



CITY OF DOVER

CITY COUNCIL - MINUTES

Meeting Type: Workshop Session
Meeting Location: City Hall, Council Chambers
Meeting Date: **Wednesday, January 3, 2024**
Meeting Time: **7:00 pm**

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **MOMENT OF SILENCE**
3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
4. **ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE**

Present: Mayor Carrier, Deputy Mayor Shanahan, Councilor Cullen, Councilor Nemeth, Councilor Williams, Councilor Hackett, Councilor Richer

Also Present: City Manager Joyal, City Attorney Wyatt, and City Clerk Jerrica Vansylyvong-Bizier

Absent: Councilor Retrosi, Councilor Warach

5. **PUBLIC FORUM**

Citizens are invited to speak on the subject matter of the Workshop. Statements shall be limited to five minutes.

Mayor Carrier, seeing no one wishing to speak, closed the Public Forum.

6. **DISCUSSIONS**

- A. **STRAFFORD REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION OVERVIEW**

Councilor Williams introduced Jen Czysz, Executive Director of the Strafford Regional Planning Commission. Jen handed out a packet to the Council with information about the Commission and gave an overview. Jen also provided the most recent annual report.

- B. **ARTS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SURVEY RESULTS**

Planning Director Benton explained the inception of the Arts and Economic Development Survey and that it was started in 2021. Dover is one of six groups to complete this survey in the State of New Hampshire. She thanked them for their work and introduced Dover Planner Erin Bessegio, Chair of the Arts Commission Jane Hamor, and Vice Chair Cliff Blake. A PowerPoint was presented to the Council with the results of the survey.

- C. **WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT UPDATE**

Deputy City Manager Chris Parker and Norm Fracassa, Chair of the Cochecho Waterfront Development Advisory Committee, gave a PowerPoint presentation to the Council regarding the Waterfront Development Update.

7. **ADJOURNMENT**