



**COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL**  
**REGULAR COMMITTEE MEETING**  
 ~Minutes~

Atlanta City Hall  
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**CITY OF ATLANTA**

**Chairperson**  
 The Honorable Mary Norwood

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**Monday, November 17, 2014**

**11:15 AM**

**Committee Room 2**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the **Committee on Council** was held on **Monday, November 17, 2014**, at **11:15 AM**. in **Committee Room 2**. The following members were present:

**B. INTRODUCTION OF MEMBERS**

<b>Attendee Name</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Arrived</b>
Mary Norwood	Chair	Present	11:14 AM
Joyce Sheperd	Vice Chair	Absent	
Natalyn Mosby Archibong	Councilmember, District 5	Present	11:54 AM
Michael Julian Bond	Councilmember, Post 1 At-Large	Present	11:31 AM
Clarence "C. T." Martin	Councilmember, District 10	Present	11:17 AM
Felicia A. Moore	Councilmember, District 9	Absent	11:54 AM
Cleta Winslow	Councilmember, District 4	Present	

**Others in Attendance:**

Saul Schultz, Law Department, Rhonda D. Johnson, Office of the Municipal Clerk; Members of the Public and Council Staff.

**C. ADOPTION OF AGENDA – ADOPTED**

**D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – APPROVED**

**E. ADOPTION OF FULL COUNCIL AGENDA – ADOPTED**

**F. PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA (2 MINUTES)**

Ron Shakir, Public Speaker  
 Brother Anthony Muhammad, Public Speaker

**G. COMMUNICATIONS**

14-C-5084 (1) A COMMUNICATION BY MAYOR KASIM REED APPOINTING MR. ARTY SCHRONCE TO SERVE AS THE MARKETING REPRESENTATIVE ON THE MUNICIPAL MARKET BOARD FOR A TERM OF THREE (3) YEARS, TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. (**Favorable by Community Development/Human Resources Committee 11/10/14**)

**RESULT: FAVORABLE**  
**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow  
**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5105 (2) A COMMUNICATION BY COUNCILMEMBERS ANDRE DICKENS, POST 3 AT LARGE, FELICIA MOORE, DISTRICT 9 AND C. T. MARTIN, DISTRICT 10, SUBMITTING THE APPOINTMENT OF MS. JESSICA D. JOHNSON FOR CONSIDERATION TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE ATLANTA YOUTH COMMISSION. THIS APPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS TO BEGIN UPON COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. **(Favorable by Community Development/Human Resources Committee 11/10/14)**

**RESULT: FAVORABLE**

**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow

**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5116 (3) A COMMUNICATION BY COUNCILMEMBERS MICHAEL JULIAN BOND, POST 1 AT-LARGE, IVORY L. YOUNG, JR., DISTRICT 3, AND CLETA WINSLOW, DISTRICT 4 SUBMITTING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF MR. CALVIN LOCKWOOD TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE ZONING REVIEW BOARD. THIS REAPPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS, RETROACTIVE TO JULY 16, 2014 AND ENDING JULY 16, 2016, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. **(Favorable by Zoning Committee 11/12/14)**

**RESULT: FAVORABLE**

**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow

**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5120 (4) A COMMUNICATION BY MAYOR KASIM REED AS AMENDED BY ZONING COMMITTEE SUBMITTING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF KEYETTA HOLMES FOR CONSIDERATION TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE ZONING REVIEW BOARD (ZRB) IN THE MUNICIPAL PLANNER CATEGORY FOR A TWO-YEAR TERM RETROACTIVE TO BEGIN ON MARCH 16, 2013 AND EXPIRE ON MARCH 16, 2015 UPON COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. **(Favorable as Amended by Zoning Committee 11/12/14)**

**RESULT: FAVORABLE AS AMENDED**

**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow

**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5121 (5) A COMMUNICATION BY CAROLINE JOHNSON TANNER, CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF ETHICS INFORMING THAT THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF ATLANTA-FULTON COUNTY HAS CHOSEN TO APPOINT PAT UPSHAW-MONTEITH AS THE LEAGUE'S SELECTION FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE CITY OF ATLANTA'S BOARD OF ETHICS. MS. UPSHAW MONTEITH IS APPOINTED FOR A THREE-YEAR TERM TO BEGIN ON 10/23/2014 AND EXPIRE ON 10/23/2017.

