Galax City Council Minutes July 28, 2014

Galax City Council convened in a *called* meeting in City Council Chambers on July 28, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

At 7:00 p.m. Mayor Mitchell called the meeting to order with the following Council persons present and they are as listed: Mayor Mitchell, Councilman Garner, Councilwoman Crouse, Councilwoman Plichta, Councilman Webb, and Councilman Lazo. Vice Mayor Greene was absent.

Mayor Mitchell welcomed everyone, then stated that the reason for the called joint meeting with the Galax School Board was to consider possible Galax Elementary School sites.

At 7:05 p.m., a motion was made by Councilman Webb to enter into closed session under the following Codes of Virginia: **§2.2-3711 A.3 of the** *Code of Virginia* - Discussion or consideration of the acquisition of real property for a public purpose, or of the disposition of publicly held real property, where discussion in an open meeting would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiating strategy of the public body. Councilwoman Crouse seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved by the following votes: Mayor Mitchell – yea, Councilman Garner – yea, Councilman Webb – yea, Councilwoman Crouse – yea, Councilwoman Plichta – yea, and Councilman Lazo – yea.

Councilwoman Plichta made the motion to return to return to regular session. Councilman Webb seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved by the following votes: Mayor Mitchell – yea, Councilman Garner – yea, Councilman Webb – yea, Councilwoman Crouse – yea, Councilwoman Plichta – yea, and Councilman Lazo – yea.

At 10:00 p.m., after Council reconvened in open session, Mayor Mitchell certified that no items other than those allowed under the cited Virginia Code section were discussed and no action taken, with the following affirmation: Mayor Mitchell – yea, Councilman Garner – yea, Councilman Webb – yea, Councilwoman Crouse – yea, Councilwoman Plichta – yea, and Councilman Lazo – yea.

ADJOURNMENT

Council adjourned at 10:05 p.m.

Mayor