

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL CITY OF JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI March 4, 2022 AGENDA 1:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER BY THE PRESIDENT REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. CLAIMS
- 2. RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF JACKSON MISSISSIPPI EXPRESSING EXTREME DISAPPROVAL OF MAYOR CHOKWE ANTAR LUMUMBA'S COMMENTS TOWARD CERTAIN CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS DURING A FEBRUARY 28, 2022 PRESS CONFERENCE. FURTHERMORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF JACKSON CONCLUDES EXTREME CONCERN FOR STAFF MEMBERS OF THE MAYOR CONFRONTING COUNCIL MEMBERS IN THEIR OFFICIAL CAPACITY.

ANNOUNCEMENTS ADJOURNMENT

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WHEREAS, the mayor took to the public and local media giving mis-leading and false statements of his belief that certain council members have taken bribes; and

WHEREAS, the mayor of the city of Jackson has offered neither a public apology nor shown regret, for his statement towards members of this body; and

WHEREAS, staff members are now emboldened to address and confront council-members of the city of Jackson with such statements as but not limited to, "their just getting paid, they are lying, I'll kick you're a**, who do you think you are and many more obnoxious insults; and

WHEREAS, City Council Meetings held in the Council Chambers are Meetings of the Jackson City Council and the mayor and his staff are guest only. And have no right to enter anything into the minutes of the council and are not guaranteed the right to speak unless recognized by the chair; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby a threat to the City Council of Jackson MS to thereby hold its business meetings with such interruption or insult and fanfare of comments from members of the mayor's staff.

BE IT HEREBY KNOWN, that the Jackson City Council expresses extreme disapproval of these above actions and will look for further ways within its governing authority to ensure that members of the Jackson City Council can vote their conviction without being concerned about any retaliation and or threats, and or insults of Council members.