PUBLIC HEARING/SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 2021 10:00 A.M. 648

BE IT REMEMBERED that a Public Hearing/Special Meeting of the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi, was called by a majority of the City Council Members and notices having been placed by the City Clerk at 9:38 a.m. on Thursday, March 18, 2021 in the Clerk's Office, electronic notifications to all Council Members, on the City's website and on the public bulletin board in City Hall, relative to: (1) Ordinance of the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi establishing the honorary renaming of Capitol Street from Gallatin Street to State Street to Williams Brothers Drive. The meeting was convened in the Council Chambers located at 219 S. President Street at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, March 19, 2021 being the third Friday of said month, when and where the following things were had and done to wit:

Present:

Council Members: Aaron Banks, Council President, Ward 6 (via teleconference); Ashby Foote, Ward 1 (via teleconference); Kenneth Stokes, Ward 3 (via teleconference); and De'Keither Stamps, Ward 4 (via teleconference). Directors: Shanekia Mosley-Jordan, Clerk of the Council; Constance White, Chief Deputy Clerk of Council; and Chandra Gayten, Senior Deputy City Attorney.

Absent:

Charles Tillman, Vice President, Ward 5; Angelique Lee, Ward 2; and Virgi

Lindsay, Ward 7.

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The meeting was called to order by President Aaron Banks.

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There came on for consideration Agenda Item No. 1, Public Hearing:

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI ESTABLISHING THE HONORARY RENAMING OF CAPITOL STREET FROM GALLATIN STREET TO STATE STREET TO WILLIAMS BROTHERS DRIVE.

There was no opposition from the public.

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WHEREAS, The Williams Brothers are collectively a prominent Gospel Music Group, Men of God, internationally known, and pillars of the community; and

WHEREAS, The Williams Brothers are a Gospel Music force of nature, being native sons of Mississippi who have been comforting God's people and winning souls through their Christian music and contributing greatly to the enhancement of life for the general community through their ministry of music; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Jackson that this distinguished group of God-fearing men and community leaders be honored with this street designation in their honor.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi hereby honorary renames Capitol Street from Gallatin Street to State Street to Williams Brothers Drive.

SO ORDAINED, this the 19th day of March, 2021.

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Yeas – Banks, Foote, Stamps, Stokes.

Nays – None.

Absent – Lee, Lindsay and Tillman.

Council Member Stokes moved; President Banks seconded.

There were no reports/announcements provided during the meeting.

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There being no further business to come before the City Council, it was unanimously voted to adjourn until the Special Council Meeting at 10:00 a.m. on March 30, 2021. At 10:10 a.m., the Council stood adjourned.

PREPARED BY:

CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED:

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ATTEST:

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