

**Minutes of Special City Council Briefing
Monday, October 23, 2023 – 5:30 P.M.
City Council Conference Room, 1st Floor
11 North 3rd Street, Jacksonville Beach, FL**



The Special Council Briefing began at 5:30 P.M.

The following City Council Members were in attendance:

Mayor: Christine Hoffman

Council Members:	Sandy Golding	Bill Horn	Dan Janson
	Fernando Meza	Cory Nichols	Greg Sutton

Also present were City Manager Mike Staffopoulos, Director of Planning and Development Heather Ireland, Chief of Police Gene Paul Smith, and City Attorney Sandy Robinson.

Purpose of Briefing

The purpose of the Briefing was to engage in discussion with the Jacksonville Beach State House Representative Kiyan Michael and State Senator Clay Yarborough.

Mayor Hoffman and the Council introduced themselves, followed by introductions by Representative Michael and Senator Yarborough.

Topics of discussion were as follows:

- Short-Term Vacation Rentals – Introduced by Council Member Golding
- Live Local Act – Introduced by Council Member Janson
- Sovereign Immunity - Introduced by Council Member Janson
- Public Safety Recruitment and Retention – Introduced by City Manager Mike Staffopoulos and Police Chief Gene Paul Smith.

A conversation ensued regarding each topic.

The Briefing adjourned at 6:20 P.M.

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Approved:


Christine H. Hoffman, MAYOR

Date: 11/6/23