



CITY OF COOPER CITY
CITY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING
Tuesday, March 28, 2023 at 5:30 PM
City Hall Auditorium | 9090 SW 50th Place

MINUTES

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Ross opened the meeting at 5:30 PM and led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance. A moment of silence was observed for the tragic events that took place in Nashville.

ROLL CALL

Present were Commissioners Mallozzi, Katzman, Shrouder, Green and Mayor Ross.

DECORUM

City Clerk Tedra Allen read the decorum policy as follows: Members of the Commission, staff members, citizens, and others are required to use civil and appropriate language when addressing the Commission or anyone present at the meeting and must refrain from using profanity, cursing, or exhibiting aggressive or threatening behavior. All comments should generally be directed to the presiding officer and not to individual members of the Commission, staff, or the audience. No personal verbal attacks toward any individual by either the Commission, staff, citizens, or others shall be allowed during any meeting of the Commission. Any persons making impertinent or slanderous remarks or personal attacks or who becomes boisterous while addressing the Commission or who otherwise violates the decorum rules set forth herein shall be barred from further audience before the Commission by the Mayor, or by request of any member of the Commission unless permission to continue or again address the Commission be granted by a majority vote of the Commission members present.

CHANGES TO AGENDA/EMERGENCY MATTERS

Commissioner Katzman asked for a consensus to table item 12, Ordinance 23-10 as members of the community particularly in the real estate industry would like to offer input on the ordinance and they could not attend tonight's meeting.

Commissioner Mallozzi received an email from the head of the real-estate association indicating their list of concerns but has not received a response to her email in return.

Commissioner Katzman stated he received a list of concerns and asked that the email be sent to the entire Commission and added to the record.

Commissioner Green advised while he respects the realtors concerns he is prepared to address the item tonight.

Commissioner Shrouder respects the realtors concerns and explained his position with regard to several other residents' concerns.

Commissioner Mallozzi does not want the residents to have to endure concerns for any longer than need be.

Commissioner Shrouder asked for the meeting schedule in April and the advertising requirements.

City Attorney Horowitz advised there's an advertising component stating the ordinance title needs to be ran in the newspaper 10 days prior to second reading.

Commissioner Katzman said the residents present tonight can speak on their concerns and they will be considered. He also suggested members of the Commission speak with members of the realtor's organization. He also stated any resident with a concern can email or call him.

Commissioner Green has concerns with the residents that are being impacted daily by the vacation rentals. He believes there is time between first and second reading to address additional concerns.

Mayor Ross stated he has had Cooper City realtors ask him to table the item.

MOTION: Commissioner Katzman moved to table Ordinance 23-10. Mayor Ross seconded the motion which prevailed by the following roll call vote. (3-2)

NO: Commissioners Mallozzi and Green

YES: Commissioners Katzman, Shrouder and Mayor Ross

PROCLAMATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

None.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

Open Public Meeting

Agenda Concerns

Carmen Ruiz, 5121 SW 101 Ter, spoke on her concerns with the negative impacts vacation rentals are creating within her neighborhood.

Jorge Nunez, 10421 SW 51 St, spoke on his concerns with the negative impacts vacation rentals are creating within his neighborhood.

Anita Turner, 10233 SW 51 St, spoke on her concerns with the negative impacts vacation rentals are creating within her neighborhood.

Penny Eppy, 10435 SW 52 St, spoke on her concerns with the negative impacts vacation rentals are creating within her neighborhood.

Joe Castillo, 10451 SW 51 St, spoke on his concerns with the negative impacts vacation rentals are creating within his neighborhood.

Mayor Ross stated he spoke in Tallahassee about vacation rental issues and will continue to fight on the residents behalf.

Commissioner Shrouder said it's important for the residents to understand the City is not allowed to prohibit vacation rentals however, they can regulate them. It is his intent to be very strict but he wants to assure the rules are allowable. The delay will not affect the registration process that's in affect. He has witnessed some of the residents' concerns and he wants to hear all sides to be fair and just.

Mayor Ross read an email from Nate Parson into the record asking the Commission to postpone Ordinance 23-10.

REGULAR AGENDA

Minutes

1. March 14, 2023 City Commission Meeting Minutes

Motion to Approve

2. Motion to approve a letter of support to the Broward County School Board asking that the Children residing in the Country Glen Development be given choice to attend Pioneer Middle School **Commissioner Mallozzi**
3. Motion to Approve a Piggyback on a National Cooperative Purchasing Alliance (NCPA) RFP 36-22 agreement with MCCI to provide Laserfiche Cloud Professional Records Management System (RMS) Service. – **City Clerk/Administration**
4. Motion to approve and authorize sole source purchase of Megaflux Fe, an antiscalant, from American Water Chemical (AWC) for \$31,950.00 and a contingency in the amount of \$5,000 for use in the City's water treatment process until the end of Fiscal Year 2023. - **Utilities**
5. Motion to approve amended and restated agreement with John Perez to administer programs funded by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 and approval of appropriation of funds – **Administration**

Commissioner Katzman pulled item 2.

Commissioner Shrouder pulled item 3.

MOTION: Commissioner Green moved to approve the consent agenda with the exception of items 2 and 3. Commissioner Mallozzi seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote (5-0)

2. Motion to approve a letter of support to the Broward County School Board asking that the Children residing in the Country Glen Development be given choice to attend Pioneer Middle School Commissioner Mallozzi

Commissioner Katzman supports the item whole heartily and would like to address the letters to each member of the school board individually.

Commissioner Shrouder said he tried to speak to the school board in the past about the item but has never heard back.

Commissioner Mallozzi said the school board is discussing boundaries as a whole. She also advised there are six families at Griffin Elementary that are not in the feeder pattern for Pioneer Middle School.

Commissioner Shrouder believes the boundaries should be redone.

Mayor Ross asked if the Education Advisory Board has an opinion on the matter.

MOTION: Commissioner Mallozzi moved to approve a letter of support to the Broward County School Board asking that the Children residing in the Country Glen Development be given choice to attend

Pioneer Middle School and the letters shall be addressed to each School Board member individually. Commissioner Katzman seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

3. Motion to Approve a Piggyback on a National Cooperative Purchasing Alliance (NCPA) RFP 36-22 agreement with MCCI to provide Laserfiche Cloud Professional Records Management System (RMS) Service. – City Clerk/Administration

Commissioner Shrouder would like the item to be bid out. He asked why the item was budgeted at \$60,000 but it is now \$90,000. City Manager Napoli advised the additional cost will be taken out of the line for ARPA additional items. Commissioner Shrouder stated the item is not time sensitive and is almost \$100,000 dollars so he would like the item to be placed out to bid.

Commissioner Green said generally speaking piggybacks offer a better rate.

Commissioner Shrouder said if the item is bid out and the responses are higher we can always go back to the piggyback. He does not see an exception to allow for the piggyback.

Mayor Ross said the preparation of the bid may potentially be a waste of staff time.

Commissioner Shrouder asked the justification for the piggyback.

Commissioner Katzman said he believes the item was thoroughly reviewed when it was prepared by the agency offering the piggyback.

