



# Town of Vienna

## Meeting Minutes

### Town Council Work Session

Charles A. Robinson Jr.  
Town Hall  
127 Center Street South  
Vienna VA, 22180

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Monday, June 8, 2020

7:30 PM

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**DUE TO TECHNICAL ISSUES THERE IS NO AUDIO AVAILABLE FOR THIS MEETING**

#### 1. Roll Call

*Council Member Linda Colbert, Council Member Pasha Majdi, Council Member Douglas Noble, Council Member Nisha Patel, Council Member Steve Potter, Council Member Howard J. Springsteen, Mayor Laurie DiRocco.*

*Mercury Peyton, Town Manager; Jim Morris, Chief of Police; Dan Janicky, Assistant Chief of Police, Lt. Tom Taylor; Marion Serfass, Finance Director; Steve Briglia, Town Attorney; Cindy Petkac, Planning and Zoning Director; Sean Casey, Conservation and Sustainability Commission.*

##### A. [20-1747](#)

#### Resolution for Continuity of Government

*Mayor DiRocco opened the work session reading aloud the Resolution for Continuity of Government. Council approved via voice text.*

#### 2. Regular Business

*Town Manager Payton made a statement to Council regarding the recent killing of George Floyd by Minneapolis police. He expressed his support for the Vienna police and the proposed police station project. The George Floyd killing was horrific, and the resulting public outrage understandable. However, he stressed that this is not the time to throw out law enforcement, but rather this is the time to make it better. He expressed concern regarding the growing sentiment toward defunding the police; an action that he believes would result in greater harm to the Black Community. He concluded stating we all want good law enforcement that is fairly and equally applied to all Americans.*

##### A. [20-1726](#)

#### Review progress of the Police Station project with Dewberry and Project Management Team

*Members of the Downy and Scott project management team, Bill Downy and Kevin Fallin, along with Rod Williams, representing the architect firm of Dewberry Architecture, updated Council on the progress of the project. The presentation highlighted contractor pre-qualification timeline, neighborhood context, massing study, building height, material and renderings as well as landscaping and plaza perspectives.*

**The purpose of this Council Work Session is for Council to be updated on the project.**

##### B. [20-1741](#)

#### Discussion of a Proposed 2021 General Assembly Legislative Agenda

*Town Attorney Steve Briglia presented the Proposed 2021 General Assembly*

*Legislative Agenda including a proposed amendment to the FOIA statute; to provide for undated virtual participation provisions for public meetings. He urged Council to review 2020 agenda items with an eye toward items to retain as well as those to be added.*

### **3. Meeting Adjournment**

*The meeting adjourned at 9:36 pm.*

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