

Minutes of the Government Records Council August 26, 2025 Public Meeting – Open Session

I. Public Session:

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:32 p.m. by Mr. John Alexy via Microsoft Teams.

• Pledge of Allegiance

All stood and recited the pledge of allegiance in salute to the American flag.

• Meeting Notice

Mr. Alexy read the following Open Public Meetings Act statement:

"This meeting was called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Act. Notices of this meeting were faxed to the Newark Star Ledger, Trenton Times, Courier-Post (Cherry Hill), and the Secretary of State on August 21, 2025.

Roll Call

Ms. Bordzoe called the roll:

Present: John Alexy (Chairman) (designee of Department of Community Affairs Commissioner, Jacquelyn A. Suárez), Robin Berg Tabakin, Esq. (Vice Chair), Christopher Brown, Public Member, Ronald Chen, Esq., Public Member and Steven Ritardi, Esq., (Secretary).

GRC Staff in Attendance: Frank F. Caruso (Executive Director), Rosemond Bordzoe (Secretary), John Stewart (Mediator), Samuel Rosado (Staff Attorney), Maria Rossi (Staff Attorney), and Deputy Attorney General Mark Gulbranson.

II. Executive Director's Report:

Current Statistics

 Since OPRA's inception in July 2002, the GRC has received 7,465 Denial of Access Complaints. That averages about 325 annual complaints per 23 tracked program years. So far in the current program year (FY2026), the GRC has received 81 Denial of Access Complaints.

- 524 of the 7,465 complaints remain open and active (7.0%). Of those open cases:
 - o 7 complaints are on appeal with the Appellate Division (1.3%);
 - o 45 complaints are currently in mediation (8.6%);
 - o 8 complaints are proposed for the Office of Administrative Law (1.5%);
 - \circ 3 complaints await adjudication by the Office of Administrative Law (0.6%);
 - o 52 complaints are tentatively scheduled for adjudication at an upcoming GRC meeting, which includes the current meeting (9.9%);
 - o 409 complaints are work in progress (78.1%); and
 - o 0 complaints are being held in abeyance (0.0%).
- Since Program Year 2004, the GRC has received and responded to 41,244 total inquiries, averaging about 1,875 annual inquiries per 22 tracked program years (the GRC did not track inquiries in the agency's first year). So far in the current program year (FY2026), the GRC has received 245 inquiries (6.3 inquiries per workday).

GRC Outreaches

• The GRC's next training will a virtual training on August 27, 2025, hosted by the New Jersey League of Municipalities.

Meeting Change

• Mr. Caruso announced that the September 30, 2025 meeting is being postponed to October 6, 2025 due to quorum issues.

III. Closed Session

IV. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

July 29, 2025, Open Session Meeting Minutes

Mr. Alexy called for a motion to approve the draft open session minutes of the July 29, 2025, meeting. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, which was seconded by Ms. Berg Tabakin. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

July 29, 2025, Closed Session Meeting Minutes

Mr. Alexy called for a motion to approve the draft closed session minutes of the July 29, 2025, meeting. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, which was seconded by Ms. Berg Tabakin. The motion

passed by a unanimous vote.

V. New Business – Cases Scheduled for Adjudication

Mr. Alexy stated that an "Administrative Complaint Disposition" means a decision by the Council as to whether to accept or reject the Executive Director's recommendation of dismissal based on jurisdictional, procedural, or other defects of the complaint. The reason for the Administrative Disposition is under each complaint below.

