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A	=	APPROVAL	C	=	REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
AD	=	APPROVAL DENIED	T	=	TABLED
NA	=	NO ACTION	RA	=	REMOVED FROM AGENDA
D	=	DEFERRED	I	=	INTRODUCED
R	=	REFERRED	RW	=	REQUEST WITHDRAWN
			O	=	OTHER

AGENDA FOR A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKY MOUNT HELD MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2018 AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE GEORGE W. DUDLEY CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE FREDERICK E. TURNAGE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

1. Meeting Called to Order by the Mayor.

2. Prayer.

3. Roll Call by the City Clerk.

A~ 4. Approval of the Minutes of a Special Called Emergency Meeting Held September 12, 2018 and a Regular Scheduled Meeting of the City Council Held September 24, 2018.

5. Presentations and Recognitions:

- a. Presentation of Proclamation Proclaiming the Month of October 2018 as Disability Awareness and Employment Month to Human Relations Director, Archie Jones, Members of the Mayor's Commission on Persons with Disabilities and Human Relations Staff; and
- b. Adoption and Presentation of Resolution Recognizing the 40th Anniversary of the 1978 Sanitation Workers Strike to Phoenix Historical Society Members.

A~ Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution, as amended.

6. Petitions to be Received from the Public.

Note: Please complete Citizen Sign-In Sheet and provide to Security Officer prior to speaking. Please limit presentations to three (3) minutes. Time will be monitored.

Samuel Battle:

- Reiterated his desire to see boxing added to the list of activities provided for the youth of Rocky Mount; and
- requested support from the City for a group of young boys involved in kickboxing

Reverend Thomas L. Walker:

- Thanked the City Council for the Resolution Recognizing the 40th Anniversary of the Sanitation Workers' Strike in 1978; and commended James Wrenn and The Phoenix Society; and
- Asked for supporters of The Phoenix Society to stand and approximately 25 people stood

*NOTE: Motion made and approved to amend Resolution to add apology

Troy Davis:

- Voiced his disapproval of tabling action relative to Event Center parking; and
- Voiced disapproval of the lack of work done on urgent repair programs suggesting the Council look at staffing needs

Garland Jones:

- Requested a street closing (this matter was referred to the City Manager's Office)

Stacey Graham:

- Provided a packet of information to the Council and complained about the lack of response from Animal Control over the weekend;
- Said Animal Control needs expanded hours and a cooperative partnership with local rescue groups along with an updated animal response policy

Morrie Minges:

- Requested "Petitions from the Public" be renamed "Citizen Concerns";
- Complained that she has no trash or recycling bins; and
- Complained about the Ebony and Ivory Club building being in disrepair.

Felix Cadena:

- Requested Council support of youth kickboxing stating he is assisting in coaching currently and several youth winning tournaments out of state are in attendance with him this evening; and
- Said he knows first hand about gang violence and wants kids off the street

Jim Wrenn:

- Thanked the City Council for supporting the work of the Phoenix Society to promote history; and
- Invited those present to an event on Saturday, October 13, at 1 p.m. at the BTW Center

Saladin Muhammad:

- Congratulated the Council for adopting the Resolution Recognizing the 40th Anniversary of the Sanitation Workers' Strike in 1978 and thanked them for supporting the work of The Phoenix Society; and
- Stated Alexander Evans was a leader in his community and this was not just a workers' strike but a community strike because the community stood with him

7. **Public Hearing** Relative to the Preliminary Assessment Roll Prepared to Recover Costs Incurred by the City in Connection with Housing Code Enforcement on the Following Properties:

- a. 1617 S. Church Street
- b. 506 S. Franklin Street
- c. 526 Gay Street
- d. 421 S. Grace Street
- e. 1014 Sunset Avenue

A~ Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution Confirming Assessments.

8. Consideration of Memorandum of Understanding between Nash-Rocky Mount Public Schools (NRMPS) and the City of Rocky Mount for the Provision of Six (6) School Resource Officers (SRO) (updates the current Nash-Rocky Mount Public School Officials).

A~ Recommended Action: Approve Memorandum of Understanding and Authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to Execute the Same on Behalf of the City.

9. Consideration of Adoption of FY 2018-2019 Budget Ordinance Amendment Appropriating Additional Funds in the General Fund (\$88,603) Related to a Carryforward for the Backup PSAP Originally Encumbered and Unspent in FY 2017-2018; and Reducing Appropriations in the Emergency Telephone Fund (\$394,816) to Correct an Error and Reverse Appropriations in an Ordinance adopted by Council on September 10, 2018.

A~ Recommended Action: Adopt Budget Ordinance.

10. ~~Consideration of Parking Area Development and Shared Use Agreement with Edgecombe Community College (agreement outlines terms, reservation procedures and interim improvements to parcels @ approximated cost of \$68,000).~~

RA*~ ~~Recommended Action: Approve Agreement and Authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to Execute Same on Behalf of the City.~~

** Item was removed from the agenda.*

11. Consideration of the Following Requests from the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) in Conjunction with the Development of the CSX Intermodal HUB (CCX):
- a. Resolution of Intent to Permanently Close a Portion of Instrument Drive (from U.S. 301 to Tanner Road); and
 - b. Resolution to Delete a Portion of College Road (SR 1403) from the State Maintained Road System.

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Recommended Action: 1) Adopt Resolution Declaring Intent to Close (schedules public hearing for November 12, 2018); and
2) Adopt Resolution to Delete a Portion of College Road (SR 1403) from the State Maintained Road System.

12. Closed Session (*added in open session*):

- Personnel