Commissioner Shrouder said our specific needs are not considered as this is a general contract.

Commissioner Katzman stated there is a page in the backup for specifics.

Commissioner Shrouder said our specifications are particular and this item is not time sensitive.

Commissioner Green said he would imagine there are other municipalities that have the same software we are currently using and that has been taken into consideration already.

Commissioner Mallozzi asked the downfall in putting the item out to bid. CFO Kendrick said the downside is staff time and the lack of available staff members to work on the bid.

Commissioner Shrouder said the hours it may take for our City to scan in the materials may be less than what is calculated in the piggyback agreement.

Commissioner Katzman said as long as we have the opportunity to return to the piggyback pricing if proposals are indeed higher he supports the RFP.

Commissioner Green said we are burdening the staff with additional work. The audit is due in days and staff needs to address the audit first.

City Manager Napoli said there is no time constriction for the item other than it is being funded by ARPA.

Commissioner Mallozzi asked if staff can mirror the RFP in the backup to save time. CFO Kendrick said that can be one stage of the process.

Mayor Ross asked how long the process would take. CFO Kendrick estimated 60 days.

Commissioner Shrouder said this bid can wait. He would also like to have the scope specific to indexing.

MOTION: Commissioner Shrouder moved to bid the records management system item. Commissioner Mallozzi seconded the motion which prevailed by the following roll call vote. (4-1)

YES: Commissioners Mallozzi, Katzman, Shrouder and Mayor Ross

NO: Commissioner Green

CFO Kendrick thanked the Commission and City Manager Napoli for their support and the opportunity with the City.

REGULAR AGENDA

6. Discussion and possible action to name an alternate to the SOLID WASTE MUNICIPAL DELEGATES. – Mayor Ross

MOTION: Commissioner Shrouder moved to appoint Commissioner Green as the alternate to the Solid Waste Municipal Delegates. Commissioner Katzman seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

7. Discussion and possible action on including a Business and Volunteer Spotlight on future agendas. – Commissioner Mallozzi

Commissioner Mallozzi would like to spotlight a business once a month with their name drawn from a fishbowl. She would also like to highlight residents who volunteer. She spoke to members of the Education Advisory Board who are willing to review applications if needed.

Commissioner Green has no issue with the idea. He would like to highlight the volunteers of the City.

Commissioner Shrouder said he has concerns with the spotlight appearing as a City endorsement. He does not believe the spotlight should be at a Commission meeting but rather on Channel 78. He also suggested adding the spotlight to the emails that are distributed to the residents.

Commissioner Mallozzi said she wants to help local businesses.

Commissioner Katzman believes it is a great idea to highlight businesses and volunteers that make the City special. He wants to assure the businesses selected are up to date on their taxes and have no code case concerns. He also wants to assure the selection process is defined.

Commissioner Shrouder suggested a special series highlighting businesses and volunteers to be ran on Channel 78.

City Manager Napoli said they need to determine a selection process and policy.

Commissioner Shrouder said the City of Margate does a Taste of the City where they visit businesses.

Commissioner Mallozzi prefers the randomness of choosing the businesses and volunteers from a fishbowl.

Mayor Ross said this idea was voted down in the past as it can be interpreted as an endorsement. He also asked if the advisory boards have reviewed the item. He has no issue with the volunteer spotlight however, he does not believe this is the best method of promotion for the businesses.

City Attorney Horowitz advised he did have an opportunity to speak to Commissioner Mallozzi and raised some of the concerns that are being addressed this evening. His real concern was the manner in which a business was chosen or selected. Whether that was by this Commission or by a committee, without having some stated, clear criteria it would give him some concern in the context of an endorsement or a recommendation being made by the City to a particular business within our community. Drawing out of a fishbowl may alleviate some concerns. If there is an interest in moving forward with this opportunity he would suggest that this entire process be embraced in a policy. He would like the opportunity to work on a policy with staff, and as part of that drafting process review, all of the legal issues referenced this evening. He also stated staff would have to review each business as code violations occur.

Commissioner Shrouder suggested staff look at other municipalities and see if similar programs exist.

Commissioner Green said in the past the Commission has visited businesses that are members of the Chamber and members of the City. He believes the initiative can happen.

A consensus was reached for staff to look at other municipalities and see if similar programs exist.

8. Discussion and possible action to limit the height of any future structure in Cooper City to no more than 50 feet without a variance - Commissioner Mallozzi

Commissioner Mallozzi said she has driven past the steeple on Palm Avenue which is 84 feet tall many times and while the structure is beautiful she does not believe these size structures are suitable for the City as we are a more residential community.

City Attorney Horowitz said that this would impact the entire City, unlike the item that's currently been drafted to go to Planning and Zoning addressing height which would only affect the X-1 zoning district. He would want to do a little research from a zoning perspective. There is a private cause of action in Florida that the legislature has created, known as the Bert J. Harris Act which gives property owners the right to bring a cause of action against the local government when the action of the local government inordinately burdens the private property owner's rights or their existing use or perspective use of their property. So he would want to ensure that there would be no issue with regard to restricting height in the City that might otherwise create a challenge.

Commissioner Green disagrees with the item due to this being a City-wide change impacting the entire City. A precedent has been set, and this may cause an undue burden.

Commissioner Shrouder stated while the intent of the item is good this method can result in unanticipated consequences. They need to start with the zoning districts individually.

Commissioner Katzman likes the idea as many residents have said they want to restrict height in our community. He is fine with making changes individually but wants to ensure they work on height restrictions as it was a clear directive from the residents.

Mayor Ross said one solution does not fit all. He has no difficulty looking at zoning districts individually and reviewing them. A sweeping change is not good for the entire City.

Commissioner Katzman said he heard from many residents that they do not want to go beyond 50 feet in the community.

Commissioner Green asked if the advisory boards have weighed in on the issue. He does not believe it is a one size fits all answer.

9. Motion to approve and authorize purchase of a new Caterpillar GP25N (Dual Fuel) Pneumatic Tire Lift Truck from Kelly Tractor, for the Utilities Department in the amount not to exceed \$43,200.00 using the 2020-2023 current Florida Sheriff's Association contract for heavy equipment and a contingency in the amount of \$5,000 to cover unforeseen related expenses. – Utilities

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ORDINANCES ON FIRST READING

10. Ordinance 23-8 (Commission)

City Attorney Horowitz read "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, SUBMITTING TO REFERENDUM PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY AMENDING ARTICLE III, ENTITLED "LEGISLATIVE;" AND IN PARTICULAR AMENDING SECTION 3.02, ENTITLED "QUALIFICATIONS, ELECTIONS AND TERMS;" AMENDING SECTION 3.10, ENTITLED "VACANCIES, FORFEITURES OF OFFICE, FILLING OF VACANCIES;" AMENDING ARTICLE V, ENTITLED "FINANCIAL PROCEDURES," AMENDING SECTION 5.02, ENTITLED "SUBMISSION OF BUDGET AND MESSAGE," AND AMENDING SECTION 5.13, ENTITLED "REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC BIDDING;" PROVIDING FOR CONSISTENCY WITH FLORIDA LAW RELATED TO THE PUBLICATION OF LEGAL NOTICES UNDER SPECIAL CONDITIONS ON A PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE WEBSITE OWNED OR DESIGNATED BY BROWARD COUNTY; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE, WHEN ADOPTED, SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, ON THE NOVEMBER 5, 2024, GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT AND IT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE AS PROVIDED BY LAW; PROVIDING FOR THE ADVERTISING OF THE REFERENDUM ELECTION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE." by title

Commissioner Katzman supports the item but would like to inquire if the item can be placed on an earlier ballot if no additional costs are associated. City Clerk Allen will contact the Supervisor of Elections for costs.