A. Administrative Disposition Adjudications – New Category

- Anonymous Complaints Not Permitted As the Council knows, an amendment made to OPRA on September 4, 2024, now prohibits anonymous requestors from filing a Denial of Access Complaint. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(f); N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6. While the GRC screens Denial of Access Complaint submissions for anonymous filings and rejects them prior to intake, there may be instances where an anonymous complaint is inadvertently accepted. Thus, this category is proposed to address complaints when a requestor is anonymous or files under a pseudonym that is not immediately recognizable as an attempt to file an anonymous complaint. This category is consistent with the previously cited amended OPRA language.
- Mr. Alexy called for a motion to approve the new category. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, which was seconded by Ms. Berg Tabakin. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

B. Administrative Disposition Adjudications with Recusals (Consent Agenda):

- 1. John S. Hilkevich v. NJ Department of Corrections (2022-300) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 2. Miguel Ramos v. NJ Department of Corrections (2022-531) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 3. Patrick Bender v. Morris County Sheriff's Office (2022-656) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 4. Bianca Barber v. City of Newark (Essex) (2025-9) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 5. <u>Jennie Santiago v. City of Jersey City, Division of City Planning (Hudson)</u> (2025-12) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.

C. Administrative Disposition Adjudications with no Recusals (Consent Agenda):

- 1. Abussamaa Rasul Ramziddin v. Township of Lawrence (Mercer) (2023-231)
 - All Records Responsive Provided in a Timely Manner.
- 2. Jahkoy Monsanto v. Somerset County Jail (2023-290)
 - Unripe Cause of Action.
- 3. Bernard J. Meenan, Jr. v. Township of Edgewater Park (Burlington) (2024-49)
 - Unripe Cause of Action.

- 4. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-151)
- 5. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-152)
- 6. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-153)
- 7. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-154)
- 8. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-155)
- 9. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-156)
- 10. Frank James v. Borough of Roselle (Union) (2025-157) CONSOLIDATED
 - Anonymous Complaints Not Permitted.
- 11. Nalda M. Pineiro v. Perth Amboy Police Department (Middlesex) (2025-160)
 - Motion to File Within Time Denied.
- 12. <u>Isabela Perdomo v. Borough of Little Ferry (Bergen)</u> (2025-173)
 - Motion to File Within Time Denied.
- 13. James Butler v. Township of West Caldwell (Essex) (2025-190)
 - Unripe Cause of Action.
- 14. James Butler v. Township of West Caldwell (Essex) (2025-193)
 - Unripe Cause of Action.
- 15. Allen D. Leonard v. Township of Union Municipal Court (Union) (2025-227)
 - Not Within the Council's Jurisdiction.

Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Administrative Orders as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the recommendations as written in all the above Administrative Orders. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, which was seconded by Ms. Berg Tabakin. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

- D. Administrative Disposition of Uncontested, Voluntary Withdrawals by Complainant (No Adjudication of the Council is Required):
 - 1. Roosevelt N. Nesmith (o/b/o Les Leopold) v. NJ Board of Public Utilities (2022-53)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 2. <u>Deirdre Birmington v. Township of Montclair (Essex)</u> (2022-639)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 3. Caroline Rankovic (Twombly) v. City of Cape May (Cape May) (2023-3)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 4. Ronald Zoda v. Ewing Township (Mercer) (2023-209)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 5. Lori Cintron v. Community Charter School of Paterson (Passaic) (2023-295)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 6. Suzanne Ragone v. NJ Department of Human Services (2023-300)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 7. James M. Lange v. Township of Cranford (Union) (2024-52)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 8. Angela Brown v. East Brunswick Police Department (Middlesex) (2024-70)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.
 - 9. Wassim Elhouar v. Montclair State University (2025-21)
 - Complaint Settled in Mediation.

- 10. Avinash Melkote v. City of Jersey City (Hudson) (2025-28)
 - Complaint Settled in Mediation.
- 11. Avinash Melkote v. City of Jersey City (Hudson) (2025-49)
 - Complaint Settled in Mediation.
- 12. Nicholas Sodano v. Township of Mt. Holly (Burlington) (2025-93)
 - Complaint Settled in Mediation.
- 13. Carlos Cruz v. NJ Department of Corrections (2025-130)
 - Complaint Settled in Mediation.
- 14. <u>Brian M. Linares-Ponce, Esq. (o/b/o Maria Giminez Yepez) v. Irvington Police</u> Department (Essex) (2025-217)
 - Complaint Voluntarily Withdrawn.

