



# City Council

## Special Meeting

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36 Court Street  
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Monday, September 21, 2020

5:30 PM

Virtual Meeting (Zoom)

### I. Call to Order

5:30 PM Meeting called to order on September 21, 2020 at Virtual Meeting (Zoom) , Virtual Meeting, N/A, NA.

| Attendee Name     | Title                           | Status | Arrived |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Adam Gomez        | Ward 1 Councilor                | Remote |         |
| Tracye Whitfield  | At-Large Councilor              | Remote |         |
| Victor Davila     | Ward 6 Councilor                | Remote |         |
| Michael A. Fenton | Ward 2 Councilor                | Remote |         |
| Sean Curran       | At-Large Councilor              | Remote |         |
| Orlando Ramos     | Ward 8 Councilor                | Remote |         |
| Kateri B. Walsh   | At-Large Councilor              | Absent |         |
| Marcus J Williams | Vice-President-Ward 5 Councilor | Remote |         |
| Timothy C. Allen  | Ward 7 Councilor                | Absent |         |
| Jesse Lederman    | At-Large Councilor              | Remote |         |
| Melvin A. Edwards | Ward 3 Councilor                | Remote |         |
| Malo Brown        | Ward 4 Councilor                | Remote |         |
| Justin Hurst      | President                       | Remote |         |

### II. Open Session

The Council will begin the meeting in Open Session and will not return to Open Session.

### III. Executive Session

#### A. *Litigation-Law Deptment*

Councilor Whitfield made a motion to enter executive session for the purpose of discussing strategy with respect to litigating position further stating it has been declared that conducting the discussion in an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the litigating position of the public body and the Council will not reconvene in open session.

The motion was seconded by Councilor Davila and passed by unanimous roll call vote. The Council entered Executive Session.

#### B. *Litigation-Chapter 67*

The Council continued discussion of this matter in Executive Session.