



MARTINSVILLE CITY COUNCIL

SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, July 23, 2025

Martinsville's Vision

Martinsville is a thriving, full-service city centrally located in southern Virginia, offering excellent education and superior quality of life in a picturesque setting while embracing inclusivity and opportunities to ensure a sustainable and fulfilling lifestyle to live, visit, and grow.

Martinsville's Mission

Martinsville City proudly promotes a safe, healthy, thriving community dedicated to delivering excellent services and meaningful public participation.

PRESIDING: LC Jones, Mayor

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS: Kathy Lawson, Vice Mayor
Julian Mei
Rayshaun Gravely
Aaron Rawls

STAFF: Aretha R. Ferrell-Benavides, City Manager & City Clerk
Peyton Nibblett, Deputy City Clerk
Law Offices of Sands Anderson, City Attorney



Call Open Session to Order - 5:15pm, Martinsville Municipal Building; Council Chambers

As a Continuation of the July 22, 2025 City Council Meeting, where the Special Called Meeting Date of July 23, 2025 was established by City Council; A Special Called, Closed-Session Meeting will be held at Martinsville Municipal Building, on July 23, 2025 at 5:15 PM.

- a. Discuss and Consider Motion to go into Closed Session
- 1. Closed Session - 5:15 PM, Martinsville Municipal Building; Room 208**
 - a. 2.2-3711 A(1) Discussion, consideration, or interviews of prospective candidates for employment; assignment, appointment, promotion, performance, demotion, salaries, disciplining, or resignation of specific public officers, appointees, or employees of any public body; In regards to City Attorney and City Manager positions, contracts, and performances.
 - b. 2.2-3711 A(7) Consultation with legal counsel and briefings by staff members or consultants pertaining to actual or probable litigation, where such consultation or briefing in open meeting would adversely affect the negotiating or litigating posture of the public body. In regards to current and ongoing litigation matters, and ongoing Opioid Litigation.
- 2. Return to Open Session and Certification of Closed Session -- 6:15 PM, Martinsville Municipal Building; Council Chambers**
- 3. Take Any Action Necessary as a Result of Closed Session -- 6:15 PM, Martinsville Municipal Building; Council Chambers**
 - a. Discuss and Consider Resolution to approve the City of Martinsville's Participation in the Proposed Settlement of Opioid-Related Claims against Henry Schein, Inc., General Injectables & Vaccines, Inc, and Insource, Inc.
- 4. Adjournment**