

City of Annapolis

*160 Duke Of Gloucester Street
Annapolis, MD 21401*



Standing Committee Meeting Minutes

Thursday, March 10, 2022

3:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

**Mayor John T. Chambers, Jr.
City Council Chambers**

Environmental Matters Committee

Call To Order

Chairman Savidge called the meeting to order at 3:03 p.m.

Roll Call

Present: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderwoman Finlayson

Approval of Agenda (any changes to the agenda should be made here)

Alderman Arnett moved to adopt the Regular Meeting Agenda as amended to add an update from Public Works Director. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderwoman Finlayson

1. Business and Miscellaneous**Approval of Minutes**

[ENV02.10.22](#) Approval of Minutes for the Regular Meeting

Attachments: [ENV02.10.22](#)

Alderman Arnett moved to approve the Minutes for the Regular Meeting. Seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderwoman Finlayson

Appointments and Re-appointments

[AP-6-22](#) The Appointment of John Henry Turner to the Annapolis Conservancy Board

Attachments: [Application](#)

John Henry Turner, 1091 Cedar Ridge Court, Annapolis, MD 21403, was present and answered questions from the committee.

Alderwoman Finlayson moved to recommend favorably AP-6-22. Seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderwoman Finlayson

[AP-7-22](#) The Appointment Briana Yancy to the Environmental Commission

Attachments: [Application and Resume](#)

No action taken

[AP-22-22](#) The Appointment of Harold Seigel to the Port Wardens

Attachments: [Board and Commissions Application](#)

[Resume](#)

[References](#)

Harold Siegel, 503 Fifth Street, Annapolis, MD 21403, was present and answered questions from the committee.

Alderman Arnett moved to recommend favorably AP-22-22. Seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderwoman Finlayson

Committee Presentations

[ID-47-22](#)

Introduction of the new Environmental Commission Chair, Randy Rowel

Randy Rowel, 841 Monroe Street, Annapolis, MD 21403, and Allison Colden, 1010 Hyde Park Drive, Annapolis, MD 21403, were present and answered questions from the committee.

Deputy City Manager of Resilience and Sustainability Guild was present and answered questions from the committee.

2. Legislation

Ordinances

[O-38-21](#)

Illicit Discharges and Connections - Stormwater - For the purpose of regulating the contribution of pollutants to the City separate storm sewer system (MS4) by stormwater discharges by any user; prohibiting illicit connections and discharges to the City separate storm sewer system (MS4); establishing legal authority for the City to carry out all inspection, surveillance and monitoring procedures; providing definitions; providing for enforcement of violations; providing an appeal process; and generally relating to illicit discharge and connections.

Attachments: [O-38-21 First Reader](#)

[O-38-21 Staff Report](#)

[O-38-21 Fiscal Impact Note](#)

[O-38-21 Amendments 1-15 - Savidge](#)

[O-38-21 SIGNED](#)

Public Works Director Johnson was present and answered questions from the committee.

Alderman Finlayson moved to recommend with amendments O-38-21. Seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderman Finlayson

O-40-21

Capital Budget and Capital Improvement Program - 100% Electric Mobility Plan - For the purpose of adding the 100% Electric Annapolis Mobility Plan to include electric vehicles, boat and associated support infrastructure to the Fiscal Year 2022 Capital Budget and Capital Improvement Program.

Attachments: [O-40-21 First Reader](#)
[O-40-21 Appendix A](#)
[O-40-21 Staff Report](#)
[O-40-21 Fiscal Impact Note](#)
[O-40-21 PC Findings and Recommendations](#)
[O-40-21 Amendments 1-2 - Tierney, Finlayson, O'Neill](#)
[O-40-21 Maritime Advisory Board.pdf](#)
[O-40-21 Appendix A as Amended](#)
[O-40-21 SIGNED](#)

Mayor Buckley and Deputy City Manager of Resilience and Sustainability Guild were present and answered questions from the committee.

Alderman Tierney was present and addressed the committee.

Live Public Testimony was received from:
Bill Reichardt, 717 Bay Ridge Avenue, Annapolis, MD 21403
Randy Rowel, 841 Monroe Street, Annapolis, MD 21403

Alderman Finlayson moved to recommend with amendments O-40-21. Seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderman Finlayson

O-2-22

Mooring Permits - Forfeiture - For the purpose of modifying the use requirement of moorings in City waters; and generally relating to mooring permits.

Attachments: [O-2-22 First Reader](#)
[O-2-22 Staff Report](#)
[O-2-22 Fiscal Impact Note](#)
[O-2-22 Amendments 1-3 Savidge, Finlayson, Arnett](#)
[O-2-22 MAB Recommendations](#)

Harbormaster Bellis was present and answered questions from the committee.

Alderman Arnett moved to postpone O-2-22 until the next Environmental Matters Committee. Seconded. A roll call vote was taken. The motion CARRIED by the following vote:

Aye: 3 - Alderman Savidge, Alderman Arnett and Alderwoman Finlayson

3. General Discussion

Update from the Deputy City Manager of Resilience and Sustainability, Jacqueline Guild

Deputy City Manager Guild was present and provided the committee with updates on the following:

Bulkhead replacement and grants.

ID-58-22 Presentation on St. Lukes: Public Works Director Johnson

Public Works Director Johnson was present and answered questions from the committee.

Keith Binstead, 1112 Severn View Drive, Crownsville, MD 21032 was present and addressed the committee.

Adjournment

Upon motion duly made, seconded and adopted, the meeting was adjourned at 5:51 p.m.

**Teekia Green
City Council Associate**