27 28 vehicles with specially designed equipment for use by the handicapped, motorcycles, campers 29 and other recreational vehicles, boats and trailers, owned or held by residents or citizens of the 30 city or located within the territorial boundaries of the city or otherwise having a situs within the 31 city and subject to taxation for city purposes under the constitution and laws of this state and 32 city, a tax of \$5.00 on every \$100 of assessed value thereof, for the support of the city 33 government, for the payment of principal and interest of the city debt and for other municipal 34 expenses and purposes. 35 36 Section 5. That Section 3-2-222 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, 37 as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows: 38 39 Sec. 3-2-222 Levied on machinery and tools used in mining or manufacturing business; 40 amount. 41 42 There shall be levied and collected for the calendar year 20134 on all machinery and tools used in a mining or manufacturing business taxable on capital and subject to taxation for 43 44 city purposes under the constitution and laws of this state and city, a tax of \$4.50 on each \$100 of assessed value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of principal 45 and interest of the city debt and for other municipal expenses and purposes. 46

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1 2	Section 6. That Section 3-2-223 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981,
23	as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows:
4	as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordamed to read as follows.
5	Sec. 3-2-223 Levied on mobile homes; amount.
6	Sec. 5-2-225 Levied on mobile nomes, amount.
7	There shall be levied and collected for the calendar year $20134$ on all vehicles without
8	motor power, used or designed to be used as mobile homes as defined in section 46.2-100 of the
9	Code of Virginia, owned or held by residents or citizens of the city or located within the
10	territorial boundaries of the city or otherwise having a situs within the city and subject to taxation
10	for city purposes under the constitution and laws of this state and city, a tax of \$0.978 on each
12	\$100 of assessed value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of
12	principal and interest of the city debt and for other municipal expenses and purposes.
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14	Section 7. That Section 3-2-224 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981,
16	as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows:
10	as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordanied to read as follows.
18	Sec. 3-2-224 Levied on automobiles, trucks, trailers, semi-trailers, antique motor vehicles,
19	taxicabs, motorcycles, campers and other recreational vehicles, boats and trailers;
20	amount.
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22	(a) Except as provided in subsections (b), (c) and (d), there shall be levied and collected
22	for the calendar year $20134$ on all automobiles, trucks, trailers, semi-trailers, antique motor
24	vehicles (as defined in section 46.2-100 of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, which may
25	be used for general transportation purposes as provided in subsection C of section 46.2-730 of
26	the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended), taxicabs, motorcycles, campers and other recreational
27	vehicles, boats and boat trailers owned or held by residents or citizens of the city or located
28	within the territorial boundaries of the city or otherwise having a situs for taxation in the city, a
29	tax of \$5.00 on every \$100 of assessed value thereof, for the support of the city government, for
30	the payment of principal and interest of the city debt and for other municipal expenses and
31	purposes.
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33	(b) There shall be levied on and collected for the calendar year 201 <del>34</del> on all automobiles,
34	trucks, trailers and semi-trailers with a gross vehicle weight of 10,000 pounds or more which are
35	used to transport property for hire by a motor carrier engaged in interstate commerce, and are
36	owned or held by residents or citizens of the city, are located within the territorial boundaries of
37	the city or otherwise have a situs for taxation in the city, a tax of \$4.50 on every \$100 of assessed
38	value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of principal and interest of
39	the city debt and for other municipal expenses and purposes.
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41	(c) There shall be levied on and collected for the calendar year $20134$ on all automobiles
42	and trucks which are equipped with specially designed equipment for use by the handicapped
43	and are owned or held by residents or citizens of the city, are located within the territorial
44	boundaries of the city or otherwise have a situs for taxation in the city, a tax of \$3.55 on every
15	\$100 of assessed value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of

45 \$100 of assessed value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of
46 principal and interest of the city debt and for other municipal expenses and purposes.

(d) There shall be levied on and collected for the calendar year 20134 on all privately
owned pleasure boats and watercraft, which are used for recreational purposes only, and are
owned or held by residents or citizens of the city, or are located within the territorial boundaries
of the city or otherwise have a situs for taxation in the city, a tax of \$.01 on every \$100 of
assessed value thereof, for the support of the city government, for the payment of principal and
interest of the city debt and for other municipal expenses and purposes.

