

MINUTES  
CALLED MEETING  
JANUARY 31, 2019

A called meeting of the Council for the City of Covington was held on Thursday, January 31, 2019 a 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall located at 333 W. Locust Street, Covington, Virginia.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Thomas H. Sibold, Jr. with all members present as follows: Mayor Sibold, Vice Mayor David S. Crosier, Councilman C. J. Entsminger, Jr., Councilman Raymond C. Hunter and Councilman S. Allan Tucker.

The purpose of the meeting was to hold a closed session pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act Sec. 2.2-3711 (A) (1) for the purpose of discussing performance of a specific appointee of City Council.

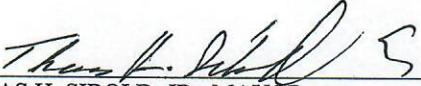
Prior to the closed session, a letter from City Manager Richard Douglas was presented to Council.

Upon a motion by Vice Mayor Crosier, seconded by Mr. Entsminger, Council voted to move into closed session for the purpose as stated.

Following the closed session, Council reconvened and voted to certify that only the matter stated was discussed.

At this time a motion was made by Vice Mayor Crosier, seconded by Mr. Hunter, to accept the resignation of City Manager Richard Douglas effective as of Friday, February 1, 2019 with details of the severance package to be worked out with City Attorney Popovich. Motion carried 4 to 1. Mayor Sibold, For; Vice Mayor Crosier, For; Councilman Hunter, For; Councilman Entsminger, For; Councilman Tucker, Against.

No further business to come before Council, the meeting was adjourned.

  
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THOMAS H. SIBOLD, JR., MAYOR  
PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND, AS SUCH,  
EX-OFFICIO OFFICER OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON,  
VIRGINIA

ATTEST:

  
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EDITH S. WOOD, CITY CLERK