

November 14, 2023

// A special called meeting of the Council of the City of Lynchburg and its local delegation was held on the 14th day of November, 2023, at 6:00 P.M. at the University of Lynchburg, Stephanie Reed, President, presiding. The following members of City Council were present:

Present: Stephanie Reed, Chris Faraldi, MaryJane Dolan, Jeff Helgeson, Sterling A. Wilder,	
Larry Taylor, Martin Misjuns	7
Absent:	0

// The following local legislatures were present:

Present: Steve Newman (Senate of Virginia, District 23), Mark Peake (Senator of Virginia,	
District 22), Wendell Walker (Virginia House of Delegates, District 23)	3
Absent:	0

// Mayor Reed gave the Invocation, followed by a dinner served in the Drysdale Student Center of the University of Lynchburg.

// Secretary Stephen E. Cummings, Virginia Secretary of Finance, joined virtually and provided guests with a presentation of Virginia's current financial situation and future outlook.

// Senators Newman and Peake and Delegate Walker were afforded the opportunity to give remarks regarding the upcoming General Assembly session. They spoke about their legislative priorities and collectively stated that career technical education, talent retention for teachers and nurses, and public safety were their priorities.

// Mayor Reed led her fellow Councilmembers in a distinguished presentation to Senator Newman for his years of service in the Senate. Together, they unveiled a placard that would be hung along the corridor of Senator Steve Newman Parkway, an overlay located at Odd Fellows Road from U.S. Route 460 to the Lynchburg Expressway.

// The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Clerk of Council