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9 (e) For tax years commencing in 2006, the City adopts the provisions of Item 503.E of 10 Chapter 951 of the 2005 Acts of Assembly (the 2005 revisions to the 2004-06 Appropriations 11 Act, the "2005 Appropriations Act"), providing for the computation of tax relief under the 12 Personal Property Tax Relief Act of 1998, sections 58.1-3523 et seq. of the Code of Virginia, as 13 amended, as a specific dollar amount to be offset against the total taxes that would otherwise be 14 due but for the Personal Property Tax Relief Act of 1998, sections 58.1-3523 et seq. of the Code 15 of Virginia, as amended, and the reporting of such specific dollar relief on the tax bill.

16 17 (i) The City shall, following adoption of the annual budget adopted pursuant to Chapter 25 of Title 15.2 of the Code of Virginia and sections 6.01 through 6.15 of the City Charter, set 18 19 the rate of tax relief under this subsection at such a level that it is anticipated fully to exhaust 20 relief funds under the Personal Property Tax Relief Act of 1998, sections 58.1-3523 et seq. of the 21 Code of Virginia, as amended, provided to the City by the Commonwealth. Any amount of 22 relief funds under the Personal Property Tax Relief Act of 1998, sections 58.1-3523 et seq. of the 23 Code of Virginia, as amended, provided to the City by the Commonwealth, not used within the 24 City's fiscal year shall be carried forward and used to increase the funds available for personal 25 property tax relief under this subsection in the following fiscal year. 26

(ii) Personal property tax bills shall set forth on their face the specific dollar amount of
relief under this subsection credited with respect to each qualifying vehicle, together with an
explanation of the general manner in which such relief is allocated.

(iii) Allocation of relief under this subsection shall be provided in accordance with the
 general provisions of this section, as implemented by the specific provisions of the City's annual
 budget relating to relief under this subsection.

(iv) Relief under this subsection shall be allocated in such as manner as to eliminate
 personal property taxation of each qualifying vehicle with an assessed value of \$1,000 or less.

(v) Relief under this subsection with respect to qualifying vehicles with assessed values
of more than \$1,000 shall be provided at a rate, annually fixed in the City budget and applied to
the first \$20,000 in value of each such qualifying vehicle, that is estimated fully to use all relief
funds under the Personal Property Tax Relief Act of 1998, sections 58.1-3523 et seq. of the Code
of Virginia, as amended, provided to the City by the Commonwealth.

- 44 Section 8. That this ordinance shall become effective January 1, 2014, nunc pro tunc.
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# City of Alexandria, Virginia

## MEMORANDUM

#### **DATE:** FEBRUARY 19, 2014

#### TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

#### FROM: RASHAD M. YOUNG, CITY MANAGER /s/

#### DOCKET TITLE:

Consideration of City Council Schedule.

#### **ISSUE**: City Council Schedule

#### **<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>**: That City Council:

- 1. Receive the revised Council Calendar (Attachment 1) which includes:
  - The work session with the Torpedo Factory Art Center Board will now occur on Tuesday, May 13 at 6 p.m. in the Council Workroom;
  - A work session on the Waterfront Landscape and Flood Mitigation Design Project is scheduled for Tuesday, April 8 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Workroom;
  - A work session on the Discussion of Feasibility & Food Trucks is scheduled for Tuesday, April 22 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Workroom;

2. Approve the calendar.

**<u>DISCUSSION</u>**: Please Note: The Budget Work session calendar has been incorporated into the regular City Council Schedule. Unless otherwise noted on the calendar, all of the budget work sessions are scheduled to begin at 6 p.m. and will be held in Sister Cities 1101.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment 1: Council Calendar February 2014 - June 2014

#### STAFF:

Jerome Fletcher, Special Assistant to the City Manager

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<b>Fe</b>	bruary					
Sun	n Mon	Тие	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 7 P.M. – City Council First Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers	12 6 P.M. – Preliminary Budget Work session w/ Accountable Government Focus Area Team & Livable, Green, and Prosperous Focus Area Team, 2900 Business Drive	VML Day 13	14	15
16	<b>17 HOLIDAY</b> Presidents' Day	18	19	20 6 P.M. – Preliminary Budget Work session w/ Healthy and Thriving Focus Area Team & Safe Secure and Just Focus Area Team, 2900 Business Drive	21	<ul> <li>22</li> <li>8:30 A.M. – East Reed Development Groundbreaking, 120 East Reed Ave.</li> <li>9:30 A.M. – City Council Public Hearing, Council Chambers</li> </ul>
23	24	25 7 P.M. – City Council Second Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers	26	27	28	2014

