



**COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL**  
**REGULAR COMMITTEE MEETING**  
 ~Minutes~

Atlanta City Hall  
 55 Trinity Avenue  
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**CITY OF ATLANTA**

**Chairperson**  
 The Honorable Jennifer N Ide

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**Monday, August 5, 2019**

**11:15 AM**

**Committee Room 1**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the **Committee on Council** was held on **Monday, August 5, 2019**, at **11:27 AM** in **Committee Room 1**. The following members were present:

<b>Attendee Name</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Arrived</b>
Jennifer N Ide	Chair	Present	
Natalyn Mosby Archibong	District 5	Present	
Andre Dickens	Post 3 At Large	Present	
Amir R Farokhi	District 2	Present	
Cleta Winslow	District 4	Present	
Matt Westmoreland	Post 2 At Large	Present	
Antonio Brown	District 3	Present	11:23 AM
Brigette B Brown	Data Reporting Analyst	Present	10:45 AM
Julia R Pulidindi	Legislative Research and Policy Analyst	Present	10:45 AM
Jared Evans	Legislative Research and Policy Analyst	Present	11:00 AM

**Others in Attendance:**

**Council Director's Office:** Denis Conway, Parliamentarian and Theo Pace, Director; **Municipal Clerk's Office:** Shawn Brown and Foris Webb, Municipal Clerk; **Law:** Susan Garrett; **Other:** APD Officer, Council Staff, Councilmember Staff, the media and members of the public.

**B. INTRODUCTION OF MEMBERS**

**C. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

**ADOPTED**

**D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**APPROVED AS AMENDED**

**E. ADOPTION OF FULL COUNCIL AGENDA**

**ADOPTED**

**F. PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA (3 MINUTES)**

Brother Anthony Muhammad

**G. COMMUNICATIONS**

19-C-0081 (1) A COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILMEMBERS NATALYN M. ARCHIBONG, DISTRICT 5; JENNIFER N. IDE, DISTRICT 6; HOWARD SHOOK, DISTRICT 7; J. P. MATZIGKEIT, DISTRICT 8 AND MATT WESTMORELAND, POST 2 AT-LARGE APPOINTING MS. SUSANNE BLAM TO THE TREE CONSERVATION COMMISSION. THIS APPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION.  
(Favorable by Community Development/Human Services Committee 7/9/19)

**RESULT: FAVORABLE [UNANIMOUS] Next: 8/5/2019 1:00 PM**  
**MOVER:** Natalyn Mosby Archibong, District 5  
**SECONDER:** Matt Westmoreland, Post 2 At Large  
**AYES:** Ide, Archibong, Dickens, Farokhi, Winslow, Westmoreland, Brown

**H. ORDINANCE(S) FOR SECOND READING**

19-O-1385 (2) AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBERS MICHAEL JULIAN BOND, MARCI COLLIER OVERSTREET, ANDRE DICKENS, MATT WESTMORELAND, AMIR R. FAROKHI, HOWARD SHOOK, ANDREA L. BOONE, JENNIFER N. IDE, ANTONIO BROWN, AND DUSTIN HILLIS TO AMEND CITY OF ATLANTA CODE OF ORDINANCES, PART II (GENERAL ORDINANCES), CHAPTER 2 (ADMINISTRATION), ARTICLE II (COUNCIL), DIVISION II (MEETINGS), SUBDIVISION I (GENERAL PROVISIONS), SECTION 2-73 (RESERVED) TO RENAME THE SECTION AS “(REAL-TIME CLOSED CAPTIONING OF CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS)” AND TO REQUIRE REAL-TIME CLOSED CAPTIONING AT EVERY MEETING OF THE ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL; TO AMEND DIVISION III (STANDING AND OTHER COMMITTEES), SUBDIVISION (STANDING COMMITTEES), SECTION 2-133 (OPERATIONS; PROCEDURES); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
(Held 8/5/19 for additional information)

**RESULT: HELD IN COMMITTEE [UNANIMOUS] Next:**  
**8/5/2019 1:00 PM**  
**MOVER:** Jennifer N Ide, Chair  
**SECONDER:** Matt Westmoreland, Post 2 At Large  
**AYES:** Ide, Archibong, Dickens, Farokhi, Winslow, Westmoreland, Brown

19-O-1386 (3) AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBERS MICHAEL JULIAN BOND, JOYCE M. SHEPERD, AMIR R. FAROKHI, MATT WESTMORELAND,

ANDRE DICKENS, MARCI COLLIER OVERSTREET, JENNIFER N. IDE, CARLA SMITH, ANTONIO BROWN, DUSTIN HILLIS, AND ANDREA L. BOONE TO AMEND CITY OF ATLANTA CODE OF ORDINANCES, PART II (GENERAL ORDINANCES), CHAPTER 2 (ADMINISTRATION), ARTICLE II (COUNCIL), DIVISION II (MEETINGS), SUBDIVISION I (GENERAL PROVISIONS), SECTION 2-74 (RESERVED) TO RENAME THE SECTION AS “(ACCESSIBILITY NOTICES)” AND REQUIRE TO CERTAIN NOTICES TO BE POSTED REGARDING HOW TO REQUEST ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN COUNCIL MEETINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

