



**Thursday, April 7, 2022
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
MEETING NO. 12-22
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND**

Approver: *Bridget Donnell Newton*
Attest: *Sara Taylor-Ferrell*
Approved Meeting No. 12-22
June 27, 2022

THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCIL PRESIDING

Attendee Name	Title	Status
Bridget Donnell Newton	Mayor	Present
Monique Ashton	Councilmember	Present
Beryl L. Feinberg	Councilmember	Present
David Myles	Councilmember	* Absent
Mark Pierzchala	Councilmember	Present

* Councilmember David Myles could not attend because of a previously scheduled family medical issue.

1. Convene

The Mayor and Council convened in a hybrid Open Meeting Session at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, April 7, 2022, in the Mayor and Council Chambers, Rockville City Hall, 111 Maryland Avenue, Rockville, MD 20850, via WebEx.

Staff Present: City Manager Rob DiSpirito, Assistant to the City Manager, Linda Moran, City Attorney Robert E. Dawson, City Clerk/Director of Council Operations Sara Taylor-Ferrell, Deputy City Clerk Danny Winborne, Director of Public Works Craig Simoneau, Director of Parks and Recreation Tim Chesnutt.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Bridget Donnell Newton led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Proposed FY23 Earmarks

Assistant to the City Manager, Linda Moran presented a brief overview of the Proposed FY23 Federal Earmark requests. The submittal deadline to Senator Cardin's office is Friday, April 8, 2022. Director of Public Works, Craig Simoneau explained to the Mayor and Council what "shovel ready" means, and which projects may be better to submit.

Questions from the Mayor and Council were addressed by staff. The Mayor and Council provided their thoughts and comments.

Councilmember Monique Ashton moved to include in priority order: item #3 – Community Infrastructure: Implementing an Advanced Water Metering Program - \$2,035,000, item #6 - Implementing a Bulk Sodium Hypochlorite System at Rockville’s Water Treatment Plant \$1,232,000, and item #5 – Rockville Swim and Fitness Center Outdoor Recreation Pool Renovations - \$4,119,300.

	RESULT: APPROVED (3-1)
MOVER:	Monique Ashton, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Mark Pierzchala, Councilmember
IN FAVOR:	Mayor Newton, Councilmember Ashton, Councilmember Pierzchala
OPPOSED:	Councilmember Beryl L. Feinberg
ABSENT:	Councilmember Myles

FURTHER DISCUSSION

April 7, 2022, Agenda Item #3

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4. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:31 p.m.

	RESULT: APPROVED [4-0]
MOVER:	Mark Pierzchala, Councilmember
SECONDER:	Monique Ashton, Councilmember
IN FAVOR:	Mayor Newton, Councilmember Ashton, Councilmember Beryl L. Feinberg, Councilmember Pierzchala
ABSENT:	Councilmember Myles