Commissioner Shrouder interprets the Charter to allow the advertising on the county website as it stands

due to the change in law.

MOTION: Commissioner Shrouder moved to approve Ordinance 23-8 and have second reading once the election date is confirmed. Commissioner Green seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

City Attorney Horowitz said Commissioner Shrouder is interpreting the charter to read we already are authorized to advertise on the county's website and that the Charter amendment is essentially a housekeeping item to confirm the requirements of State Law.

Mayor Ross asked if the County website is ready. City Clerk Allen said the County is still working on the website.

City Attorney Horowitz said barring some unforeseen situation during the current calendar year, the only time this will be an issue is when the City publishes its notice of the Budget Workshops over the summer.

Mayor Ross agrees with Commissioner Shrouder but disagrees with the urgency.

Commissioner Shrouder is fine with waiting until the item is passed by referendum.

11. Ordinance 23-9 (Commission)

City Attorney read "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES BY AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION," ARTICLE II ENTITLED, "CITY COMMISSION;" BY SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 2-23, ENTITLED, "CITY COMMISSION CANDIDATES - RESIDENCY;" PROVIDING FOR CONSISTENCY BETWEEN THE CHARTER AND THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES REGARDING RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE" by title.

Commissioner Mallozzi wants to include driver license/government ID card in section 2-2-3 to be inclusive of everyone who may not have a driver's license.

Commissioner Shrouder said there are several mentions of residency for one year and he would like to instead reference the Charter.

Commissioner Katzman would also like the oath to include a list all of the addresses the candidate has lived at throughout the year.

Commissioner Green said the oath asks the candidate if they lived in the City for a year.

Commissioner Katzman said the list of addresses will help aid in transparency.

Commissioner Green said the listing of the addresses leads to additional work for verification.

City Attorney Horowitz said the oath is indicated in the charter and reads, they are a candidate for the office of City Commissioner for a District in Cooper City, Florida, and that they have resided continuously in a District in the City of Cooper City for six months immediately prior to the taking of this oath. Which will now say in the "City" and the "City of Cooper City for at least one year immediately prior to taking this oath".

Commissioner Katzman asked why it is an issue to ask our candidates to list their continuous addresses over the past year if the overall goal in asking for a driver's license, water bill, or lease is to prove that they live in Cooper City.

Commissioner Green said this is an additional step in the process.

Mayor Ross said this step adds additional information to allow the voters to see if the individual is a permanent resident of the City.

Commissioner Green understands the goal is to make sure the candidate lives within the City.

Commissioner Mallozzi asked about the difference between someone who has lived in the City for years but only goes to their home for an hour a day and then goes somewhere else.

Commissioner Shrouder said there is a difference between proof and affirmation. He also wants the documentation to read the requirement for a lease showing the past 12 months or have the candidate sign a sworn affidavit. He also stated there is case law that speaks to homestead.

Commissioner Katzman said when an individual applies for a rental, job, or credit line an individual would list their previous addresses. This process allows for transparency.

Commissioner Green said when a candidate takes the oath they are signing off on truthful information.

Commissioner Katzman said if we are not willing to ask for continuous addresses, then we should not ask for documents proving residency.

Commissioner Shrouder said water bills do not show where someone lives. We should require an oath and a list of addresses.

City Attorney Horowitz stated this is not so much a Supervisor of Elections issue as it is a Florida constitution issue and an election code issue. Cities in general are very limited, with the imposition they could put on candidates when it comes to qualifying for office. There is plenty of case law that affirms residency requirements. So we know that the one-year residency requirement that the Commission recently embraced in the Charter Amendment is legally supportable. Currently, candidates for office, including each of you signed in addition to your statement of candidacy, your oath of candidacy, which is the State form. You also sign an Oath of Residency which attests to the fact currently you've lived where you lived at the time within your commission district for at least 6 months prior to qualifying. The proposed amendment would expand that to embrace the charter and provide for a one-year extension.

What he believes Commissioner Katzman is suggesting is as part of that Oath of Residency have somewhere on that written form, where you would list the addresses that you resided within that year.

Commissioner Green said he has no issue with the change, but he also has no issue with what is in place currently.

Commissioner Shrouder said a candidate does not have to produce a water bill or deed. A homeless individual can claim they live in the Cooper City Walmart parking lot and as long as they are registered to vote they can qualify.

Commissioner Green asked how that individual would be registered to vote if they did not have an address.

City Attorney Horowitz said you are eligible to vote and eligible to run for office without having a permanent residence.

Commissioner Shrouder does not want to include a water bill as it does not state residency.

Commissioner Green asked if the Elections Office asks for additional information when registering an individual to vote.

Commissioner Mallozzi said several states do not require a photo ID to vote.

Commissioner Shrouder said he would suspect the Elections Office would offer an alternative if someone does not have a photo ID perhaps a sworn affidavit.

City Attorney Horowitz advised the Florida Election Code, Chapter 97 provides a list of items that the Supervisor of Elections may consider determining whether or not a person is who, in fact, whom they say they are, and the list includes everything from a U.S. Passport to a debit or credit card, Military Id, student identification, retirement card, neighborhood association identification, a concealed weapons permit, utility bill, bank statement, government check, and a paycheck.

Commissioner Shrouder said the Elections Office confirms identity. The City confirms residency for the one-year requirement.

MOTION: Commissioner Green moved to approve Ordinance 23-9 to include listing previous residences. Commissioner Mallozzi seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

MOTION: Commissioner Green moved to approve Ordinance 23-9 as amended. Commissioner Mallozzi seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

12. Ordinance-23-10 (Commission)

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 6 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, ENTITLED "BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS," TO AMEND ARTICLE VIII, ENTITLED "VACATION RENTALS;" BY PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL PERMIT REQUIREMENTS, NOISE MONITORING DEVICES, DEFINING MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS, AND PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL PENALTIES AND ENFORCEMENT INCLUDING DESIGNATING NOISE VIOLATIONS AS A HEALTH, SAFETY,

AND WELFARE VIOLATION WITH EXPEDITED ENFORCEMENT; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Tabled.

13. Ordinance 23-11 (Commission)

City Attorney Horowitz read "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES BY AMENDING CHAPTER 13, ENTITLED "PUBLIC SAFETY," AMENDING ARTICLE VI, ENTITLED "CODE ENFORCEMENT," BY SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 13-71. ENTITLED "SCHEDULING AND CONDUCT OF A HEARING;" AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER, OR THE CITY MANAGER'S DESIGNEE, TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE SPECIAL MAGISTRATE ON CODE ENFORCEMENT AND BUILDING CODE ENFORCEMENT MATTERS; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE" by title.

