CITY OF UNION CITY FY19 PLANNING RETREAT

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 2018 8:30 A.M. & 4:00 P.M.

Present: Mayor Vince Williams, Councilmembers Brian Jones, Shayla Nealy, and Christina

Hobbs; Dennis Davenport - City Attorney, Sonja Fillingame - City Manager, Shandrella

Jewett - City Clerk,

Staff Judge Ronald Freeman, Linda Goodman – Finance Director, Lee Blitch – Parks and

Present: Recreation Director, Lonnie Ferguson – Public Services Director, Ellis Still –

Community Development Director, Rhonda Calloway – Human Resource Manager, Chief Cassandra Jones- Police Department, Chief Joe Maddox- Fire Department,

Absent: Councilmember Angelette Mealing and Tarsha Calloway – Assistant City Manager

The meeting started at 8:40 a.m.

I. Welcome Remarks by Sonja Fillingame, City Manager

II. Mayor & Council Session

Langford Holbrook, Carl Vinson Institute of Government Role of the Mayor and Council as Representatives of the City

- Individual Goals for the Session
- Visioning Session
- Environmental Assessment
- Identification of Goals

III. Director's Session

Russ Cook, Carl Vinson Institute of Government

Teamwork and Building Guiding Principles – Russ Cook, Ed.

Langford Holbrook, Carl Vinson Institute of Government

Identification of Action Strategies

IV. Presentations

- Eric Bosman & Kimley Horne Understanding Transportation and Transit
- Andy Camp NextSite
- Laura Benz South Fulton Municipal Regional Water & Sewer Authority
- Dr. Robert Keller, Atlantic Coast Conservancy, Inc. Land Conservation Project
- Tristan Crum Marketing & Community Engagement Strategy

Councilmember Hobbs left the meeting.

V. Mayor and Council Discussion

A discussion was held regarding funds that can be potentially utilized as seed money for small business incubator start-up.

On motion of Councilmember Nealy, seconded by Councilmember Jones and carried, Council agreed to utilize \$10,000.00 as seed money for small business incubator startup. Vote was unanimous.

VI. Rapid Fire - Departmental Overviews

- Police Department
- Courts
- Fire Department
- Community Development
- Public Services
- Human Resources
- Finance Department
- City Clerk
- Parks and Recreation

VII. Meeting Adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

On Councilmember Jones, seconded by Councilmember Nealy and carried, the meeting was adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

Shandrella Jewett, City Clerk

Vince R. Williams, Mayor