

SPECIAL MEETING

February 22, 2024

The Bessemer City Council met in special session on Thursday, February 22nd, 2024 at 8:00AM in Dhollandia Conference Room. Proper notice was given.

Members Present

Council Members: Brenda Boyd, Nellie Floyd, Michael Brooks, Allen Hook, Brent Guffey, and Donnie Griffin. Also present were City Manager, Josh Ross and department heads: Jamie Ramsey, Diane Jenkins, Tom Ellis, Michael Gordon, Nathan Hester, JoD Franklin, and Hydeia Hayes. Mayor Smith was absent.

Call to Order

Mayor Pro Tem Hook called the meeting to order and explained that this meeting was to discuss the strategic plan for FY 2024-2025.

Strategic Plan Discussion

City Manager, Josh Ross introduced Centralina Council of Governments (CCOG) staff. CCOG staff facilitated a session designed to help City Council identify their goals based off of the previously established mission and vision.

Presentations & Discussion

City Council heard presentations from the Gaston County Economic Development Commission (EDC), Motley Local regarding community branding, and Gaston County Public Works Department, regarding the Tryon Community Waterline Presentation.

Adjourn

Being no further business to come before the board, by motion of Nellie Floyd and unanimous vote, the meeting was adjourned at 4:04 PM.

Allen Hook, Mayor Pro Tem

Hydeia Y. Hayes, City Clerk