VI. New Business - Cases Scheduled for Consent Agenda Administrative Order

Mr. Alexy stated that an "Administrative order" means an order issued by the Council requiring the records custodian or the complainant to perform a specific action in furtherance of the adjudication of a pending denial of access complaint or taking other actions deemed appropriate to adjudicate a complaint in an expedited manner. The Executive Director's recommended reason for the Administrative Order is under each complaint below.

- A. Administrative Orders with Recusals (Consent Agenda):
 - 1. <u>Dan Halper v. Rutgers University</u> (2023-141) (RC & SR Recusals)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- B. Administrative Orders with No Recusals (Consent Agenda): None.

VII. New Business - Cases Scheduled for Individual Complaint Adjudication

A brief summary of the Executive Director's recommended action is under each complaint:

- A. Individual Complaint Adjudications with Recusals:
 - 1. Perrault Jean Paul v. City of Jersey City (Hudson) (2022-317) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
 - 2. <u>Kevin Lawrence Conley v. County of Hudson</u> (2022-438) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
 - 3. Scott Madlinger v. City of Jersey City (Hudson) (2022-525) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
 - 4. Andre Graves-Byrd v. NJ Department of Corrections (2022-608) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
 - 5. Brian Scott Morton v. NJ Civil Service Commission (2023-138) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
 - 6. John Paff v. Township of Edison (Middlesex) (2023-168) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.

- 7. John Paff v. City of Jersey City (Hudson) (2023-252) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 8. <u>James Butler v. Borough of Caldwell (Essex)</u> (2025-85) (SR Recusal)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 9. Maria Diamonte v. Rutgers University (2022-355) (RC & SR Recusals)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 10. Maria Diamonte v. Rutgers University (2022-388) (RC & SR Recusals)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.
- 11. Maria Diamonte v. Rutgers University (2022-398) (RC & SR Recusals)
 - Cannot be adjudicated due to lack of quorum.

B. Individual Complaint Adjudications with no Recusals:

1. Rotimi Owoh, Esq. (o/b/o African American Data & Research Institute & Baffi Obafemi) v. Township of Middle (Cape May) (2022-195)

- Ms. Bowman's response was insufficient because she failed to address each OPRA request item individually. <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 47:1A-5(g); <u>Paff v. Willingboro</u> <u>Bd. of Educ. (Burlington)</u>, GRC Complaint No. 2007-272 (May 2008).
- The Custodian unlawfully denied access to the requested settlement agreements and must disclose them to the Complainant. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6; Libertarians for Transparent Gov't v. Cumberland Cnty., 250 N.J. 46 (2022).
- The Custodian did not unlawfully deny access to the portion of the Complainant's OPRA request seeking disclosable personnel information because all records were disclosed. <u>Owoh, Esq. (O.B.O. AADARI) v. Voorhees Twp. Police Dep't (Camden)</u>, GRC Complaint No. 2022-12 (March 2024).
- The Complainant is a prevailing party.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

2. Rotimi Owoh, Esq. (o/b/o African American Data & Research Institute & Baffi Obafemi) v. Township of Brick Police Department (Ocean) (2022-214)

- The Custodian's proposed special service charge of \$720.00 for 24 hours at an hourly rate of \$30.00 is warranted and reasonable. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(c); Courier Post v. Lenape Reg'l High Sch., 360 N.J. Super. 191, 204 (Law Div. 2002); Owoh, Esq. (O.B.O. AADARI) v. Elizabeth Police Dep't (Union), GRC Complaint No. 2020-39 (Interim Order dated June 29, 2021). Thus, the Custodian shall disclose the responsive records upon remittance of the appropriate fee. Paff v. City of Plainfield, GRC Complaint No. 2006-54 (July 2006).
- The Complainant is not a prevailing party.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to

accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

3. <u>Rotimi Owoh, Esq. (o/b/o African American Data & Research Institute) v.</u> <u>Ridgewood Police Department (Bergen) (2022-234)</u>

