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*DaRon McGee (4th) Chairman,
Megan L. Marshall (3rd AL) Vice Chairman,
Jalen Anderson (1st AL), Donna Peyton (2nd AL),
Manuel Abarca IV (1st), Venessa Huskey (2nd), Charlie Franklin (3rd),
Jeanie Lauer (5th), Sean E. Smith (6th)*

Monday, August 21, 2023

1:00 PM

Special Meeting

K.C. Legislative Assembly Area, Kansas City, Missouri

DaRon McGee, Chairman, called the meeting of the Jackson County Legislature to order.

1 ROLL CALL

Present 9 - DaRon McGee, Megan L. Marshall, Jalen Anderson, Donna Peyton, Manuel Abarca IV, Venessa Huskey, Charlie Franklin, Jeanie Lauer and Sean E. Smith

2 THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Recited.

3 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

A motion was made by Megan L. Marshall, seconded by Manuel Abarca IV to approve the journal of the previous meeting held on August 14, 2023. The motion passed by a voice vote.

4 HEARINGS

DaRon McGee, County Legislator, introduced the members of the Kansas City Council to participate in an update from Dan Wehmuller and Jeff Jenkins of JCDC Partners and JE Dunn-Axiom, regarding the construction of the new Jackson County Detention Center. A copy of the JCDC Partners presentation is available under the meeting details of the August 21, 2023 Special Meeting posted at:

[https://jacksonco.legistar.com/MeetingDetail.aspx?](https://jacksonco.legistar.com/MeetingDetail.aspx?ID=1117598&GUID=F9C6D4D0-4AB2-4284-B5F7-3083F4FF3680&Options)

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Mr. Wehmuller presented information regarding discussions related to a joint detention facility with the City of Kansas City. There is a deadline set for September 15, 2023, for the City to approve an indemnification agreement for a joint project that would not change the guaranteed maximum price for the County and would place responsibility for any

additional costs above the GMP on the City. Mr. Jenkins said that any delays in the next phase of the County's project will come at additional costs to the GMP.

The City has three options, increasing the number of beds of the County's facility, creating a hybrid city/county facility, or for the City to build a separate stand-alone facility. These options may not save the County any money but may be a cost savings for the City and the taxpayers of Kansas City.

Quinton Lucas, Mayor of Kansas City, said the Council will explore its options, confer with its attorneys to determine its next step, and entertain discussions which may enable the City more time to determine its best course of action.

5 COMMUNICATIONS WITH AND REPORTS OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

None.

6 PERFECTION OF PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

None.

7 FINAL PASSAGE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCES

None.

8 RESOLUTIONS IN COMMITTEE

None.

9 CONSENT AGENDA

None.

10 INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND ASSIGNMENT TO COMMITTEE

None.

11 INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS AND ASSIGNMENT TO COMMITTEE

None.

12 COUNTY EXECUTIVE ORDERS

None.

13 UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

14 NEW BUSINESS

None.

15 ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Megan L. Marshall, seconded by Manuel Abarca IV, to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed by a voice vote.

Meeting adjourned until Monday, August 21, 2023 at 3:00 P.M. at the Jackson County Courthouse, 415 E. 12th Street, Kansas City, Missouri, 2nd Floor, Legislative Assembly Area.