

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, JUNE 9, 2014, 2:30 P.M.**

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BE IT REMEMBERED that a Special Meeting of the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi, was convened in the Council Chambers in City Hall at 4:00 p.m. on June 9, 2014, being the second Monday of said month, when and where the following things were had and done to wit:

Present: Council Members: Charles Tillman, President, Ward 5; Melvin Priester, Jr., Vice-President, Ward 2; Quentin Whitwell, Ward 1; De'Keither Stamps, Ward 4 and Margaret Barrett-Simon, Ward 7.
Directors: Tony Yarber, Mayor; Brenda Pree, City Clerk; Angela Harris, Deputy City Clerk and Monica Joiner, City Attorney.

Absent: Council Member: LaRita Cooper-Stokes, Ward 3.

The meeting was called to order by **President Charles Tillman**.

ORDER CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S NOMINATION OF CEASER DENISE MCKAY AS DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT, CITY OF JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI.

WHEREAS, on May 5, 2014, the Mayor appointed Ceaser Denise McKay as Interim Personnel Director for the City of Jackson, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the nomination of Ceaser Denise McKay as Director of Department of Personnel Management came before the City Council for confirmation as required by Section 21-8-23, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the nomination, and a majority of the Council present and voting has determined that the nomination should be confirmed.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the City Council of the City of Jackson, Mississippi, Ceaser Denise McKay is appointed Director of Department of Personal Management for the City of Jackson, Mississippi.

Council Member Barrett-Simon moved adoption; **Council Member Whitwell** seconded.

President Tillman recognized **Mayor Tony Yarber** who provided a brief presentation on the qualifications of **Ceaser Denise McKay** for consideration as Director of Department of Personnel Management for the City of Jackson, Mississippi. **Ceaser Denise McKay** read her personal statement and answered questions posed to her by Council Members.

Thereafter, **President Tillman** called for a vote:

Yeas- Barrett-Simon, Priester, Stamps, Tillman and Whitwell.

Nays- None.

Absent- Cooper-Stokes.

ORDER CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S NOMINATION OF RONERICK DEKEITH SIMPSON AS CHIEF OF THE JACKSON FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE CITY OF JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI.

WHEREAS, on May 2, 2014, the Mayor nominated Ronerick DeKeith Simpson as Interim Chief of the Jackson Fire Department for the City of Jackson, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the nomination of Ronerick DeKeith Simpson as Chief of the Jackson Fire Department came before the City Council for confirmation as required by Section 21-8-25 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, and Section 2-325 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Jackson, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the nomination, and a majority of the Council present and voting has determined that the nomination should be confirmed.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the City Council of the City of Jackson, Mississippi, that Ronerick DeKeith Simpson is appointed as Chief of the Jackson Fire Department for the City of Jackson, Mississippi.

Council Member Barrett-Simon moved adoption; Council Member Priester seconded.

President Tillman recognized Mayor Tony Yarber who provided a brief presentation on the qualifications of Ronerick DeKeith Simpson for consideration as Chief of the Jackson Fire Department for the City of Jackson, Mississippi. Ronerick DeKeith Simpson read his personal statement and answered questions posed to him by Council Members.

Thereafter, President Tillman called for a vote:

Yeas- Barrett-Simon, Priester, Stamps, Tillman and Whitwell.
Nays- None.
Absent- Cooper-Stokes.

There being no further business to come before the City Council, it was unanimously voted to adjourn until the next Special Meeting to be held at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, June 9, 2014; and at 3:50 p.m., the Council stood adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Kristi Moore
CITY CLERK

[Signature] 6.19.14
MAYOR DATE
