



BURLINGTON CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING, CONTOIS AUDITORIUM, 149 CHURCH STREET,
2ND FLOOR
MINUTES OF MEETING
June 25, 2025

1. Agenda

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City Council President Traverse convened the meeting at 6:15 pm.

Members present: Councilors Barlow, Bergman, Broderick, Carpenter, Grant, Kane, Litwin, McKnight, Schachter, Singh and City Council President Traverse (all in person); Councilor Neubieser (online)

Others present: City Attorney Brown, COS Jacobsen, CAO Schad, Lori Olberg and Keaton Knowles

Subject

1.1. Motion to adopt agenda

Meeting

June 25, 2025 - Special City Council Meeting - Wednesday, June 25, 2025, 6:00 PM, Special City Council Meeting, Contois Auditorium, 149 Church Street, 2nd Floor

Category

1. Agenda

Department

Council and Board

Type

Action
Procedural

Recommended Action Motion to adopt agenda

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Motion made by Councilor Barlow, seconded by Councilor Grant, to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

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City Council President Traverse opened the Public Forum at 6:16 pm.

City Council President Traverse closed the Public Forum at 6:27 pm.

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2.1. Verbal Comments

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 Procedural

Recommended Action open Public Forum
 close Public Forum

2.1. Verbal Comments

BTV residents (in person):

Andrea Viets: Heineberg Senior Center; appreciative of the funds; services for seniors

Brenda Torpy: appreciation of Brian Pine's service

Non BTV residents (online):

Anthea Dexter Cooper: city budget/thank you

Keren Sita: money

3. Deliberative Agenda

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Subject 3.1. Resolution: Annual Appropriation And Budget For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2025, And Ending June 30, 2026 (Mayor Mulvaney-Stanak; Board of Finance)(30 mins.)

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Category 3. Deliberative Agenda

Department Clerk/Treasurer's Office

Type Action
 Resolution

Recommended Action waive the reading and adopt the resolution

3.1. Resolution: Annual Appropriation And Budget For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2025, And Ending June 30, 2026 (Mayor Mulvaney-Stanak; Board of Finance)(30 mins.)

Motion made by Councilor Bergman, seconded by Councilor McKnight, to waive the reading and adopt the resolution. Motion passed unanimously.

****Proposed Amendment made by Councilor Neubieser, seconded by Councilor Bergman:**

to strike the \$100,000 allocated to the Visiting Nurse Association - aka HHH under the UVM Health Network, and reallocate \$10,000 of those funds toward the Turning Point Center of Vermont, and \$90,000 to be given to allocated toward the City's Housing Trust Fund. (For reference the 100k allocation is located on page 23 of the attachment entitled "A - Total General Fund Budget" under item 3.1 on the agenda)

Motion failed: Roll call vote: (Aye): Councilor Neubieser; (Nays): Councilors Barlow, Bergman, Broderick, Carpenter, Grant, Kane, Litwin, McKnight, Schacter, Singh; City Council President Traverse (recusal)

****Proposed Amendment made by Councilor Litwin, seconded by Councilor Singh:**

move to amend the budget to reallocate \$7,500 from the line item for Howard Center Street Outreach to Turning Point in the same amount

Motion failed: (Aye): Councilor Litwin; (Nays): Councilors Barlow, Bergman, Broderick, Carpenter, Grant, Kane, McKnight, Schachter, Singh and City Council President Traverse; (Absent) Councilor Neubieser

Subject 3.2. Resolution: Annual Tax Assessments On The Property Grand List Of The City For The Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2025 And Ending June 30, 2026 (Mayor Mulvaney-Stanak; Board of Finance)(15 mins.)

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Department	Clerk/Treasurer's Office
Type	Action Resolution

Recommended Action waive the reading and adopt the resolution

3.2. Resolution: Annual Tax Assessments On The Property Grand List Of The City For The Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2025 And Ending June 30, 2026 (Mayor Mulvaney-Stanak; Board of Finance)(15 mins.)
Motion made by Councilor Bergman, seconded by Councilor Barlow, to waive the reading and adopt the resolution. Motion passed unanimously. Councilor Neubieser absent for the vote.

4. Adjournment

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Subject	4.1. Motion to adjourn
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Category	4. Adjournment
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Recommended Action Motion to adjourn

4.1. Motion to adjourn
City Council President Traverse adjourned the meeting at 8:01 pm.

5. Informational and Non-Discrimination Statements

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