

The organizational meeting of the Norton City Council was held on Tuesday, January 8, 2013 at 5:30 p.m. in the Municipal Council Chambers with the City Manager, Fred L. Ramey, Jr., presiding.

Present: Mark Caruso, William Mays, Joseph Fawbush, and Terry Roop

Absent: Joseph Hunnicutt

Also Present: Fred L. Ramey, Jr., City Manager and Bill Bradshaw, City Attorney

The City Manager opened the floor for nominations of Mayor. Councilman Fawbush nominated William Mays to be reappointed as Mayor.

Upon a motion by Councilman Caruso, seconded by Councilman Roop, and passed by unanimous vote, Council moved that the nominations cease.

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City Manager Ramey declared William Mays reappointed Mayor of the City of Norton. Mayor Mays came forward, was sworn in by the Clerk, and took his seat on Council.

Mayor Mays opened the floor for nominations of Vice Mayor.

Councilman Roop nominated Joseph Fawbush to be reappointed as Vice Mayor.

Upon a motion by Councilman Caruso, seconded by Councilman Roop, and passed by unanimous vote, Council moved that the nominations cease.

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Mayor Mays declared Joseph Fawbush reappointed Vice Mayor of the City of Norton.

Vice Mayor Fawbush came forward, was sworn in by the Clerk, and took his seat on Council.

At this time, Councilmen Roop and Caruso took their seats on Council.

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Councilman Hunnicutt arrived at the meeting and took his seat on Council.

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Mayor Mays opened the floor for the appointment of City Manager.

Councilman Roop nominated Fred L. Ramey, Jr. to be reappointed as City Manager.

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Upon a motion by Councilman Caruso, seconded by Councilman Fawbush, and passed by unanimous vote, Council moved that the nominations cease.

Mayor Mays declared Fred L. Ramey, Jr. reappointed as City Manager.

The Mayor opened the floor for the appointment of City Clerk.

Councilman Fawbush nominated Mary Brown to be reappointed as City Clerk.

Upon a motion by Councilman Hunnicutt, seconded by Councilman Roop, and passed by unanimous vote, Council moved that the nominations cease.

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Mayor Mays declared Mary Brown reappointed as City Clerk.

The Mayor opened the floor for the appointment of City Attorney.

Councilman Fawbush nominated William E. Bradshaw to be reappointed as City Attorney.

Upon a motion by Councilman Hunnicutt, seconded by Councilman Roop, and passed by unanimous vote, Council moved that the nominations cease.

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Mayor Mays declared William E. Bradshaw reappointed as City Attorney.

Upon a motion by Councilman Hunnicutt, seconded by Councilman Fawbush, and passed by unanimous vote, Council moved to keep the meeting dates and times that are in effect now, which is the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 6:00 p.m.

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Council had been presented with A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Norton, Virginia Dispensing with Second Reading of Ordinances.

Upon a motion by Councilman Hunnicutt, seconded by Councilman Fawbush, and passed by the following unanimous vote: YES – Caruso, Hunnicutt, Fawbush, Roop, Mays, NO – None, ABSENT – None, Council moved to adopt A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Norton, Virginia Dispensing with Second Reading of Ordinances. (Insert)

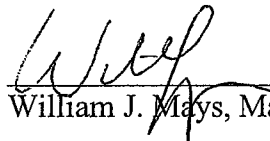
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Mayor Mays advised he looked forward to working with Council this upcoming year and stated that it would be a difficult and challenging year, but a progressive one.

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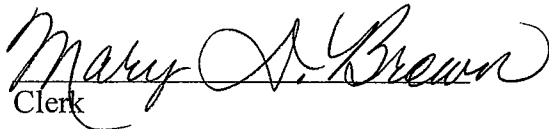
There being no further business to come before the Council, the organizational meeting was adjourned with the regularly scheduled council meeting to begin at 6:00 p.m.

CITY OF NORTON, VIRGINIA



William J. Mays, Mayor

ATTEST:



Clerk