- The Custodian unlawfully denied access to the requested complaints and summonses. Simmons v. Mercado, 247 N.J. 24 (2022). Thus, the Custodian shall locate through the eCDR system and disclose all responsive records not already provided to the Complainant in a May 2, 2022 response.
- The Complainant is a prevailing party.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

4. <u>Rotimi Owoh, Esq. (o/b/o African American Data & Research Institute) v.</u> Blairstown Police Department (Warren) (2022-235)

- The Custodian's response was insufficient because she failed to address each OPRA request item individually. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(g); Paff, GRC 2007-272.
- The Custodian unlawfully denied access to the portion of the Complainant's OPRA request seeking personnel information because the disclosed list was derived from individual physical records. <u>Valdes v. Union City Bd. of Educ. (Hudson)</u>, GRC Complaint No. 2011-64 (Interim Order dated August 28, 2012). The Custodian shall thus locate and provide responsive personnel records containing the information sought.
- The Complainant is a prevailing party.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

5. Elaine P. Stevens v. Borough of Spring Lake Heights (Monmouth) (2022-249)

- The Custodian's failure to timely respond resulted in a "deemed" denial of access. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(g); N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(i).
- The Custodian improperly deployed the "Glomar" response to deny access to the Complainant's OPRA request. <u>Coulter v. N.J. State Police</u>, GRC Complaint No. 2021-87 (Final Decision dated December 13, 2022).
- The responsive police reports are exempt from disclosure under the criminal investigatory exemption. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1; N. Jersey Media Grp., Inc. v. Twp. of Lyndhurst, 229 N.J. 541 (2017); Janeczko v. N.J. Dep't of Law and Pub. Safety, Div. of Criminal Justice, GRC Complaint No. 2002-79, et seq. (June 2004). Thus, the Custodian lawfully denied access to the responsive records. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6.

• Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

6. Anne Vukicevich v. Moorestown Township (Burlington) (2022-251)

- No "deemed" denial of access occurred because the Custodian's timely attempt to respond to the March 25, 2024 OPRA request was obstructed by an uncontrollable technological error. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(g); N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(i); Anonymous v. Borough of Haledon (Passaic), GRC Complaint No. 2022-222 (October 2023).
- The Complainant's March 4, 2022 request is invalid because it failed to include sufficient identifiers necessary for the Custodian to perform a search. MAG Entm't, LLC v. Div. of ABC, 375 N.J. Super. 534, 546 (App. Div. 2005); Bent v. Stafford Police Dep't, 381 N.J. Super. 30, 37 (App. Div. 2005); Lagerkvist v. Office of the Governor, 443 N.J. Super. 230, 236-237 (App. Div. 2015); Ciszewski v. Newton Twp. Police Dep't (Sussex), GRC Complaint No. 2013-90 (October 2013).
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

7. <u>Victorina Salvador v. City of Union City (Hudson)</u> (2022-637)

- The Custodian's failure to timely respond resulted in a "deemed" denial of access. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(g); N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(i).
- The Custodian's request for reconsideration should be denied.
- The Council should, of its own volition pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:105-2.10(a), reconsider its June 24, 2025 *In Camera* Administrative Order by rescinding same and finding that based on Morris v. City of Union, *et al.*, Docket No. HUD-L-3191-23 (February 9, 2024), the Custodian lawfully denied access to the responsive recording.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

8. James Griglio v. Port Authority of NY & NJ (2022-670)

- Because the parties failed to reach a fee agreement and Complainant's Counsel timely submitted a fee application, the Council should determine the fee amount.
- The Council should find that Complainant's Counsel is entitled to a fee award of \$2,047.50 representing 5.87 hours of service at \$350.00 per hour.

• Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

9. Robert C. Scutro v. City of Linden (Union) (2023-175)

- The Custodian lawfully denied access to the requested global positioning system ("GPS") for enforcement vehicle No. 744 under the security and surveillance exemption. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1; Fano v. N.J. Dep't of Human Servs., Office of Legal Reg. Affairs, GRC Complaint No. 2012-148 (May 2013).
- The Custodian lawfully denied access to the portion of the Complainant's OPRA request seeking GPS records for the Auxiliary Police vehicle because he certified, and the record reflects, that no records exist. <u>Pusterhofer v. N.J. Dep't of Educ.</u>, GRC Complaint No. 2005-49 (July 2005).
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

10. Priscilla J. Triolo, Esq. (o/b/o Ashley Mojka-Kazanchy) v. Township of Randolph (Morris) (2023-232)

- This complaint should be dismissed based on the parties' executed "Stipulation of Dismissal." Thus, no further adjudication is required.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

11. Brian McMillan v. Borough of Cliffside Park (Bergen) (2023-283)

- The Custodian's failure to timely respond resulted in a "deemed" denial of access. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(g); N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5(i).
- The Custodian lawfully denied access to the requested body-worn camera ("BWC") footage under N.J.S.A. 40A:14-118.5(l)(1) because it was subject to the 180-day minimum retention period and the Complainant failed to provide evidence that the footage was subject to any additional retention periods. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

12. Gina Pope v. Borough of Merchantville Police Department (Camden) (2023-285)

- The Custodian unlawfully denied access to the responsive BWC footage under the investigation in progress exemption. N. Jersey Media Grp., Inc., 229 N.J. 541; Colvell v. Hightstown Police Dep't (Mercer), GRC Complaint No. 2019-134 (March 2021). Thus, the Custodian shall disclose the responsive BWC footage, with redactions where applicable.
- Mr. Alexy called for any discussion on the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Hearing none, Mr. Alexy called for a motion to accept the Executive Director's findings and recommendations as written. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, and Ms. Berg Tabakin seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote.

VIII. Court Decisions of GRC Complaints on Appeal: None

IX. Complaints Adjudicated in NJ Superior Court & NJ Supreme Court:

• E.Z. v. Deptford Twp. Bd. of Educ., 2025 N.J. Super. Unpub. LEXIS 1577 (App. Div. 2025): Here, plaintiff appealed the trial court's ordered awarding prevailing party attorney's fees in the amount of \$22,569.00, which was considerably less than sought, and subsequently denying reconsideration.

After the trial court's finding that defendant violated OPRA and plaintiff was a prevailing party, plaintiff filed a motion seeking \$31,450.00 for 67.4 hours of service at a rate of \$500.00 per hour and a 50% fee enhancement. Following defendant's opposition, plaintiff amended the motion to seek \$36,880.00 representing 79 hours of service, and a 50% fee enhancement for 39.5 hours for an overall total of \$55,320.00. Following a hearing, the trial court reduced the hourly rate to \$400.00, commensurate with county rates, reduced the hours calculated and denied the fee enhancement; thus, awarding the contested fee amount. Plaintiff filed for reconsideration and was denied

This appeal followed, wherein the Appellate Division held that the trial court did not abuse its discretion either on its initial decision or in its reconsideration denial. Affirmed.

X. Complaints Adjudicated in U.S. District Court: None

XI. Public Comment:

• Mr. Brian Morton (GRC Complaint No. 2023-138): Mr. Morton asked for a status update on his pending complaint. Mr. Caruso stated a decision could not be rendered due to a lack of quorum. Mr. Morton asked what needed to occur to receive a decision. Mr. Caruso stated that 5 votes were needed for a decision to be rendered in a complaint; however, the Council currently consists of only 5 members, and one member is recused from that complaint. Mr. Caruso stated that the matter could not move until additional members were appointed to the Council.

XII. Adjournment:

Mr. Alexy called for a motion to end the Council meeting. Mr. Ritardi made a motion, which was seconded by Ms. Berg Tabakin. The motion passed by a unanimous vote. The meeting adjourned at $2:07~\rm p.m.$

Respectfully submitted,

John Alexy, Chair

Date Approved: October 6, 2025