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**JOURNAL of the PROCEEDINGS
of the
CITY COUNCIL
of the
CITY of CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

Special Meeting -- Friday, July 2, 2021

at 11:00 A.M.

(Teleconference)

OFFICIAL RECORD.

LORI E. LIGHTFOOT
Mayor

ANDREA M. VALENCIA
City Clerk

Attendance At Meeting.

Present -- In-Person Attendance: The Honorable Lori E. Lightfoot, Mayor, and Aldermen La Spata, King, Harris, Beale, Sadlowski Garza, Thompson, Cárdenas, Quinn, Lopez, Coleman, O'Shea, Taylor, Brookins, Tabares, Scott, Taliaferro, Reboyras, Cardona, Waguespack, Villegas, Sposato, Napolitano, Reilly, Smith, Tunney, Gardiner, Osterman, Silverstein. Remote Attendance: Hopkins, Dowell, Hairston, Sawyer, Mitchell, Burke, Moore, Rodriguez, Sigcho-Lopez, Maldonado, Burnett, Ervin, Rodriguez-Sanchez, Ramirez-Rosa, Mitts, Nugent, Vasquez, Cappleman, Martin, Hadden.

Absent -- Aldermen Curtis, Austin.

Call To Order.

On Friday, July 2, 2021 at 11:00 A.M., the Honorable Lori E. Lightfoot, Mayor, called the City Council to order and noted that pursuant to applicable law and her determination that attendance by remote means was necessary because an in-person meeting was not practical or prudent due to the declared public health disaster caused by COVID-19, the meeting was being conducted by videoconference. The Honorable Andrea M. Valencia, City Clerk, then called the roll of members and it was found that there were present at that time: Aldermen La Spata, Hopkins, Dowell, King, Hairston, Sawyer, Mitchell, Harris, Beale, Sadlowski Garza, Thompson, Cárdenas, Quinn, Burke, Lopez, Coleman, Moore, O'Shea, Taylor, Brookins, Rodriguez, Tabares, Scott, Sigcho-Lopez, Burnett, Ervin, Taliaferro, Reboyras, Cardona, Waguespack, Rodriguez-Sanchez, Ramirez-Rosa, Villegas, Mitts, Sposato, Nugent, Vasquez, Napolitano, Reilly, Smith, Tunney, Gardiner, Cappleman, Martin, Osterman, Hadden, Silverstein -- 47.

Quorum present.

Pledge Of Allegiance.

The Honorable Lori E. Lightfoot, Mayor, led the City Council in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Invocation.

P. Devon Brown, Pastor of St. Mark United Methodist Church of Chicago, opened the meeting with prayer.

PUBLIC COMMENT.

In accordance with the City Council's Rules of Order and Procedure, the following members of the general public addressed the City Council:

Kimball Ladien

George Blakemore

Stephen Headdy

Allen Juris

Jackie M. Thompson

Ephraim Martin

There were no members of the general public who submitted written comments to the City Council.

Placed On File -- CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING.

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The Honorable Andrea M. Valencia, City Clerk, informed the City Council that the

following call for a special meeting was filed in her office on Wednesday, June 30, 2021, at 10:52 A.M.:

CITY OF CHICAGO
CITY COUNCIL

June 30, 2021.

Honorable Anna Valencia
City Clerk
City Hall, Room 107
121 North LaSalle Street
Chicago, Illinois 60602

CLERK VALENCIA -- We, the undersigned members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, do hereby call a special meeting of the City Council of the City of Chicago, to be convened on Friday, July 2, 2021 at 11:00 A.M. Because an in-person meeting is not practical or prudent due to COVID-19 restrictions, the meeting shall take place by videoconference. It shall provide for remote participation and remote viewing by members of the public.

The special meeting is for the following purposes and no other purpose whatsoever:

- To receive, as the Committee of the Whole, reports from David Brown, Chicago Police Department Superintendent, regarding the Chicago Police Department's policies and efforts designed at increasing the safety of all Chicagoans this summer; and
- For the immediate consideration and subsequent vote on a Resolution of No Confidence (R2021-218) of Chicago Police Superintendent David Brown should he fail to appear and present before the body.

We must inform the residents of Chicago that its leaders are doing everything possible to

create safe neighborhoods. We feel this open and public forum, in the absence of customary committee hearings, is the best avenue to accomplish that goal.

