

Minutes of the Montpelier City Council Meeting
February 17, 2021 7:00pm
Videoconference

In attendance: Mayor Anne Watson (Chair), Councilors Dona Bate, Conor Casey, Lauren Hierl, Dan Richardson, Jay Ericson, and Jack McCullough. City Clerk John Odum acted as secretary.

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

2021-060. Without objection, the agenda was approved by unanimous consent.

2021-062. Councilor McCullough moved approval of the consent agenda and was seconded by Councilor Richardson. The motion carried unanimously. The consent agenda included the following liquor license renewal:

- Jiffy Mart #465
 - 2nd class liquor

2021-063. For the City Manager's annual review, Councilor McCullough moved the council enter executive session pursuant to 1 V.S.A. § 313 Councilor Hierl seconded. After brief discussion, the motion carried unanimously at 7:05 PM. At 9:38, Councilor Richardson moved to come out of executive session. Councilor Hierl seconded and the motion carried unanimously. Councilor McCullough moved that the council determine pursuant to Section 2a of the employment agreement that the City Manager has the full confidence of the Council and it is our intention to renew the contract of the City Manager when it terminates in March 2022 and between now and then terms of that renewal contract be negotiated with the City Manager. Councilor Bate seconded. Motion carries on a roll call vote of 5-0-1 (Councilor Richardson recused himself and abstained due to his legal representation of Mr. Fraser in another context). Roll call. Brief discussion followed, including comments from the City Manager and Mayor.

Without objection, the meeting was adjourned at 9:42 PM.