**RESULT: FILE**

**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow

**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5122 (6) A COMMUNICATION BY MAYOR KASIM REED AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE SUBMITTING THE APPOINTMENT OF MS. KIMBERLY DAVIS SMITH FOR CONSIDERATION TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE LICENSE REVIEW BOARD REPLACING MR. J. C. LOVE, III WHO IS ROTATING OFF THE BOARD. THIS APPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. **(Favorable as Amended by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee 11/10/14)**

**RESULT: FAVORABLE AS AMENDED**  
**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow  
**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5123 (7) A COMMUNICATION BY COUNCILMEMBER ANDRE DICKENS, POST 3 AT-LARGE APPOINTING MEL NICOLE GETTIS TO THE ATLANTA COMMISSION ON WOMEN FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION.

**RESULT: FILE**  
**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow  
**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

14-C-5126 (8) A COMMUNICATION BY COUNCILMEMBERS MARY NORWOOD, POST 2 AT-LARGE, NATALYN M. ARCHIBONG, DISTRICT 5, AND ALEX WAN, DISTRICT 6 SUBMITTING THE APPOINTMENT OF LUANA K. SLAUGHTER FOR CONSIDERATION TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE ATLANTA YOUTH COMMISSION. THIS APPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS TO BEGIN UPON COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. **(Favorable by Community Development/Human Resources Committee 11/10/14)**

**RESULT: FAVORABLE**  
**AYES:** Norwood, Archibong, Bond, Martin, Winslow  
**ABSENT:** Sheperd, Moore

**H. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE**

14-O-1066 (1) AN ORDINANCE BY COUNCILMEMBER MICHAEL JULIAN BOND AS SUBSTITUTED BY THE FULL COUNCIL TO AMEND ATLANTA, GEORGIA CODE OF ORDINANCES, PART II CODE OF ORDINANCES GENERAL ORDINANCES (GENERAL ORDINANCES), CHAPTER 2 (ADMINISTRATION), ARTICLE II (COUNCIL), DIVISION 1 (GENERALLY), SEC. 2-39 (COUNCILMEMBER EXPENSE ACCOUNTS; COUNCIL DISTRICT APPROPRIATIONS; FUNDS) SO AS TO ALLOW COUNCILMEMBER EXPENSE ACCOUNTS TO BE USED TO PAY CONTRIBUTIONS AND/OR DONATIONS TO CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES; TO WAIVE CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND CODE SECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. **(Referred back by Council on Substitute 4/21/14) (Held 5/5/14)**

14-C-5027 (2) A COMMUNICATION BY COUNCILMEMBER C. T. MARTIN, DISTRICT 10, SUBMITTING THE APPOINTMENT OF CELESTINE BRAY BOTTOMS FOR CONSIDERATION TO SERVE AS A MEMBER ON THE ATLANTA COMMISSION ON WOMEN. THIS APPOINTMENT IS FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION. **(Held 5/5/14 waiting for the Appointee to appear before the committee)**

**I. REQUESTED ITEM**

1. Councilmember Norwood requested the Law Department provide an update on the official definition of the Governing Body.

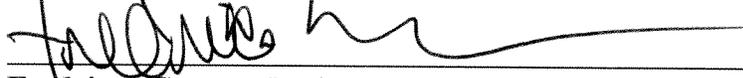
**J. PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE (3 MINUTES)**

**BEN HOWARD, PUBLIC SPEAKER**

Brother Anthony Muhammad, Public Speaker

There being no further business to come before the Committee on Council the meeting was adjourned at 12:13 PM

Respectfully submitted:



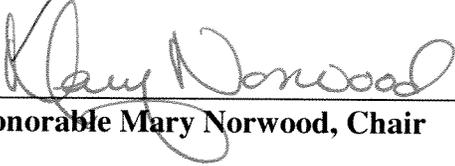
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Fredrieca Cooper, Legislative Assistant



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Bernard Thomas, Research & Policy Analyst



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The Honorable Mary Norwood, Chair