

**CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND**

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**MAY 15, 2023**

**PUBLIC OFFICIALS PRESENT**

*Council President Muir W. Boda  
Council Vice President April Jackson  
Councilmember Michele Gregory*

*Mayor John R. Heath  
Councilmember Angela M. Blake  
Councilmember Megan Outten*

**IN ATTENDANCE**

*City Administrator Andy Kitzrow, Assistant City Administrator Tom Stevenson, Finance Director Keith Cordrey, Sgt. Scott Elliott, Capt. Ryan Koerner, Col. Dave Meienschein, Business Development Director Laura Soper, Assistant Chief Rob Frampton, City Planner Brian Soper, Assistant City Clerk Julie English, City Attorneys Heather Konyar and Ashley Bosché, and interested members of the public*

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*The City Council convened in a Special Meeting at 4:43 p.m. Council President Boda called for a motion to adopt the Special Meeting Agenda.*

**ADOPTION OF LEGISLATIVE AGENDA**

*Ms. Jackson moved, Ms. Blake seconded, and the vote was unanimous to approve the Special Meeting agenda as presented.*

**ORDINANCE**- presented by City Attorney Heather Konyar

- **Ordinance No. 2809**- 1st reading- approving a budget amendment to accept \$99,633.55 grant for license plate recognition equipment for the Salisbury Police Department

*Ms. Jackson moved, Ms. Blake seconded, and the vote was unanimous to approve Ordinance No. 2809 for first reading.*

**COMMENTS**

*Mayor Heath acknowledged National Police Week and shared his appreciation for the Salisbury Police Department, stating they brought honor to the City. He also asked that anyone who could to please donate blood.*

*Ms. Gregory reminded the public to watch out for kids riding bikes as the summer approached and pleaded for parents to get helmets for them.*

*Ms. Jackson wished all the Mothers a Happy Belated Mother's Day. She shared her excitement about a 70s party she attended over the weekend. At the event, she spoke on youth and crime in*

Salisbury. She shared that she was having a meeting with parents to discuss the crime but also felt the young people should be asked what they needed or wanted. She felt they were not getting the attention and love they needed. Ms. Jackson shared her address and invited the public to come to a meeting she had at her home.

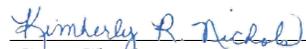
Ms. Outten gave a shout out to Assistant Chief Rob Frampton for being chosen for the Leadership Maryland Class of 2023.

Ms. Blake expressed her frustration with vehicles not getting out of the way of emergency vehicles on the road. She stressed the need for people to donate blood. She added that every pint of blood helps save 3 lives. Another option would be to give platelets or become a donor.

President Boda shared that he met with the leaders of Kiwanis International and informed everyone that they were looking to reform Kiwanis in Salisbury. They did a lot with literacy and provided local scholarships.

**ADJOURNMENT / CONVENE IN BUDGET WORK SESSION**

With no further business to discuss, the Special Meeting adjourned at 5:04 p.m. and Council immediately convened in a Budget Work Session.

  
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City Clerk

  
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Council President