

**DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2021  
11:30 A.M.**

The Durham City Council held a Special City Council meeting on the above date and time virtually via Zoom with the following members present: Mayor Steve Schewel, Mayor Pro Tempore Jillian Johnson and Council Members Javiera Caballero, Pierce Freelon, DeDreana Freeman, Mark-Anthony Middleton and Charlie Reece. Absent: None.

Also Present: City Manager Wanda Page, Deputy City Manager Bo Ferguson, City Attorney Kim Rehberg, Chief of Staff Karmisha Wallace, and City Clerk Diana Schreiber. Durham Police Department Staff: Police Chief Shari Montgomery, Corporal Jermaine Clark, Sheldon Perkins, Cesar Garcia.

Mayor Schewel called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone in attendance.

Mayor Schewel announced the purpose of the Special Meeting was for the Durham City Council to meet in closed session prior to the Work Session in order to be briefed by DPD regarding a number of high profile criminal cases.

**MOTION** by Council Member Freeman, seconded by Council Member Freelon, to enter into closed session pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. 143-318.11(a)(7) to hear reports concerning ongoing investigations of the following:

- Drive-by shooting on Fayetteville St at Linwood Ave. on May 27, 2021
- Double homicide at 1600 Holloway St on June 17, 2021
- Drive-by shooting and homicide at 900 E Main St on August 12, 2021
- Homicide and drive-by shooting in McDougald Terrace on August 18, 2021

The motion was made at 11:35 a.m. and approved by the following vote: Ayes: Mayor Schewel, Mayor Pro Tempore Johnson and Council Members Caballero, Freelon, Freeman, Middleton and Reece. Noes: None. Absent: None.

Council entered Closed Session at 11:35 a.m.

Council reconvened into Open Session at 12:54 p.m.

**MOTION** by Council Member Freelon, seconded by Council Member Freeman, to adjourn from Closed Session at 12:54 p.m. by the following vote: Ayes: Mayor Schewel, Mayor Pro Tempore Johnson and Council Members Caballero, Freelon, Freeman, Middleton and Reece. Noes: None. Absent: None.

Mayor Schewel adjourned the meeting at 12:54 p.m.

Diana Schreiber, CMC  
City Clerk