

AGENDA

CITY OF CAMDEN

CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

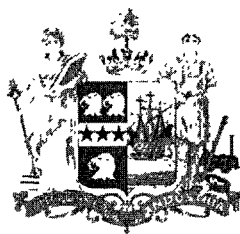
May 28th, 2021 – 12:00 p.m.

Honorable Curtis Jenkins, President
Honorable Marilyn Torres, Vice President
Honorable Sheila Davis
Honorable Angel Fuentes
Honorable Felisha Reyes-Morton
Honorable Shaneka Boucher

Honorable Victor Carstarphen, Mayor

Michelle Spearman, City Attorney
Howard McCoach-Acting Counsel to Council

Luis Pastoriza, Municipal Clerk



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

SPECIAL MEETING

FRIDAY, MAY 28TH, 2021 – 12:00 P.M.

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER

CALL TO ORDER

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

NOTICE OF MEETING

RESOLUTIONS

Office City Council

1. RESOLUTION APPOINTING A COUNCILPERSON TO FILL THE VACANCY CREATED IN THE OFFICE OF COUNCILPERSON FOR THE SECOND WARD IN THE CITY OF CAMDEN CREATED BY THE RESIGNATION OF FORMER COUNCILMAN VICTOR CARSTARPHEN

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

Please note summary of Public Decorum rules below.

Rule XVII: Decorum

Any person who shall disturb the peace of the Council, make impertinent or slanderous remarks or conduct himself in a boisterous manner while addressing the Council shall be forthwith barred by the presiding officer from further audience before the Council, except that if the speaker shall submit to proper order under these rules, permission for him to continue may be granted by a majority vote of the Council.

City Council meetings shall be conducted in a courteous manner. Citizens and Council members will be allowed to state their positions in an atmosphere free of slander, threats of violence or the use of Council as a forum for politics. Sufficient warnings may be given by the Chair at any time during the remarks and, in the event that any individual shall violate the rules of decorum heretofore set forth, the Chairperson may then cut off comment or debate. At the discretion of the Chairperson, light signals may be used to display the commencement of the time for speaking and a warning light may be flashed to show that the appropriate time has passed. A red light will signal that there is no longer time.

5/28/2021

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WHEREAS, Victor Carstarphen resigned as Councilman for the Second Ward for the City of Camden, New Jersey, effective on May 11, 2021;

WHEREAS, on May 25, 2021, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:16-11, the Municipal Clerk received three (3) nominees from the Camden City Democratic Committee for consideration by the City Council of the City of Camden, to fill the vacancy in the Office of Councilperson for the Second Ward created by the resignation of Former Councilman Victor Carstarphen, and these nominees include: Chris Collins, Greg Parks and Khadir Walker; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:16-11, the City Council of the City of Camden, is authorized to appoint one of the nominees as the successor to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Former Councilman Victor Carstarphen; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Camden, that it hereby appoints _____ to serve as Councilperson for the Second Ward for the City of Camden to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Former Councilman Victor Carstarphen for the unexpired term of Former Councilman Victor Carstarphen until a candidate for the Office of Councilperson for the Second Ward is elected at the general election which is scheduled to take place on November 2, 2021.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:27BBB-23, a true copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the State Commissioner of Community Affairs, who shall have ten (10) days from the receipt thereof to veto this Resolution. All notices of veto shall be filed in the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

Date of Introduction: May 28, 2021

The above has been reviewed
and approved as to form

MICHELLE BANKS-SPEARMAN
City Attorney

CURTIS JENKINS
President, City Council

ATTEST: _____
LUIS PASTORIZA
Municipal Clerk



Camden City Council
RESOLUTION / ORDINANCE REQUEST FORM

DATE: May 26, 2021

Council Meeting Date: May 28, 2021

FROM: Councilperson

- Curtis Jenkins, President
- Sheila Davis, At-Large
- Angel Fuentes, At-Large

- Marilyn Torres, Vice President, 3rd Ward
- Shaneka Boucher, 1st Ward
- Victor Carstarphen, 2nd Ward
- Felisha Reyes-Morton, 4th Ward

Action Requested:

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****Please attach any supporting documents

Curtis Jenkins/wr

05/26/2021

Signature of Councilperson

Date