



City of Gahanna

Meeting Minutes

City Council - Special

200 South Hamilton Road
Gahanna, Ohio 43230

Merisa K. Bowers, President
Trenton I. Weaver, Vice President
Jamille Jones
Nancy R. McGregor
Kaylee Padova
Stephen A. Renner
Michael Schnetzer

Jeremy A. VanMeter, Clerk of Council

Thursday, July 10, 2025

6:00 PM

City Hall, Council Chambers

A. CALL TO ORDER: Roll Call

Gahanna City Council met in Special Session on Thursday, July 10, 2025, in Council Chambers. President of Council Merisa K. Bowers called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m. The agenda was published on July 3, 2025.

Present 6 - Kaylee Padova, Stephen A. Renner, Trenton I. Weaver, Jamille Jones, Nancy R. McGregor, and Merisa K. Bowers

Absent 1 - Michael Schnetzer

B. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A motion was made by Renner, seconded by Weaver, to go into Executive Session under authority of Section 5.40(g) of the Council Rules of Procedure to consider confidential information related to the marketing plans, specific business strategy, production techniques, trade secrets, or personal financial statements of an applicant for economic development assistance, or to negotiations with other political subdivisions respecting requests for economic development assistance, provided that both of the following conditions apply:

(1) The information is directly related to a request for economic development assistance that is to be provided or administered under any provision of Chapter 715, 725, 1724 or 1728 or sections 701.07, 3735.67 to 3735.70, 5709.40 to 5709.43, 5709.61 to 5709.69, 5709.73 to 5709.75, or 5709.77 to 5709.81 of the Revised Code.

(2) A unanimous quorum of the public body determines, by a roll call vote, that the executive session is necessary to protect the interests of the applicant or the possible investment or expenditure of public funds to be made in connection with the economic development project.

President Bowers confirmed with Mayor Jadwin that the meeting met the criteria required for the Executive Session.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Padova, Renner, Weaver, Jones, McGregor and Bowers

Absent: 1 - Schnetzer

Council met in Executive Session in the Committee Room. Council was joined by Mayor Jadwin, City Attorney Tamilarasan, Senior Director of Operations Kevin Schultz, Director of Economic Development Jeff Gottke, along with representatives from the Gahanna Community Improvement Corporation.

Council rose to report to Executive Session at 6:04 p.m.

Council rose to report from Executive Session at 8:07 p.m. with no further action.

C. ADJOURNMENT:

With no further business before the Council, President Bowers adjourned the meeting at 8:08 p.m.

Jessica Hilts
Clerk

*APPROVED by the City Council - Special, this
day of 2025.*

Merisa K. Bowers