**(Held 8/5/19 for additional information)**

COMMENTS - Current Meeting:

**Foris Webb, Municipal Clerk**

**RESULT: HELD IN COMMITTEE [UNANIMOUS] Next: 8/5/2019 1:00 PM**

**MOVER:** Cleta Winslow, District 4

**SECONDER:** Jennifer N Ide, Chair

**AYES:** Ide, Archibong, Dickens, Farokhi, Winslow, Westmoreland, Brown

**I. PAPER(S) HELD IN COMMITTEE**

18-O-1416 (4) AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBER MICHAEL JULIAN BOND AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL AMENDING THE CITY OF ATLANTA CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 2 (ADMINISTRATION), ARTICLE II (COUNCIL), DIVISION II (MEETINGS), SUBDIVISION I (GENERAL PROVISIONS), SECTION 2-71 (RESERVED), TO PROVIDE THAT ALL COUNCIL MEETINGS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, AND COMMITTEE BRIEFINGS, WHETHER STANDING OR SPECIAL, SHALL BE VIDEOTAPED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

► **(Amended and Held 8/6/18 for additional information)**

**RESULT: HELD IN COMMITTEE**

19-O-1331 (5) AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBER MICHAEL JULIAN BOND TO AMEND CITY OF ATLANTA CODE OF ORDINANCES, PART II (GENERAL ORDINANCES), CHAPTER 2 (ADMINISTRATION), ARTICLE II (COUNCIL), DIVISION II (MEETINGS), SUBDIVISION I (GENERAL PROVISIONS), SECTION 2-71 (RESERVED) TO RENAME THE SECTION AS "(SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS)" AND TO PROVIDE THE CONTENT OF THE SECTION TO REQUIRE AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS AT EVERY MEETING OF THE ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL; TO AMEND

DIVISION III (STANDING AND OTHER COMMITTEES), SUBDIVISION I (STANDING COMMITTEES) TO AMEND SECTION 2-133 (PROCEDURES) TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (I) TO REQUIRE AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS AT EVERY COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

(Held 6/17/18 for additional information)

**RESULT: HELD IN COMMITTEE**

19-C-0080 (6) A COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCIL PRESIDENT FELICIA A. MOORE RE-APPOINTING MS. LAWRIE DEMOREST TO THE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION. THIS RE-APPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS RETRO ACTIVE FROM FEBRUARY 17, 2018 AND EXPIRING ON FEBRUARY 16, 2021.

(Held 7/1/19 to allow appointee the opportunity to appear before the Committee)

**RESULT: FAVORABLE [UNANIMOUS]**

**AYES:** Ide, Archibong, Dickens, Farokhi, Winslow, Westmoreland, Brown

## **J. WALK-IN LEGISLATION**

19-O-1407 (1) AN ORDINANCE BY COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL TO AMEND CITY OF ATLANTA CODE OF ORDINANCES SECTION 66-2 "PRECINCT BOUNDARY LINES AND POLLING PLACES" BY AMENDING THE 2017 PRECINCTS AND POLLING PLACES ORDINANCE IN FULTON COUNTY PRECINCT 11B DUE TO THE COURT OF APPEALS REVERSED DECISION AND APPROVING THE ANNEXATION OF LOCH LOMOND SUBDIVISION INTO THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

**RESULT: FAVORABLE [UNANIMOUS] Next: 8/5/2019 1:00 PM**

**MOVER:** Jennifer N Ide, Chair

**SECONDER:** Matt Westmoreland, Post 2 At Large

**AYES:** Ide, Archibong, Dickens, Farokhi, Winslow, Westmoreland, Brown

19-R-3939 (2) A RESOLUTION BY COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL APPOINTING MR. MIKE HOWELL AS THE ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL APPOINTEE TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE BOULEVARD COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT FOR A TERM OF FOUR YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

**RESULT: FORWARDED W/NO RECOMMENDATION**

**[UNANIMOUS] Next: 8/5/2019 1:00 PM**

**MOVER:** Jennifer N Ide, Chair

**SECONDER:** Matt Westmoreland, Post 2 At Large

**AYES:** Ide, Archibong, Dickens, Farokhi, Winslow, Westmoreland,  
Brown

**K. REMARKS FROM PUBLIC (2 MINUTES)**

Brother Anthony Muhammad

Matthew Cardinale

**L. REQUESTED ITEMS**

**M. ADJOURNMENT**

**There being no further business to come before the Committee on Council the meeting was adjourned at 11:50 AM**

**Respectfully submitted:**

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**Angela Hunter-Campbell, Legislative Assistant**

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**Julia R, Pulidindi, Legislative Research and Policy Analyst**

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**The Honorable Jennifer N. Ide, Chair**