



The Honorable William "Bill" Edwards, Mayor (recused)
The Honorable Mark Baker District 7, Mayor Pro Tem (present)
The Honorable Catherine F. Rowell, District 1 Councilmember (present)
The Honorable Carmalitha Gumbs, District 2 Councilmember (arrived at 3:05pm)
The Honorable Helen Z. Willis, District 3 Councilmember (present)
The Honorable Naeema Gilyard, District 4 Councilmember (arrived at 3:10pm)
The Honorable Rosie Jackson, District 5 Councilmember (present)
The Honorable khalid kamau, District 6 Councilmember (arrived at 3:18pm)

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

1. Call to Order

Minutes:

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Pro Tem Baker at 3:00pm. Following the roll call by the City Clerk, a quorum was established.

2. Petition to Remove Judge

Motion (Accept): Councilmember Willis

Second: Councilmember Jackson

[Motion]

Yea: 3 Baker, Jackson, Willis

Nay: 0

Abstain: 0

Not Voting: 0

Minutes:

A motion was made to accept the meeting agenda. Absent were Councilmembers Gumbs, Gilyard and khalid.

a. Public Hearing

Motion (Other): Councilmember Willis
Second: Councilmember Jackson
[Motion Passed]

Yea: 5 Baker, Gumbs, Jackson, Rowell, Willis
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0
Not Voting: 0

Minutes:

A motion was made to increase the allowable time for Chief Judge Sellers to present her case from ten (10) minutes to up to 30 minutes and up to 30 minutes for the public to speak. Absent were Councilmembers Gilyard and khalid. The motion passed, 5-0-2.

Chief Judge Sellers presented her position as it relates to the Petition to Remove Chief Judge.

Mayor Pro Tem Baker asked for any citizens in support of the Petition to Remove Chief Judge Sellers.

There were no citizens in support of the Petition to Remove Chief Judge Sellers.

Mayor Pro Tem Baker asked for any citizens opposed to the Petition to Remove Chief Judge Sellers.

There were fourteen (14) citizens opposed to terminating Chief Judge Sellers as follows:

- **Leslie J. Kimbro**
- **Teresa Carter - District 4**
- **Reginald Tatum - District 1**
- **Brandon Fulton - District 2**
- **Joyce Armster - District 6**
- **Nancy W. Sargent - District 6**
- **Damita Chatman - District 2**
- **Walter L. Kimbrough - District 1**
- **Donnie Perry - District 2**
- **Barbara McKee - District 6**
- **Harold E. Reid - District 2**
- **Dr. Shanaika Muldrow - District 3**
- **Veronica Richardson - District 2**
- **Alvin Reynolds - District 7**

b. Discussion/Action by City Council

Minutes:

Mayor Pro Tem Baker closed the public hearing at 3:55pm.

3. Executive Session (CLOSED) if necessary

Motion (Recess): Councilmember khalid

Second: Councilmember Gumbs

[Motion Passed]

Yea: 7 Baker, Gilyard, Gumbs, Jackson, khalid , Rowell, Willis

Nay: 0

Abstain: 0

Not Voting: 0

Minutes:

Motion a.

A motion was made to recess for closed executive session to discuss personnel.

The motion passed unanimously.

The executive session began at 4:10pm.

Motion (Reconvene): Councilmember Willis

Second: Councilmember Gumbs

[Motion Passed]

Yea: 4 Gilyard, Gumbs, khalid , Willis

Nay: 0

Abstain: 0

Not Voting: 3 Baker, Jackson, Rowell

Minutes:

Motion b.

A motion was made to reconvene the public hearing. The motion passed, 4-0-3.

Motion (Close): Councilmember khalid

Second: Councilmember Gilyard

[Motion Passed]

Yea: 7 Baker, Gilyard, Gumbs, Jackson, khalid , Rowell, Willis

Nay: 0

Abstain: 0

Not Voting: 0

Minutes:

Motion c.

A motion was made to close executive session. The motion passed unanimously.

The executive session closed at 4:45pm.

Motion (Remove): Councilmember Gumbs
Second: Councilmember Jackson
[Motion Passed]

Yea: 6 Baker, Gilyard, Gumbs, Jackson, khalid , Willis
Nay: 1 Rowell
Abstain: 0
Not Voting: 0

Minutes:
In Open Session:

Motion d.

A motion was made, that according to OCG § 36-32-2.1, governing the process for removal of municipal judges, to remove Tiffany Sellers from office as municipal judge from the City of South Fulton effective today. The motion passed, 6-1-0.

4. Adjournment

Motion (Adjourn): Councilmember Gumbs
Second: Councilmember khalid
[Motion Passed]

Yea: 7 Baker, Gilyard, Gumbs, Jackson, khalid , Rowell, Willis
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0
Not Voting: 0

Minutes:
A motion was made to adjourn the public hearing meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 4:47pm.



S. Diane White, City Clerk
