City of Jacksonville Tuesday, June 3, 2025 12:30 PM



117 W. Duval Street Jacksonville, FL 32202 Council Chamber, 1st Floor, City Hall

Special Committee on Duval DOGE

June 17, 2025 12:30 PM Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Committee Members Salem (Chair), Arias and Miller

Also: Brian Parks and Phillip Peterson, Auditor's Office; Mary Staffopoulos, OGC; Colleen Hampsey, Council

Research

Meeting convened: 12:32 pm

I. Call to Order and Introductions

Chair Salem convened the meeting and called for introductions. He said this would be the last DOGE meeting until after the budget process, subject to continuation by the incoming council president.

II. Financial Services Update

Brian Parks, Auditor's Office, reviewed the handout of Financial Services - Pension Funds. Mr. Parks talked about the methods by which money managers are selected. He spoke about JRS and PFPF performance, and tiered fee structures.

III. Building Efficiencies Update

Mr. Parks talked about building efficiencies, specifically chilled water connections for HVAC usage in City buildings downtown. Mr. Parks talked about the savings from chilled water usage. Council Member Arias asked about expanding to other buildings. Mr. Parks talked about the plan to connect to the Ed Ball Building next year and to the stadium after renovations, and potentially to City Hall and the EOC building.

IV. Summary of Takeaways from Analysis

Mr. Parks talked about the takeaways from the committee's work and reviewed the handout. The handout listed the items covered by the committee: Capital Improvement Plan – Close-Outs, Capital Improvement Plan – Available Funding/Fair Share, City Facilities, Children's Services, City Growth, P-Cards, Charges to Independent Agencies, Overtime, Financial Services and Building Efficiencies. There was discussion about a quarterly report on employee overtime. Ms. Staffopoulos, OGC, said she will draft legislation from the committee to add overtime to the required items reported quarterly by the Administration.

Public Comment: Johns Nooney, Denise Scott, Wells Todd, Alyssa Arroyo, Gray Driscoll, Marlaine Geddes

Chair Salem adjourned the meeting at 1:33 pm.

Minutes: Colleen Hampsey, Council Research

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