Commissioner Shrouder would like to amend section H, to read the Community Development Director shall make recommendations to the Special Magistrate as to fine amounts and timeframes to bring the property into compliance, unless otherwise designated by the City Manager.

Commissioner Shrouder wants to assure responsibility is clear. He would like to add that language to the Police Chief section as well.

Commissioner Green said this would take responsibility away from the City Manager.

Commissioner Shrouder said he is not taking power from the City Manager. He is saying the Police Chief can make the recommendations unless otherwise designated by the City Manager.

Commissioner Green said the language as written is sufficient.

Commissioner Shrouder clarified he is not diminishing the City Manager's power.

Mayor Ross said the Police Chief might want to designate someone other than himself.

Commissioner Shrouder said the language could read, Community Development Department and Police Department.

Commissioner Shrouder asked City Attorney Horowitz if under the current language, the City Manager would have to consult with the Police Chief. City Attorney Horowitz answered yes. Commissioner Shrouder asked under his new proposed language, does the City Manager have to consult with the Police Chief. City Attorney Horowitz answered no unless he disagrees with the recommendation. The City Manager has the final decision.

Commissioner Green said the City Manager should choose the individual who is designated. Commissioner Shrouder wants to ensure the person in charge is listed for responsibility.

Commissioner Shrouder asked who makes a recommendation for a tree removal citation.

City Manager Napoli said currently Code Enforcement would handle the citation. Public Works would make the recommendation.

Commissioner Green said the function of the designee should lay with the City Manager.

Commissioner Shrouder wants to have a record of responsibility and ultimate authority with the City Manager. He does not want to diminish any power of the City Manager. He advised he saw room for improvement in this code and wants to strengthen the process.

Mayor Ross suggested it should read the City Manager or his or her designate, and then there will be a separate listing of who the designee is.

Commissioner Shrouder asked who is currently in charge of fire inspections at residential properties. Chief Harrington said they have no jurisdiction over residential properties. Captain De Giovanni said a resident could request an inspection. Commissioner Shrouder asked who handles fire safety issues.

City Manager Napoli has no difficulty with the language change but recommended unless the City Manager determines otherwise.

Commissioner Shrouder cited the language as the following, the Community Development Department unless the City Manager determines otherwise, shall make the recommendations on building code violations. The Police Department, unless the City Manager determines otherwise, shall make recommendations.

MOTION: Commissioner Shrouder moved to approve Ordinance 23-11 as amended to read the Community Development Department, unless determined otherwise by the City Manager shall make recommendations to the special magistrate regarding fine amounts and timeframes to bring the property into compliance for all building code violations. The Police Department, unless determined otherwise by the City Manager shall make recommendations to the special magistrate regarding fine amounts and timeframes to bring the property to compliance for all code violations. Commissioner Katzman seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

MOTION: Commissioner Shrouder moved to approve Ordinance 23-11 as amended. Commissioner Katzman seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING (Public Hearing)

14. Ordinance 23-6 (Community Development)

City Attorney Horowitz "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 21 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES, ENTITLED "UNIFIED LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE;" BY SPECIFICALLY AMENDING SECTION 21-8, ENTITLED "DEFINITIONS;" PROVIDING FOR A DEFINITION OF PERGOLAS; FURTHER AMENDING CHAPTER 23 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES, ENTITLED "ZONING DISTRICTS;" BY SPECIFICALLY AMENDING ARTICLE V, SECTION 23-82, ENTITLED "ACCESSORY BUILDINGS;" PROVIDING FOR THE INCLUSION OF PERGOLAS AS AN ACCESSORY BUILDING; PERMITTING THE INSTALLATION OF CANOPIES OR FIXED AWNINGS THREE (3) FEET FROM A PROPERTY LINE WHEN

BEHIND A SIX (6) FOOT PRIVACY FENCE; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE” by title.

Commissioner Shrouder would like to remove all the and/or’s and replace them with the word or.

Mayor Ross opened the public hearing with no one wishing to speak. Mayor Ross closed the public hearing.

MOTION: Commissioner Mallozzi moved to approve Ordinance 23-6 with the removal of the and/or’s. Commissioner Green seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

REGULAR RESOLUTIONS

15. Resolution 23-1 (Commission)

City Attorney Horowitz read “A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 05-5-1, AS AMENDED, BY FURTHER AMENDING THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES AND POLICIES FOR THE CONDUCT OF CITY COMMISSION BUSINESS; PROVIDING FOR AN 11:30 END TIME TO REGULAR CITY COMMISSION MEETINGS; PROVIDING FOR THE PLACEMENT OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA IN THE ORDER OF SENIORITY BY MEMBERS OF THE CITY COMMISSION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Commissioner Green thanked the current Executive Assistant Ms. Morin for her work and dedication. He also believes the responsibilities that an Executive Assistant to Elected Officials is numerous and he would like an additional individual to be added. He has no issues with the issuance of Proclamations and advised they should be issued at Special Recognition Meetings. He agrees with the 11:30 PM ending time and does not believe it is appropriate to have late evening meetings and assumes the public can stay late into the night. He would also like to limit the number of items an individual can add to an agenda. He also stated the dais seating should be by majority vote. He spoke on his perception of the seat he currently sits in and recommends the Mayor sitting in the center with the Commissioners sitting to his left and right to signify unity.

Commissioner Katzman asked about the concerns with the Proclamations.

Commissioner Mallozzi said she believes a proclamation should only be issued if the entire Commission supports the idea. She also believes the person who added the recognition should be the individual who presents the recognition at the meeting.

Commissioner Katzman agrees with Commissioner Green with the Mayor sitting in the center of the dais. A more fair way of choosing the seats may be allowing the senior Commissioners to choose first. He would also like to add Zoom technology to the Resolution as it only mentions call-ins. He also said the Resolution references the allowance of three call-ins and he does not believe it should be the Commission that decides on a limit. He would also like to clean up the speaking time limits to be consistent and include a policy on either yielding time or prohibiting the yielding of time.

Commissioner Shrouder is fine with the current issuing of Proclamations although he understands the potential for abuse. He also believes if a Commission member places a Proclamation on the agenda they should be the one to read and hand it out.

City Manager Napoli said the staff tries to leave all Proclamations for the Special Recognition Meetings however some are time-sensitive.

Commissioner Mallozzi said if there is a Proclamation placed on the agenda that they all do not agree on it should be voted on.

Commissioner Shrouder suggested adding a clause that Proclamations should not take policy positions.

Commissioner Mallozzi said she prefers to vote on everything.

Commissioner Katzman said if a Proclamation is published on an agenda and a fellow Commissioner does not support the item it can be pulled immediately. Then the item would be brought forth for a vote.

City Attorney Horowitz would like to remove the mention of the Proclamation Request Form.

Consensus was reached to remove the mention of the Proclamation Request Form.

