

City of Hyattsville

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Agenda Regular Meeting

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Monday, February 1, 2021

7:00 PM

Virtual

City Council

Kevin Ward, Interim Mayor, Ward 1
Carrianna Suiter, Council Vice President, Ward 3

Bart Lawrence, Ward 1
Robert S. Croslin, Ward 2
Danny Schaible, Ward 2
Ben Simasek, Ward 3
Edouard Haba, Ward 4
Daniel Peabody, Ward 4
Joseph Solomon, Ward 5
Erica Spell Wolf, Ward 5

ADMINISTRATION

Tracey E. Douglas, City Administrator
Laura Reams, City Clerk, 301-985-5009, cityclerk@hyattsville.org

WELCOME TO THE CITY OF HYATTSVILLE CITY COUNCIL MEETING!
Your participation at this public meeting is valued and appreciated.

AGENDA/PACKET: The Agenda/Packet is available for review at the Hyattsville Municipal Building and online at www.hyattsville.org prior to the scheduled meeting (generally available no later than the Friday prior to the scheduled Monday meeting). Please note, times given for agenda items are estimates only. Matters other than those indicated on the agenda may also be considered at Council discretion.

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Meeting Notice:

As we continue to take precautions due to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic, the Hyattsville City Council will hold its meeting on Monday, February 1, 2021 remotely via video conference. The Council meeting will be conducted entirely remotely; there will be no in-person meeting attendance.

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1. Call to Order and Council Roll Call**2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag****3. Approval of Agenda****4. Approval of the Minutes****4.a) Approval of the Minutes**[HCC-207-FY21](#)

I move that the Mayor and Council approve the Council Meeting Minutes of January 4, 2021.

Sponsors: City Administrator

Attachments: [Minutes Jan 4, 2021 CM FINAL](#)

5. Public Comment (7:10 p.m. – 7:20 p.m.) Complete Speaker Card, Limit 2 minutes per speaker**6. City Administrator Update (7:20 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.)****7. Treasurer Update (7:30 p.m. - 7:40 p.m.)****8. Presentations (7:40 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.)**

8.a) Educational Facilities Task Force[HCC-209-FY21](#)

Presentation Only

Sponsors: City Administrator**Department:** Educational Facilities Task Force**Attachments:** [Presentation to Council 2-1-2021](#)
[PGCPS PPC Hyattsville](#)
[BlueprintSchools Hyattsville Townhall Jan 12 2021.amemded1.21.21](#)
[\(1\)](#)**9. Proclamations (8:00 p.m. - 8:05 p.m.)****9.a) Proclamation Celebrating February 2021 as Black History Month in the City of Hyattsville**[HCC-206-FY21](#)

I move that the Mayor and Council adopt a proclamation recognizing February 2021 as Black History Month in the City of Hyattsville.

Sponsors: City Administrator**Attachments:** [CM 0201 Black History Month 2021](#)**10. Consent Items (8:05 p.m. - 8:10 p.m.)****10.a) Hyattsville Ordinance 2021-01: Close of Candidate Registration (Adoption)**[HCC-204-FY21](#)

I move that the Mayor and Council adopt Hyattsville Ordinance 2021-01, an ordinance whereby the City Council amends Chapter 8 of the Hyattsville Code to change the day by which candidates for office are required to register as candidates (SECOND READING & ADOPTION).

Sponsors: City Administrator**Department:** City Clerk**Attachments:** [Sec. 8-7, Ordinance Changing Candidate Registration Date 1.4.20](#)

10.b) Disbursement of FY21 Education Enrichment Grant Funds[HCC-205-FY21](#)

I move that the Mayor and Council authorize the expenditure of \$2,809.19 to support the grant proposals recommended from the Education Advisory Committee and listed in the attached memo for the dissemination of the FY21 Education Enrichment Grants.

Sponsors: City Administrator

Department: City Clerk

Attachments: [Memo - EEGP 2021.01.26](#)
[BARS Felegy Redacted](#)
[Development Library University Park](#)
[Distance Learning Rosa Parks Redacted](#)
[Parent Workshops Rosa Parks](#)
[KEMS HMS Redacted](#)
[Little Mermaid NWH Redacted](#)

10.c) Schedule Public Hearing for Traffic Calming Petition - Oliver Street[HCC-211-FY21](#)

I move that the City Council schedule a Public Hearing for Monday, March 1, 2021 at 6:30 PM, to consider public testimony regarding a Traffic Calming Petition submitted for the 3900 block of Oliver Street, located in Ward 3.

Sponsors: City Administrator

Department: City Clerk

Attachments: [PetitionOliverStSpeedBump Redacted](#)
[20210113 TrafficCalming 4000Oliver](#)
[Traffic Calming Flowchart](#)
[114-8 Traffic Calming Devices](#)

11. Discussion Items (8:10 p.m. - 8:40 p.m.)

11.a) Hyattsville COVID-19 Restaurant Relief[HCC-210-FY21](#)

I move that the Mayor and Council amend the Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21) Special Revenue Funds Budget and re-appropriate \$66,000 of the remaining \$74,000 originally allocated to Employ Prince George's from the Hyattsville Pandemic Relief fund to support regionally and locally owned full-service restaurants, distilleries, breweries, and wineries/meaderies in the City of Hyattsville. This funding will provide \$2,000 to each qualifying restaurant to be used towards rent, utilities, Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), takeout supplies, and other pandemic related overhead. These funds should be allocated by April 30, 2021.

Sponsors: Suiter, Lawrence, Simasek, Spell Wolf and Ward

Department: Legislative

Attachments: [Hyattsville COVID-19 Restaurant Relief_Suiter](#)

11.b) Purchase of BolaWrap Devices and Cartridges[HCC-214-FY21](#)

I move that the Mayor and Council authorize the expenditure in the amount of \$12,039 to East Coast Tactical for the purchase of 10 BolaWrap devices and 90 cartridges to be divided between each squad and our Emergency Response Team. The funding source for this purchase is the speed camera special revenue fund.

I further move that, upon procurement, the Hyattsville City Police Department move swiftly to adequately train and staff members of each squad and the Emergency Response Team on the appropriate use and deployment of the BolaWrap Device.

Sponsors: City Administrator

Department: Police Department

Attachments: [BolaWrap Pictures](#)

12. Council Dialogue (8:40 p.m. - 8:50 p.m.)**13. Community Notices and Meetings****13.a) Main City Calendar February 2 - February 16, 2021**[HCC-208-FY21](#)

N/A

Sponsors: City Administrator

Attachments: [Main City Calendar Feb 2 - Feb 16 2021 FINAL](#)

14. Motion to Adjourn