



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

Monday, August 25, 2025

6:00 PM

City Hall, Council Chambers

A. CALL TO ORDER: Roll Call

Gahanna City Council met in Special Session on Monday, August 25, 2025, in Council Chambers. President of Council Merisa K. Bowers called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. The agenda was published on August 22, 2025.

Present 7 - Kaylee Padova, Stephen A. Renner, Michael Schnetzer, Trenton I. Weaver, Jamille Jones, Nancy R. McGregor, and Merisa K. Bowers

B. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A motion was made by Renner, seconded by Weaver, to go into Executive Session for the following purposes:

Under authority of Section 5.40(b) of the Council Rules of Procedure to consider the purchase of property for public purposes, the sale of property at competitive bidding, or the sale or other disposition of unneeded, obsolete, or unfit-for-use property in accordance with section 505.10 of the Revised Code, if premature disclosure of information would give an unfair competitive or bargaining advantage to a person whose personal, private interest is adverse to the general public interest.

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: 7 - Padova, Renner, Schnetzer, Weaver, Jones, McGregor and Bowers

President Bowers announced Council would meet in the Committee Room. Council was joined by Mayor Jadwin, City Attorney Tamilarasan, Senior Director of Operations Kevin Schultz, Senior Director of Administrative Services Miranda Vollmer, Director of Economic Development Jeff Gottke, Nate Green of the Montrose Group, representatives of the Gahanna Community Improvement Corporation, and representatives of the potential developer/applicant team.

Council rose to report to Executive Session at 6:02 p.m.

Council rose to report from Executive Session at 7:19 p.m. with no further action.

C. ADJOURNMENT:

With no further business before the Council, President Bowers adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m.

Jeremy A. VanMeter
Clerk of Council

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

Merisa K. Bowers