

# YOUTH AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES October 8, 2019

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## **In Attendance**

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Councilwoman Demetrus Coonrod, Committee Chair, called the meeting to order at 3:31 p.m. in the Council Assembly Room of the John P. Franklin Sr. City Council Building. A quorum was present, including Council Chairman Erskine Oglesby, Council Vice-Chairman Chip Henderson and Council members Anthony Byrd, Russell Gilbert and Jerry Mitchell. Also present were Phil Noblett, City Attorney and Keren Campbell, Council Support Specialist. Councilpersons Carol Berz, Darrin Ledford and Ken Smith were not present at this meeting.

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## **Others in Attendance**

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Mayor's Office: Maura Sullivan, Chief Operating Officer; YFD: Lurone Jennings, Administrator, and Claudius Pratt, Director, Foster Grandparents Program

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## **Approval of Minutes**

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**On motion of Councilman Gilbert** and seconded by Chairman Oglesby, the minutes from the last meeting (September 10, 2019) were approved as published.

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## **Foster Grandparents Program**

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Mr. Jennings introduced Mr. Pratt who gave a presentation on the Foster Grandparents Program that included information on the following:

- Vision
- Impact Made School Calendar Year 2018-2019
- Eligibility Requirements
- Benefits

Councilman Gilbert expressed appreciation for the accomplishments of the program. Councilwoman Coonrod inquired about the items needed for the kitchen at the Head Start program, which Mr. Jennings addressed. Ms. Sullivan addressed Councilwoman Coonrod's concern about the roof needing to be replaced in the different centers and the progress being made. Upon no further questions or comments, the issue was closed.

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## **Adjournment**

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There being no further business, Councilwoman Coonrod adjourned the meeting at 3:41 p.m.