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Sun	Mon	Тие	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2	<b>3</b> <b>Budget Work Session:</b> Revenue, Five Year Financial Planning Model, Compensation Issues	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 4 P.M. – Budget Public Hearing, City Council Chambers	<ul> <li><b>11</b></li> <li><b>5:30 P.M.</b> – 30<sup>th</sup></li> <li>Anniversary Reception for DASH/ATC, Vola Lawson Lobby</li> <li><b>7 P.M.</b> – City Council First Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers</li> </ul>	12 Budget Work Session: Livable, Green, and Prospering Focus Area	13	14	15 9:30 A.M. – City Council Public Hearing, Council Chambers
16	17	<b>18</b> <b>Budget Work Session:</b> Healthy and Thriving Focus Area	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 6:00 P.M. – Annual Stockholders meeting and a DASH work session with the Alexandria Transit, Council Workroom 7 P.M. – City Council Second Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers	<ul> <li>26</li> <li>Budget Work Session: Safe, Secure and Just Focus Area,</li> <li>2900 Business Center Drive</li> </ul>	27	28	29
30	<b>31</b> 6 P.M. – 34 <sup>th</sup> Annual Salute to Women Awards, U.S. Patent and Trade Office					2014

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	April					
	Sun Ma	on Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Budget Work Session: Accountable, Effective and Well- Managed Gov't Focus Area	3	4	5
6	7	<ul> <li>8</li> <li>5:30 P.M. – Work session on Waterfront Landscape and Flood Mitigation Design Project, Council Workroom</li> <li>7 P.M. – City Council First Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers</li> </ul>	9	10 Budget Work Session: CIP (including ACPS Capital)	11	12 9:30 A.M. – City Council Public Hearing, Council Chambers
13	14	15	16	17	18 Good Friday	19
20 Easter	21 6:30 P.M. – Preliminary Add/Delete, Sister Cities 1101	<ul> <li>22</li> <li>5:30 P.M. – Work session on Discussion of Feasibility &amp; Food Trucks, Council Workroom</li> <li>7 P.M. – City Council Second Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers</li> </ul>	23	24 Budget Work Session: BFAAC and Business Tax Reform Task	25	26 10 A.M. – 2 P.M. – Earth Day, Ben Brenman Park
27	<b>28</b> <b>6:30 P.M.</b> – Final Add/Delete, Sister Cities 1101	29	30			2014

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	May						
	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					<b>1</b> <b>7 P.M.</b> – Budget Adoption, Council Chambers	2	3
4		5	6	7	8	9	10
11		12	<ul> <li>13</li> <li>5:30 P.M. – Work session with the Torpedo Factory Art Center Board, Council Workroom</li> <li>7 P.M. – City Council First Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers</li> </ul>	14	15	16	<b>17</b> <b>9:30 A.M.</b> – City Council Public Hearing, Council Chambers
18		19	20	21	22	23	24
25		<b>26 HOLIDAY</b> Memorial Day	27 7 P.M. – City Council Second Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers	28	29	30	<sup>31</sup> 2014

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	June						
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22		23	<ul> <li>24</li> <li>5:30 P.M. – ACPD Annual Awards Ceremony, Vola Lawson</li> <li>7 P.M. – City Council Second Legislative, Meeting, Council Chambers</li> </ul>	25	26	27	28
29		30					2014

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Consideration of Convening a Closed Meeting for the Purpose of Consulting with Legal Counsel Regarding a Pending Legal Matter.

### [RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_]

WHEREAS, the Alexandria City Council has on the date of this resolution recessed into executive session pursuant to a motion made and adopted in accordance with the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

WHEREAS, § 2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by the city council that such executive session was conducted in accordance with Virginia law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the city council does hereby certify that, to the best of each member's knowledge, only public business matters that were identified in the motion by which the executive session was convened, and that are lawfully exempted by the Freedom of Information Act from the Act's open meeting requirements, were heard, discussed or considered by council during the executive session.