Respectfully electronically signed,

BRIAN HOPKINS,
Alderman, 2nd Ward

RODERICK SAWYER,
Alderman, 6th Ward

ANTHONY BEALE,
Alderman, 9th Ward

SUSAN SADLOWSKI GARZA,
Alderman, 10th Ward

MARTY QUINN,
Alderman, 13th Ward

EDWARD BURKE,
Alderman, 14th Ward

RAYMOND LOPEZ,
Alderman, 15th Ward

DAVID MOORE,
Alderman, 17th Ward

MATTHEW O'SHEA,
Alderman, 19th Ward

JEANETTE TAYLOR,
Alderman, 20th Ward

SILVANA TABARES,
Alderman, 23rd Ward

MICHAEL SCOTT, JR.,
Alderman, 24th Ward

BYRON SIGCHO-LOPEZ,
Alderman, 25th Ward

FELIX CARDONA, JR.,
Alderman, 31st Ward

GILBERT VILLEGAS,
Alderman, 36th Ward

SAMANTHA NUGENT,
Alderman, 39th Ward

ANDRE VASQUEZ, JR.,
Alderman, 40th Ward

ANTHONY NAPOLITANO,
Alderman, 41st Ward

BRENDAN M. REILLY
Alderman, 42nd Ward

At this point in the proceedings, Alderman Reilly raised a point of order stating that in accordance with the call for the special meeting, only the matters contained in the notice are to be considered at this special meeting and for no other purpose whatsoever; that Section 2-8-101 of the Municipal Code of Chicago provides that every such call for a special meeting shall specify the purpose or purposes for which such special meeting is called and

the business of such special meeting shall be limited to such specified purpose or purposes; and that under the Illinois Open Meetings Act, discussion on matters of a special meeting shall be limited to the agenda for that meeting.

Alderman Harris then moved to *Suspend the Rules Temporarily* to allow for the City Council to convene as a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of receiving reports from Chicago Police Department Superintendent David Brown. The motion *Prevailed*.

Alderman Lopez thereupon moved to withdraw from consideration resolution R2021-218 which was included in the agenda of matters listed in the Call for a Special Meeting. The motion *Prevailed*.

Mayor Lightfoot then informed the City Council that in accordance with Rule 10 of the City Council's Rules of Order and Procedure, no member shall be allowed to speak for longer than 10 minutes at any one time.

At this point in the proceedings, Alderman Beale requested, and the City Council granted, Superintendent Brown, First Deputy Eric Carter, Chief of Operations Brian McDermott and General Counsel Dana O'Malley the privilege to address the members of the body from the rostrum.

Speaking from the Clerk's rostrum, Superintendent David Brown, First Deputy Eric Carter and Chief of Operations Brian McDermott addressed the members of the City Council.

After completion of their statements, Superintendent David Brown responded to a series of questions and comments from the following aldermen:

Alderman Ervin

Alderman Moore

Alderman Lopez

Alderman Rodriguez

Alderman Cárdenas

Alderman King

Alderman La Spata

Alderman Sigcho-Lopez

Alderman Reilly

Alderman Mitts

Alderman Reboyras

Alderman O'Shea

Alderman Brookins

Alderman Rodriguez-Sanchez

Alderman Vasquez

Alderman Hopkins

Alderman Ramirez-Rosa

Alderman Dowell

Alderman Tabares

Alderman Napolitano

At this point in the proceedings the Mayor directed the City Council to stand at ease for three minutes.

At the conclusion of the three-minute period, Mayor Lightfoot called the City Council to order and the meeting resumed.

Alderman Tunney

Alderman Osterman

Alderman Silverstein

Alderman Hairston

Alderman Gardiner

Alderman Villegas

Alderman Smith

Alderman Sadlowski Garza

Alderman Thompson

Alderman Quinn

Alderman Cappleman

Alderman Coleman

Alderman Nugent

Alderman Beale

Alderman Waguespack

Alderman Taylor

Alderman Sposato

Alderman Taliaferro

Thanking Superintendent Brown and members of his delegation for their testimony, Alderman Harris moved to return to the regular order of business.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS RESUMED.

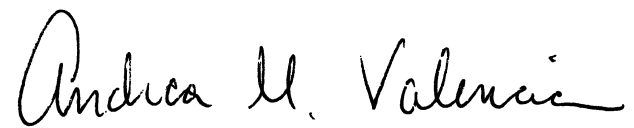
Adjournment.

Alderman Harris then moved that the City Council do *Adjourn*. The motion *Prevailed* by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas -- Aldermen La Spata, Hopkins, Dowell, King, Hairston, Sawyer, Mitchell, Harris, Beale, Sadlowski Garza, Thompson, Cárdenas, Quinn, Burke, Lopez, Coleman, Moore, O'Shea, Taylor, Brookins, Rodriguez, Tabares, Scott, Sigcho-Lopez, Burnett, Maldonado, Ervin, Taliaferro, Reboyras, Cardona, Waguespack, Rodriguez-Sanchez, Ramirez-Rosa, Villegas, Mitts, Sposato, Nugent, Vasquez, Napolitano, Reilly, Smith, Tunney, Gardiner, Cappleman, Martin, Osterman, Hadden, Silverstein -- 48.

Nays -- None.

Thereupon, the City Council *Stood Adjourned*.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrea M. Valencia". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'A'.

ANDREA M. VALENCIA,
City Clerk.

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Hopkins (2), and Others

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