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## **SPECIAL MEETING – CITY COUNCIL**

**-JUNE 28, 2021-**

A Special meeting of the City Council was called held on Monday, June 28, 2021 via ZOOM.

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 P.M. by the Council President.

Roll call showed the following members present: Councilwoman Marino, Councilman Ferri, Councilwomen Renzulli, Vargas, Germain, Councilmen Donegan, Reilly, Council Vice-President Brady and Council President Paplauskas -9.

Also Present: Anthony Moretti, Director of Administration; Christopher Millea, City Solicitor; John Verdecchia, Assistant City Solicitor; Stephen Angell, City Council Legal Counsel; David Dimaio, City Council Budget Analyst.

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# **CRANSTON CITY COUNCIL**

## **Special Meeting - Docket**

**Council President Christopher G. Paplauskas**

**MONDAY, JUNE 28, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m.**

***Virtual ZOOM Meeting***

City Of Cranston is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Special City Council meeting

Time: Jun 28, 2021 06:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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## **Agenda and Docketed Matters Before the Council**

- **Call to order** by Council President; council members attendance taken  
(*No votes taken*)

In Accordance with Section 3.07 and 14.17 of the Home Rule Charter and Section 2.04.060 of the City Code, I hereby call a special meeting of the City Council to be held on **Monday, June 28, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.**

at which meeting the following matters will be heard:

- **Executive Session pursuant to R.I.G.L. Sec. 42-46-5(a)(2)**
  - **Pending Litigation regarding Coastal Partners.** *(No Vote will be taken)*
  
- **Adjournment:** *(Vote will be taken)*

I hereby request the City Clerk to notify all Council members of the Call of the special meeting.

Executed at Cranston, Rhode Island, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2021.

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*/s/ Christopher G. Paplauskas, Council President*

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**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that a true copy of the attached Notice of a Special meeting of the City Council to be held on, Monday, June 28, 2021 at 6:00 pm. via Zoom meeting, was delivered via regular mail and electronic mail on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2021 to the addresses listed below.

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/s/ Rosalba Zanni  
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees

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On motion by Councilman Donegan, seconded by Councilwoman Vargas, it was voted to go into Executive Session pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5(a)(1) R.I.G.L. Waste Management Job Performance. Motion passed on a vote of 9-0. The following being recorded as voting “aye”: Councilwoman Marino, Councilman Ferri, Councilwomen Renzulli, Vargas, Germain, Councilmen Donegan, Reilly, Council Vice-President Brady and Council President Paplauskas -9.

Meeting went into Executive Session at 6:03 p.m.

Present in Executive Session: Councilwoman Marino, Councilman Ferri, Councilwomen Renzulli, Vargas, Germain, Councilmen Donegan, Reilly, Council Vice-President Brady and Council President Paplauskas; Anthony Moretti, Director of Administration; Christopher Millea, City Solicitor; John Verdecchia, Assistant City Solicitor; Stephen Angell, City Council Legal Counsel; David Dimaio, City Council Budget Analyst.

On motion by Councilman Ferri, seconded by Council Vice-President Brady, it was voted to come out of Executive Session. Motion passed on a vote of 9-0. The following being recorded as voting “aye”: Councilwoman Marino, Councilman Ferri, Councilwomen Renzulli, Vargas, Germain, Councilmen Donegan, Reilly, Council Vice-President Brady and Council President Paplauskas -9.

The meeting came out of Executive Session at 6:13 p.m.

**Chair** stated that, for the record, no votes were taken in Executive Session.

On motion by Councilman Ferri, seconded by Council Vice-President Brady, it was voted to seal the minutes of Executive Session. Motion passed on a vote of 9-0. The following being recorded as voting “aye”: Councilwoman Marino, Councilman Ferri, Councilwomen Renzulli, Vargas, Germain, Councilmen Donegan, Reilly, Council Vice-President Brady and Council President Paplauskas -9.

The meeting adjourned at 6:14 P.M.

/s/ Rosalba Zanni  
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committee