Commissioner Shrouder has no issue with the 11:30 PM end time unless overruled by a majority vote. He also would prefer not to strike and salary City staff in Section 1.2. He believes directors should be able to put items on the agenda especially the Finance Director who reports to the Commission in certain instances. He suggested the revision to read, and Department Directors.

Mayor Ross does not believe the Directors should add items to the agenda independently of the City Manager.

Commissioner Green agrees with Mayor Ross. He said the Commission has the right to speak to the Directors if questions arise.

Commissioner Shrouder said the Directors do not have the right to approach the Commission independently.

Commissioner Green said a chain of command is in place and the Directors are present during agenda reviews with the Commission.

Commissioner Shrouder said we need a procedure in place to allow Directors to speak to Commission. City

Manager Napoli said he encourages the Directors to have an open dialogue with the Commission.

Commissioner Katzman said if a Director abuses the rule it will result in a negative response from the Commission and the process will in turn control itself.

City Manager Napoli said the Directors currently place items on the agenda as they need the items passed to run their prospective departments.

Commissioner Green said potentially an employee could approach three elected officials for an item and never speak to the City Manager. He also advised the Charter make it very clear who works directly for the City Commission.

Commissioner Shrouder said the Resolution already allows salaried employees to add items to the agenda.

Mayor Ross said this process would allow for a Director to bypass the City Manager to add items to the agenda.

Commissioner Shrouder said the City Manager will see and approve the item in the agenda software Municode.

Commissioner Shrouder said if the item placed on the agenda was not important he would absolutely support the City Manager in termination if abuse occurred.

Commissioner Katzman said if an employee puts himself on the line with adding an item to an agenda the Commission will evaluate the situation.

Mayor Ross said the employee has the option to call the hotline the Commission approved.

Commissioner Shrouder said a compromise is allowing the term Department Heads as it currently reads all salaried employees and it has never been an issue.

Mayor Ross does not see the need.

A consensus was reached to strike salaried employees and add Director Heads in Section 1.2.

Commissioner Shrouder would like the deadline for the Commission to add items to the agenda to be the end of the night the Tuesday before the meeting as he has a full-time job.

Mayor Ross said he would like the agenda final before his agenda review on the Tuesday before the meeting.

City Attorney Horowitz read the Resolution currently provides that the agenda shall be completed by the Clerk's Office and distributed to members of the Commission no later than the Friday 10 days prior to the meeting. Items placed on the agenda by members of the Commission may be provided to the City Clerk for placement on the agenda no later than seven days prior to the Commission meeting.

Mayor Ross believes the placement of agenda items should be harmonized.

Commissioner Shrouder said the Commission needs additional time to view the agenda to ensure their item is indeed placed on the agenda.

City Attorney Horowitz stated he did have some part in this recommendation and with his experience, it is a little uncommon for members of the Commission or staff to have an opportunity to add items to the agenda as a matter of routine after the agenda is finalized while there is nothing unlawful about it the

recommendation was to have a firm deadline for both staff and members of the Commission to finalize an agenda.

Commissioner Green asked about Commissioner Shrouder's difficulty with having items into the City Clerk's Department prior to Tuesday night.

Commissioner Katzman said whether the item is received at 5:00 PM or 11:59 PM the item will not appear on the agenda until the next business day anyway as staff leaves at 5:00 PM.

A consensus was reached to leave the deadline for the Commission to place items on the agenda no later than seven days prior to the Commission meeting.

Commissioner Shrouder does not believe they should codify a time limit for speakers but instead have a 60-minute standard.

Commissioner Mallozzi said residents need to know how much time they have to speak to prepare appropriately.

Commissioner Katzman would like the time limits to be consistent.

Commissioner Shrouder also does not believe they should have cross-examination.

Commissioner Mallozzi wants to allow a back-and-forth if a resident has questions.

Commissioner Shrouder wants to remove the and/or's from the Resolution. He also has no issue with the Mayor choosing the dais seats, as it is customary. He believes seating is management of the meeting and that is delegated to the Chair.

Commissioner Green believes the Commission as a whole should determine the seating arrangements.

Commissioner Shrouder said the body can override the seating if needed. However, he believes the seating helps run the meeting.

Commissioner Green does not believe that one individual should have the right to determine dais seating as everyone is equal. He said the Mayor has never explained the movement of the seats.

Commissioner Shrouder said it might help if the Mayor offers an explanation when assigning the dais seating.

Mayor Ross has no difficulty giving a reason behind the seating placement.

Commissioner Katzman prefers the Mayor sit in the middle surrounded by Commission members.

Mayor Ross said he needs to confer with the City Attorney while he is running the meeting.

Commissioner Katzman said other municipalities have dais seating based on district number.

The Commission took a five-minute recess.

Mayor Ross said he has no difficulty giving an explanation when he rearranges the seats. Commissioner Green apologized and recognizes the Mayor's authority as Chair of the meeting.

Commissioner Mallozzi said on the reports handed in by the employees explaining their time and tasks the Mayor was monopolizing the time of the Executive Assistant to the Elected Officials. She asked that if the Mayor is traveling for the Florida League, the Florida League can perhaps make the arrangements. She also stated the assistant traveled to Miami to help the Mayor receive a pass to bypass the line at the airport.

Mayor Ross clarified the Executive Assistant offered to assist him.

Commissioner Mallozzi believes the time of the Executive Assistant needs to be divided equally among the elective body. She also has concerns with placing items on the agenda in seniority order as she and Commissioner Katzman can be potentially cut off with a limit. She also believes the seating on the dais should be the prerogative of the entire Commission. The Commission is equal, and they should all decide on what seat is appropriate. She also said she has her agenda briefings on Fridays and by Tuesday the agenda has been changed.

Commissioner Shrouder asked if the agenda software we have can list a summary of changes.

Commissioner Mallozzi said if items are changed the changes need to be indicated. She also prefers to have open dialogue on the dais as this is the only time the Commission has the opportunity to do so. She would also like consistency in public speaking times. This allows the residents to prepare within the time constraint. She also believes they need to have a firm rule on yielding or not yielding time. She stated if there are any procedural changes the Commission needs to vote on them. She also wants to ensure the Mayor is passing the gavel when motioning on items.

Commissioner Green said to his knowledge the Mayor does pass the gavel when making a motion.

Commissioner Mallozzi would like to return to having one meeting in the summer to allow for staff to focus on other items.

Commissioner Green has no issue with one meeting in the summer.

City Attorney Horowitz stated the Charter reads the Commission shall meet regularly not less than once each month.

Commissioner Shrouder suggested they vote on the summer schedule closer to the summer months. He recommended the language the City Commission may adopt a revised schedule for the summer months.

Commissioner Mallozzi would like to remove the reference to keys to the City as the only person to ever receive a key was Morris Cooper. She would prefer a plaque be given in lieu of a key. She also does not believe an honorary citizen has ever been chosen. She also would like to specify criteria for the removal of an individual from a Commission Meeting.

