



CONOVER

North Carolina

Conover City Council

Special Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, October 15, 2024 at 4:00 PM

Keiser Community Room

243 3rd Avenue NE, Hickory, NC 28601

A Special Meeting of the Conover City Council was held on Tuesday, October 15, 2024 at 4:00 PM in the Keiser Community Room located at 243 3rd Ave NE, Hickory, NC 28601.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Kyle J. Hayman, Mayor

Council Members Present:

Mayor Kyle Hayman

Mayor Pro Tem / Council Member Bruce Eckard

Council Member Mark Canrobert

Council Member Joie Fulbright

Council Member Jim Green

Council Member Brenda Powell

Council Members Absent:

None

Staff Present:

City Manager Tom Hart, City Clerk Stephanie Watson, City Attorney Susan Matthews, Human Resources Madeleine Epley, Finance Director Kurt L. Beal, Planning Director Erik Schlichting, Public Works Director Terry R. Jones, Public Utilities Director Brian Bradshaw, Fire Chief Mark Stafford, Police Chief Robert Houston, Information Technology Director Chris Niver, Assistant Public Works Director Ken Colf, Assistant Public Utilities Director Eric Williams, and Police Major Jeff Barkley

II. INVOCATION

Kyle J. Hayman, Mayor

III. BUSINESS AGENDA

Item 1: Discussion of the Strategic Plan for the Upcoming Fiscal Year

City Manager Tom Hart spoke briefly about the progress made within the 2024-2025 Strategic Plan. He then presented the proposed Strategic Plan for the 2025-2026 Fiscal Year which consists of the following three focus areas: Prosperity (Growth Control, Core Infrastructure, and Economic Development), Well-being (Citizen Preparedness, Vibrant Public Spaces, Safe Neighborhoods, and Walkability), and Innovation & Excellence (Employer of Choice, Engaged City Council, and Welcoming Parks & Buildings).

No action was taken during the meeting.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:33 p.m.

Kyle J. Hayman, Mayor

Stephanie C. Watson, City Clerk