



# CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Tuesday, February 23, 2021 - 7:00 p.m.

Virtual Meeting

Portsmouth, Virginia (Facebook Live)

## CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL **7-0 Present**

MINUTES (Roll Call) **Adopted 7-0**

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

## CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

**Adopted 7-0** 21-77 Adoption of an ordinance to amend section 10-119 of Chapter 10 of the Code of the City of Portsmouth, Virginia, as amended, to change the voting location for Precinct Number 36 from Scottish Rite Temple to Churchland High School, located at 4301 Cedar Lane, and to formally change the name of Precinct Number 36 to "Churchland High School." (Roll Call Vote)

## NEW BUSINESS

21-78 Boards and Commissions (Roll Call Vote) **Adopted 7-0**

- Motion by Dr. Whitaker, and seconded by Mr. Barnes, pursuant to City Council authority that members of the Portsmouth Port and Industrial Commission be removed with notice to reapply, and was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Barnes, Battle, Whitaker, Woodard, Glover

Nays: Lucas-Burke, Moody

- Motion by Dr. Whitaker, and seconded by Mr. Barnes, pursuant to Virginia Code Section 15-2-4904 and Virginia Code Section 2-813 that members of the Economic Development Authority be removed with notice to reapply, and was denied by the following vote:

Ayes: Barnes, Battle, Whitaker, Woodard

Nays: Lucas-Burke, Moody, Glover

\*This motion failed due to the lack of a unanimous vote which is required.

21-79 Items Submitted by Council Members

a. Adoption of a resolution rescinding the Local Revenue Allocation Policy governing the allocation of local revenue to Portsmouth Public Schools. Deferred at the February 9, 2021 City Council Meeting. (Roll Call Vote)

**Adopted 6-1**  
**Councilman Moody**

- Adopted 7-0**
- b. Adoption of an ordinance confirming and continuing Ordinance 2020-102 adopted on October 13, 2020 and the emergency procedures established thereunder to ensure the continuity of local government during the COVID-19 pandemic. (Roll Call Vote)

21-80 Report on Pending Items

21-81 Non-Agenda Speakers

## ADJOURNMENT

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