City Attorney Horowitz read Section 1.6, Members of the Commission, staff members, citizens, and others are required to use civil and appropriate language when addressing the Commission or anyone present at the meeting, and must refrain from using profanity, cursing, or exhibiting aggressive or threatening behavior. All comments should generally be directed to the presiding officer and not to individual members of the Commission (except as to questions to a Commissioner when authorized by paragraph 1.5 (b) above), staff, or the audience. No personal verbal attacks toward any individual by either the Commission, staff, citizens, or others shall be allowed during any meeting of the Commission. Any persons making impertinent or slanderous remarks or personal attacks or who becomes boisterous while addressing the Commission or who otherwise violates the decorum rules set forth herein shall be barred from further audience before the Commission by the Mayor, or by request of any member of the Commission, unless permission to continue or again address the Commission be granted by a majority vote of the Commission members present.

Commissioner Mallozzi spoke on an instance where a soccer team recently came into the City and provided a jersey and pin to the City and the Mayor left in possession of those items. The items were presented to the City and they should have remained with the City.

Mayor Ross confirmed the items were given to the City Manager and even recommended the items be placed in the historical museum. He safe kept the items at the time as there were multiple people in the auditorium for the event.

Mayor Ross said as Mayor sometimes he has to make the tough decisions on behalf of the residents. He would also like to limit agenda items to three to allow for prioritization.

Commissioner Shrouder said he does not believe he can be prevented from adding items that are required to be addressed in public.

Commissioner Green does not believe numerous items need placed on one particular meeting agenda.

Commissioner Shrouder said he needs the ability to notice his items and speak to his fellow Commissioners.

Commissioner Green spoke at a previous meeting where a discussion and motion was made on an item that was not listed on an agenda.

Commissioner Shrouder said the item that is being referenced was on the agenda as employee compensation.

Commissioner Shrouder said some Commissioners add more items to the agenda compared to others.

Commissioner Green said if there is a process to govern individuals visiting the chambers they need to also have a process for accountability among themselves.

Commissioner Shrouder asked Mayor Ross and Commissioner Green why they don't add items to the agenda routinely. Is it because they have been here the longest and a lot of their priorities have been accomplished or they have a relationship with the City Manager, and things are accomplished that way

Commissioner Green stated he understands the importance of working with the City Manager and staff.

Commissioner Katzman said the Commission has the authority to pull items from the agenda if the agenda is being monopolized.

Commissioner Green asked if historically they have ever exercised that authority.

Commissioner Katzman said if a Commissioner places 20 items on an agenda and they are all valid concerns they may need to be addressed.

Mayor Ross would like to look at limits on speaking time.

Commissioner Shrouder said limiting each Commissioner with speaking times was removed because it was not efficient.

Commissioner Mallozzi said starting the meetings earlier is not fair to working residents. She does not want to limit the speaking of Commission members as they cannot govern efficiently.

Mayor Ross would like to add a policy prohibiting the yielding of speaking time. He would also like to edit Section 1.5 subsection b to remove cross-examination.

Commissioner Mallozzi wants to allow residents to speak openly.

Mayor Ross would like the Commission to be timed just as the residents are.

Commissioner Katzman said the open dialogue helps the Commission discuss and resolve issues.

Commissioner Green said the Commission has the ability to hear concerns from the residents and staff before the Commission meeting.

City Attorney Horowitz advised there was some relatively recent case law with regards to requiring individuals to provide their name and address when they speak at a public meeting so he added some language too, instead of requiring the completion of the written slip having members of the public be asked to complete the written slip. He also added language providing some discretion in the event that the Mayor wanted to bundle speakers on a particular topic. He will add language where the Commission at its discretion may amend the summer schedule from time to time and strike the reference to the meetings being held on the third Tuesday of the summer months. He will add language that no proclamations will be used for political purposes and that any member of the Commission can object to a proclamation, and request it to be put to a vote. Honorary citizens will be changed to residents. There was also discussion about either a plaque or some other commemoration a Medal of Honor, and he will work with the City Manager and staff on some language to bring back for consideration.

Commissioner Shrouder would like to add that no proclamation should be issued on a policy decision.

Commissioner Katzman would like additional language to honor residents.

Commissioner Green would like the Commission to vote on seating arrangements.

Commissioner Katzman would like there to be a formal seating arrangement.

Discussion ensued on the seats potentially being ordered by seat number.

Commissioner Shrouder suggested the Mayor select the seats and then by seniority the Commission vote as to where they want to sit in those particular seats.

Discussion was had for the Mayor to choose the seats of the City Attorney, City Manager, and City Clerk. The Commission members will by seniority choose their seats from the remaining open seats.

City Attorney Horowitz advised there will be a revised resolution brought back to the next Commission meeting for approval.

Mayor Ross advised due to his role he does require more time from the Executive Assistant to the Elected Officials. He does not micromanage the assistant.

MOTION: Commissioner Green moved to approve Resolution 23-1. Commissioner Katzman seconded the motion which prevailed by a unanimous roll call vote. (5-0)

CITY MANAGER REPORT

City Manager Napoli advised the City is close to receiving the Autism Awareness designation. City Manager Napoli thanked Parks and Recreation Director Stacie Weiss and staff for their hard work. He also advised on Thursday, March 30, 2023 staff will give the five City Manager candidates a tour of the City and an open public reception will be held at 5:30 PM in the auditorium. On Friday, March 31, 2023 at 9:00 AM the Commission will start their one-on-one interviews and a Special City Commission meeting will be held at 1:00 PM in the auditorium.

Commissioner Mallozzi advised that Waste Management sent a letter to the City stating they did not believe there is not enough time for the City to issue a RFP and have a company start. She was told previously the RFP was being worked on. City Manager Napoli stated he believes they have enough time and will have the RFP out within the next few weeks. He said Waste Management is offering an extension. Commissioner Mallozzi asked why Public Works Director Tom Good is working on the RFP when in the other position he holds he has taken contributions from another waste collection company other than Waste Management. City Manager Napoli said Mr. Good has a lot of experience in the position and Public Works is the department that handles the contract.

Commissioner Shrouder said if there was an RFP written to exclude Waste Management he believes they would protest quickly.

Commissioner Katzman also reminded the Commission that a workshop was asked to be scheduled to include resident input on bulk trash.

Commissioner Shrouder asked if the transfers of the money market accounts will occur. City Manager Napoli answered yes. Commissioner Shrouder asked how the three applicants that were emailed to the Commission were chosen for the Executive Assistant to the Elected Officials position. City Manager Napoli said at the prior meeting he advised the Commission he would narrow down the candidates and present them to the Commission. Commissioner Shrouder said a seasoned judicial assistant was left

out of the list of candidates. He would prefer the new City Manager to be on board to help make the recommendations.

Commissioner Katzman would like to look at the resumes of the applicants that were selected for interviews.

City Manager Napoli has no issue with the Commission narrowing down the applicants.

Commissioner Shrouder said judicial assistants should have been included in the top selections.

Commissioner Green said the City Manager stated the criteria and he selected four individuals that meet that criteria. He stated staff has done what the Commission asked for.

Commissioner Shrouder said the position works for the Commission as it is stated in the job description.

Commissioner Shrouder said it does not make sense that the outgoing City Manager is choosing the new Executive Assistant. He also asked why a judicial assistant was not included.

