

January 23, 2020

**Mayor John L. Rowe, Jr.
Vice Mayor Lisa L. Lucas-Burke
Councilman William E. Moody, Jr.
Councilwoman Elizabeth M. Psimas
Councilman Nathan J. Clark
Councilman Paul J. Battle
Councilman Shannon E. Glover**

Dear Members of City Council:

Please attend a called meeting of the City Council to be held in the 6th Floor Conference Room, 801 Crawford Street, 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 28, 2020 for the purpose of a Public Work Session.

In addition, you may consider a motion to go into a Closed Meeting.

By order of the Mayor.

Sincerely,

**Debra Y. White, CMC/AAE
City Clerk**

**Portsmouth City Council
Public Work Session
Tuesday, January 28, 2020
5:00 p.m.**

1. [Continuity of Operations Plan](#)
2. **General Assembly Update**
3. **City Council Retreat**
4. **City Manager's Report Review/ Report Backs**
5. **City Council Liaison Reports**



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Tuesday, January 28, 2020 - 7:00 p.m.

City Council Chamber

801 Crawford Street, 6th Floor, Portsmouth, Virginia

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION – Vice Mayor Lisa L. Lucas-Burke

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

[MINUTES](#) (Electronic Roll Call)

**PER SECTION V OF CITY COUNCIL RULES AND PROCEDURE, APPLAUSE SHALL BE PERMITTED ONLY DURING AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS. DURING ALL OTHER AGENDA ITEMS, A SPEAKER MAY REQUEST AN EXPRESSION OF CONSENSUS, SUPPORT, OR OPPOSITION BY CALLING FOR A SHOW OF HANDS OR FOR MEMBERS OF THE AUDIENCE TO SILENTLY STAND.

CITY COUNCIL RULES REQUIRE A LIMIT OF UP TO FIVE (5) MINUTES TO SPEAK

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

20 - 14 - Rezoning:

- (b) Ordinance granting the request of Jim Bento, with Fairlead Integrated, to rezone approximately 12.5 acres located at 176 Lincoln Street and 0 Gosport Row along the southern branch of the Elizabeth River from Special District with conditions (SD-K) to Industrial with conditions (IN-K). (Z-19-07) (First Reading Vote: Approved 6-1) (Electronic Roll Call)

[Ordinance](#)

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

- 20-33 Adoption of an ordinance accepting STEP-VA Outpatient Supplemental Needs-Based Funding in the amount of \$152,895 from the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services and appropriating said funds in the FY 2020 Behavioral Healthcare Services Fund for use by the Department of BHS to assist with outpatient services. (Electronic Roll Call)

[Executive Brief and documentation](#)

[Ordinance](#)

- 20-34 Adoption of a resolution adopting the newly developed Continuity of Operations Plan for the City of Portsmouth. (Electronic Roll Call)

[Executive Brief and documentation](#)

[Resolution](#)

- 20-35 Adoption of a motion to permit Officer Robert Hoel to adopt a Portsmouth Police Department Canine dog, "Chico", a Belgian Malinois. (Electronic Roll Call)
[Executive Brief and documentation](#)

NEW BUSINESS

- 20-36 Boards and Commissions (Electronic Roll Call)
- 20-37 Items Submitted by Council Members
- 20-38 [Report on Pending Items](#)
- 20-39 Non-Agenda Speakers

ADJOURNMENT

THE CITY HALL BUILDING, WHICH IS THE REGULAR MEETING PLACE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, VIRGINIA, IS PHYSICALLY ACCESSIBLE TO PERSONS WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES. HOWEVER, IF YOU ARE DISABLED AND REQUIRE A REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION IN ORDER TO ATTEND OR PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL, PLEASE NOTIFY MRS. DEBRA Y. WHITE, CMC/AE, AT 393-8639, TO ADVISE HER OF YOUR NEED TO BE ACCOMMODATED, AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING THAT YOU PLAN TO ATTEND.

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE BROADCAST ON PCTV AND AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT WWW.PORTSMOUTHVA.GOV.

CITIZENS MAY SIGN UP TO SPEAK ON THE DAY OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING:

BY PHONE BETWEEN 8AM - 4PM (393-8639);

BY EMAIL AT COUNCIL@PORTSMOUTHVA.GOV BETWEEN 8AM - 4PM;

IN PERSON BETWEEN 8AM - 7PM.

REGISTRATION CARDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER 7PM.