



# City of Hampton

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## Council Approved Minutes - Final City Council Special Session

*Mayor Donnie R. Tuck*  
*Vice Mayor Jimmy Gray*  
*Councilmember Chris L. Bowman*  
*Councilmember Eleanor Weston Brown*  
*Councilmember Steven L. Brown*  
*Councilmember Billy Hobbs*  
*Councilmember Chris Snead*

*STAFF: Mary Bunting, City Manager*  
*Cheran Cordell Ivery, City Attorney*  
*Katherine K. Glass, Clerk of Council*

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**Wednesday, February 10, 2021**

**9:30 AM**

**Community  
Development  
Conference Room, 5th  
Floor, City Hall**

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### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Tuck convened the meeting at 9:32 a.m. with all members of the City Council present except for Councilman Hobbs who had a previously scheduled appointment and will be joining the meeting later in the morning.

Also physically present were the City Manager, Mary Bunting; the City Attorney Cheran Ivery; the Clerk, Katherine Glass; and Robin McCormick, the City's Communication Strategist. Ms. Glass left the room to ensure the capacity would not exceed ten (10) when Councilman Hobbs arrives.

**Present** 6 - Councilmember Chris L. Bowman, Councilmember Eleanor Weston Brown, Councilmember Steven L. Brown, Vice Mayor Jimmy Gray, Councilmember Chris Snead, and Mayor Donnie R. Tuck

**Excused** 1 - Councilmember Billy Hobbs

### DONNIE R. TUCK PRESIDED

### READING OF THE CALL FOR THE SPECIAL MEETING

Ms. Glass read the call for the special meeting: This meeting is called for the purposes of conducting a closed session as more

fully set out in the actual motion and to allow the City Council to meet earlier in the day and ensure that they have adequate time to address all matters outlined on the agenda.

## AGENDA

1. [21-0043](#) Closed session pursuant to Virginia Code Sections 2.2-3711.A(.1), (.3), (.6) and (.8) to discuss the performance of specific city departments; to discuss the disposition of publicly held real property in the Old Northampton, Buckroe and the LaSalle Avenue corridor, where discussion in an open meeting would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiating strategy of the city; to discuss or consider the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the city would be adversely affected; and to consult with legal counsel employed by the city regarding employment law matters; federal, state and local housing regulations and §62.1-44.15:67 et seq. of the Virginia Code, requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel.  
  
A motion was made by Councilmember Eleanor Weston Brown and seconded by Councilmember Steven Brown, that this Closed Session - Motion be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:  
  
**Aye:** 6 - Councilmember Bowman, Councilmember Weston Brown, Councilmember Brown, Vice Mayor Gray, Councilmember Snead and Mayor Tuck  
  
Councilman Hobbs arrived at 11 a.m.  
  
**Present** 7 - Councilmember Chris L. Bowman, Councilmember Eleanor Weston Brown, Councilmember Steven L. Brown, Vice Mayor Jimmy Gray, Councilmember Billy Hobbs, Councilmember Chris Snead, and Mayor Donnie R. Tuck
2. [21-0069](#) Resolution Certifying Closed Session  
  
A motion was made by Councilmember Steven Brown and seconded by Councilmember Chris Snead, that this Closed

Session - Certification be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye:** 7 - Councilmember Bowman, Councilmember Weston Brown, Councilmember Brown, Vice Mayor Gray, Councilmember Hobbs, Councilmember Snead and Mayor Tuck

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

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Donnie R. Tuck  
Mayor

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Katherine K. Glass, CMC  
Clerk of Council

Date approved by Council \_\_\_\_\_