City Manager Napoli answered he did not consider judicial assistants as a qualifying matter. He considers individuals who have worked for an elected official in the past. He recommended the Commission define the criteria.

Commissioner Shrouder wants to wait for the new City Manager to be on board as he may want to have his own assistant.

Mayor Ross does not want to wait and leave the position vacant.

Commissioner Mallozzi asked that all the Commission members look at the applications and recommend a top 10.

Mayor Ross recommended each Commissioner chose two each and keep the individuals that were already recommended.

CITY ATTORNEY REPORT

No report.

POLICE CHIEF'S REPORT

16. Police Chief's Report

Captain De Giovanni said during last week's aggressive driving initiative 54 citations were issued, 30 of which were targeting speeding in the major thoroughfares in the residential communities. On April 18, 19 and 20th they will initiate an active code sweep. He wished the community a Happy Ramadan, Passover and Easter and advised his team will be out in full force assisting the religious facilities with additional patrols. He also thanked everyone for attending Tip-A-Cop where they have now raised a total of about \$5,000 for the Special Olympics. He also advised they received a community grant to fund the Get the Scoop initiative.

Commissioner Shrouder asked about the decrease in citation and warnings as compared to the same time last year. Captain De Giovanni answered he was able to get additional funds last year through grants which he does not have this year as of yet.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

17. Fire Chief's Report

Chief Bishop congratulated the new CERT members and the existing members who just completed 10 weeks of training.

Commissioner Katzman asked about the City responding outside the City eleven times and receiving emergency assistance how many times as it was cut off in the report. Chief Harrington answered six times.

COMMISSIONERS' CONCERNS/REPORTS/ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON NEXT AGENDA

Commissioner Green wished everyone a Happy Easter, Ramadan and Passover. He also thanked CFO Kendrick for his professionalism here in the City and wished him well in his future endeavors. He also stated he will not be able to make the Solid Waste meeting tomorrow.

Commissioner Katzman thanked Ron Book and Rona Brown and stated the Mayor and he were both in Tallahassee last week speaking with legislators and the requested items are in the House and Senate budgets.

Commissioner Mallozzi wished everyone a happy holiday and wished CFO Kendrick good luck in his new endeavors.

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENTS (2 MINUTES)

None.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 12:50 PM.

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Cooper City Hall: Good evening, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the city of Cooper City Commission Meeting Today is March 20, eighth. It is now 5, 30. I'll ask you all to please join me in the pledge of allegiance.

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Cooper City Hall: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

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Cooper City Hall: and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, individual with liberty and justice for all. Thank you. Have roll call, please

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Cooper City Hall: thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melosey, Commissioner Catchman.

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Cooper City Hall: here, Commissioner

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Cooper City Hall: here, Commissioner Green, Mayor Ross.

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Cooper City Hall: I know, and please forgive me, but I know that symbolically, whenever there's been a shooting we normally have a moment of silence it for those individuals that are in tend to see the 6 people that lost their lives.

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Cooper City Hall: So I am asking for a moment of silence, for the 6 individuals that were killed yesterday at the Covenant School in

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Cooper City Hall: Yes, let us all join.

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you. Thank you, Mayor.

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Cooper City Hall: Your form

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you. Do we have any changes to the agenda or any emergency matters. No, Mr. Me

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Cooper City Hall: there.

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Cooper City Hall: I wanted to see if there's a consensus on potentially moving. Item.

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I don't know if the numbers have changed but 23

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Cooper City Hall: dash 10

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Cooper City Hall: tabling that to the next meeting we've heard from different. It's the vacation rental item we've heard from some people in the community who have some valid points, and I think it'd be useful for our staff to have a chance to meet with them.

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Cooper City Hall: particularly in the real estate industry. So you're asking that we move or defer if you will. Item Number 12.

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Cooper City Hall: Yes, Can I ask a question on that? Go ahead. I had emailed the head of the Real Estate Association, I had asked him, and you tell me what your concerns are, because I have no idea

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Cooper City Hall: nothing. Oh, I got a list of of many items that were there, and I wanted to have Staff go through that. Okay, I didn't get the I'd be happy to. I believe I forwarded it to staff, and I'm going to ask that staff Forwards it to all the Commission, please, and it's going to be written to the record as well.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, is there consensus on tabling. I I was also contacted by them, and I indicated again. I had no difficulty with doing that. So Commissioner Green any any difficulty i'm prepared to to. I hear what you, my colleagues, are saying, but i'm certainly prepared to

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Cooper City Hall: to weigh in on this. I know that we have residents that are here tonight that are concerned about that I understand, and I respect what the elder, what the realtors, what their some of their concerns may be.

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Cooper City Hall: But I have to make sure that i'm sensitive to the concerns and the needs of the residents in this community. So I am fully prepared to

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Cooper City Hall: discuss this. But if the if the consensus is that we table it, it is what it is. But i'm prepared to move forward with this tonight

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Cooper City Hall: to Commissioner Green. I I did ask for the concerns. I do not agree with their positions.

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Cooper City Hall: I respect their position. This is a subject

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Cooper City Hall: real estate I happen to, you know

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Cooper City Hall: I know a lot about, but I did tell them.

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Cooper City Hall: you know I explain to them the position i'm in with the with the residence, and that this is something that's going to be dealt with. My preference was to do first reading and then delay second reading. But I told him as a professional courtesy. I would not object to it being delayed

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Cooper City Hall: either way for the residents that are here, and some of them I've worked with. On on this I will forward you their concerns.

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Cooper City Hall: and I'm not going to object to the it, it being delayed but it, I think, as a group.

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Cooper City Hall: the Commission agrees it's going to be results. Can I ask you a question again? No, you can now tell us what way you are on the consensus.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't want our residents to

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Cooper City Hall: have another weekend or 2 weeks of

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Cooper City Hall: thanks because they live near an Airbnb.

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Cooper City Hall: i'm almost going to agree with Commissioner Green and Commissioner shrouded. So that's gonna. And if there's something we can change it. But we've changed many things between first and second reading.

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Cooper City Hall: So I mean, if there's something like that I have no problem with that. So I just don't. I just don't want to resident. I've gotten many calls from residents that have had their weekends ruined because the Airbnb has had

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00:06:16.690 --> 00:06:19.980

Cooper City Hall: parties and whatnot, and while I respect the realtors.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't want to make my residents lives miserable for an extra 2 weeks if I don't have to, but we can address their concerns at the second reading. Then I I They're with me for a moment, because i'm Unclear Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: that you're ready essentially perceived, but that you do not object to it being

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Cooper City Hall: it over.

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Cooper City Hall: So then, consensus is yes, you you will have it put over. That's what i'm trying to figure out.

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Cooper City Hall: He's asking for consensus.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, but let me let me ask this question.

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Cooper City Hall: Here's my my there's always 2 readings. If if we delayed till next meeting, what does that put us with

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Cooper City Hall: the 10 days, and does that end up being? Yes, this is, maybe for Jacob. Well schedule. Thank you. Good evening, Mary Commission, you know. Typically with regards to our ordinances, we have first and second reading and back to back meetings.

