NORTHWEST CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING THURSDAY, JULY 8, 2021 6:00 PM

ASSEMBLY

The Northwest City Council held their special meeting on Thursday, July 8, 2021 at 6:00 PM at Northwest City Hall at 4889 Vernon Road.

Present were: James Knox, Mayor; Councilmen: Charles Carroll, and Haywood Miller;

Councilwoman Sheila Grady

Absent was: Councilman Aaron Perkins and Michael Troy

Also present was: Donna Strickland, City Clerk

CALL TO ORDER & INVOCATION

Mayor Knox called the meeting to order.

Councilman Haywood Miller gave the invocation.

DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION

DISTRICTING

Council reviewed the districting map created by Allen Serkin, Executive Director of Cape Fear Council of Governments. There was no objection to the new revised district map.

Councilwoman Sheila Grady read page 3, number 3, from the memorandum that was created by Allen Serkin, Executive Director of Cape Fear Council of Governments. She also read, page 3 and 4, number 8, from the same memorandum.

This memorandum will be placed in Exhibit Book V.

Mayor Knox asked Santana Miller, City Attorney, if she had an opinion on the districting. Attorney Miller stated that she did not create the memorandum and cannot answer any questions on the memorandum. She also stated that the pros and cons need to be looked at to make sure this districting does not cause a problem down the line. With the new census count the district lines may need to be redrawn. Attorney Miller stated that she would need more time to form an opinion.

After discussion.

Councilman Haywood Miller **MOVED**, **SECONDED** by Councilman Aaron Perkins to schedule a special meeting to discuss the districting and district map on July 13, 2021, at 6:00 PM. The **MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**.

ADJOURNMENT

It was the **CONSENSUS** of Council to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 PM. The **MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

James A. Knox, Mayor

Donna Strickland, City Clerk