



Howard County Council

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District 4

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District 1

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District 2

David Yungmann
District 5

Special Meeting to Hold Closed Session
Monday, February 6, 2023
Immediately Following the 7:00 pm Legislative Session
George Howard Building, Banneker Room

Minutes approved

The Chairperson opened the meeting at 8:56 p.m.

Members Present: Christiana Rigby; Opel Jones; Deb Jung; Liz Walsh; and David Yungmann

Staff Present: Michelle Harrod, Council Administrator; Gary Kuc, County Solicitor; Amanda Mihill, Assistant County Solicitor; Craig Glendenning, County Auditor; Brenda Cachuela, Deputy County Auditor; Margery Sayers, Executive Assistant and Trish Hammond, Administrative Support.

Christiana Rigby moved that the meeting be closed in accordance with Section 3-305(b)(1) and (7) of the General Provisions Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland to discuss a personnel matter and to consult with Counsel to obtain legal advice. The topic is removal of an employee and legal advice from counsel regarding that personnel matter. Deb Jung seconded the motion.

The roll call vote called by the Administrator on the motion was: Yea: Council Members Rigby, Jones, Jung, Walsh, and Yungmann. The motion to close the meeting passed.

The Council moved from the Banneker Room to the C. V. Gray Room to meet in closed session. The Chairperson announced that the closed session ended at 10:02 p.m.

The special meeting concluded at 10:02 p.m.

Statement of Closed Session

As required by Section 3-306(c)(2), of the *General Provisions* Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, the following is a report of the County Council's closed session of February 6, 2023. The County Council met in closed session at 9:00 p.m. on February 6, 2023, in the Council C. V. Gray Room, pursuant to Section 3-305(b)(1) and (7) of the *General Provisions* Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland to discuss a personnel matter and to consult with Counsel to obtain legal advice. The topic is removal of an employee and legal advice from counsel regarding that personnel matter. No action was taken at the closed meeting.

The following persons were present at the closed session:

Members Present: Christiana Rigby; Opel Jones; Deb Jung; Liz Walsh; and David Yungmann

Staff Present: Gary Kuc, County Solicitor.

The closed session concluded at 10:02 p.m.