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Cooper City Hall: You know there, there's a advertising component to that issue, because there is a requirement that we advertise the title of ordinances 10 days prior to second reading.

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Cooper City Hall: So the Sun Sentinel will require any title for advertisement for the next meeting by tomorrow at noon. I believe in Tedra can confirm that to the extent of the action tonight, and there's no change to the title. There should be no issue with regards to second reading at the next meeting

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Cooper City Hall: I should ask you this question. Good. Do you know when our next

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Cooper City Hall: meeting is meetings are sure

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Cooper City Hall: 11 and 25? Yeah. The other option is having a meeting in between first and second reading.

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Cooper City Hall: which which again would just be a matter of changing the advertising date, would

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, but it there is a lot of it is.

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Cooper City Hall: you know me so to say it. So it's going to be a lot

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Cooper City Hall: of changes on the fly.

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Cooper City Hall: I so I just want to say if there are any residents here to discuss this particular item.

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Cooper City Hall: I think we all would love to hear from you, and that input would be considered

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Cooper City Hall: regardless of whether tonight is first reading or not, so I wanted to be very clear on that. I just seeing the

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Cooper City Hall: significant amount of information, some of which might be considered valid by members of the Commission, I would rather have an opportunity for Staff to sit down with with them, discuss it, and then also members of the Commission individually to sit down with

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Cooper City Hall: members of the realtors organization just to to discuss it. I also invite any residents who have issues to email me, call me and discuss their issues, so we can come up with the best

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00:09:00.090 --> 00:09:15.570

Cooper City Hall: revisions to this resolution all at once versus the Commission. Kasman, Are you making the motion. I am making the motion to table. But I wanted to give the reasoning in public. Yeah, they can. They can still give public comment. Tonight

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00:09:16.300 --> 00:09:25.990

Cooper City Hall: does not matter. They can still no. What I'm saying is that their input will still be considered regardless of whether we table it tonight or not. May or my my question would be.

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00:09:27.530 --> 00:09:30.530

Cooper City Hall: Can we move up a meeting?

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00:09:31.340 --> 00:09:39.440

Cooper City Hall: Can we do one? Can we schedule another one? Because if we did not have a different meeting, and it was tabled that would put us at

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00:09:40.220 --> 00:10:00.150

Cooper City Hall: if if the item was heard on first reading on April eleventh, Second reading would presumably be April, 20, fifth, April, 20, fifth, and if we did it today, then it would be now on April eleventh, right or second reading again could be pushed back until April 20 fifth. The Commission can control second reading. We would just have to direct the clerk to adjust the advertising.

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00:10:00.150 --> 00:10:02.810

Cooper City Hall: Okay. So then I I think that

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00:10:02.990 --> 00:10:06.600

Cooper City Hall: that's probably fair, because

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Cooper City Hall: to to to table it, and that means we're going to have a resolution. We were going to have second reading in April I'll second it

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00:10:18.370 --> 00:10:27.900

Cooper City Hall: all the vote. No, no, no additional discussion on this one. Additional. Yes, absolutely. I'd like to have some additional discussion on this. I say Yes, okay.

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00:10:29.370 --> 00:10:45.430

Cooper City Hall: I wasn't to make out of the motion. Are you gonna ask them if they have anything further to say? I mean, I didn't want to be out of charge. Okay, excellent. So. And I hear the and I and I I hear the concerns of the Commission as it pertains to some of the issues. My question

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00:10:45.600 --> 00:10:51.850

Cooper City Hall: or my concern is, we have residents that are here that's being impacted

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00:10:51.960 --> 00:10:53.870

Cooper City Hall: by the vacation rentals.

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00:10:54.030 --> 00:11:06.280

Cooper City Hall: This is an opportunity for us not only to hear them to hear the public comments, but this is an opportunity for us to move the move. This reading, and if we

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Cooper City Hall: based on the information that we received tonight.

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Cooper City Hall: based on the information that may come before us by the Realtors Association. There's time in between first reading and second second reading To do that.

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00:11:22.420 --> 00:11:36.890

Cooper City Hall: I understand the concerns of the the Realtors Association. They may be watching here. They may be watching the Commission meeting. They may not, they may not. I don't even know if we have members from the Realtors Association here

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00:11:36.920 --> 00:11:53.320

Cooper City Hall: this evening, but I do know that we have residents that we have an obligation to to hear their not only hear their concerns, but also to make sure that we are doing things. We're taking steps to make sure that we're addressing those concerns. So that's just my input Thank you, sir.

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00:11:54.030 --> 00:11:56.290

Cooper City Hall: and it wouldn't have any further discussion.

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00:11:56.780 --> 00:12:04.370

Cooper City Hall: Well, I just wanted to indicate that the the reason that the realtors Aren't here is because it's there Big Tallahassee

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Cooper City Hall: trip, lobbying, or whatever trip, which is why one of the reasons they asked us if we could delay this so they could give their input. I don't know if every real is here or not. I'm just in. He asked if I don't know if and i'm sure legislatively active or not here. Thank you. And I understand that Commissioner Catsman, and I respect that. But here tonight we have residents of tax paying residents that are here. And I don't know if those, if those realtors or those individuals that are representing the Realtors Association, if they actually reside here in Cooper City. I have an obligation to. Well, we all have an obligation

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00:12:42.430 --> 00:12:49.160

Cooper City Hall: to make sure that we are, or we are doing what is in the best interest of of our community here. So

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00:12:49.460 --> 00:12:53.550

Cooper City Hall: I wanted to say that. But if it's. if it's the

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00:12:53.680 --> 00:13:00.180

Cooper City Hall: if it's the consensus or majority vote that we that we table it. I certainly understand that I respect that. But

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00:13:00.610 --> 00:13:10.610

Cooper City Hall: i'm prepared to move forward tonight. That's all. Thank you, Commissioner Green. The answer is, Yes, I've had Cooper City realtors. Ask me

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00:13:10.890 --> 00:13:19.780

Cooper City Hall: to go ahead and have this table. And then I spoke with Nate Parsons, who actually wrote an email which she is requesting that we

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00:13:19.840 --> 00:13:31.410

Cooper City Hall: put it into the record. and he does speak on behalf of all the realtors, also the ones who live in the city. asking that it be postponed. But having said that by the

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00:13:34.110 --> 00:13:35.970

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melody.

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00:13:36.230 --> 00:13:38.090

Cooper City Hall: commissioner, catchman.

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00:13:38.160 --> 00:13:52.880

Cooper City Hall: commissioner, i'm going to vote. Yes, but I agree and substance with Commissioner Malaysian Commissioner. So you voting? Yes, brother, but only because currently the ordinance as it stands, prohibits most.

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00:13:53.230 --> 00:13:57.350

Cooper City Hall: Yes.

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00:13:57.880 --> 00:13:59.220

Cooper City Hall: Mirros. Yes.

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00:14:00.220 --> 00:14:01.940

Cooper City Hall: that will be removed.

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00:14:01.950 --> 00:14:07.230

Cooper City Hall: and tables, and for the recommend that i'll be on for first reading on the April the twentieth of the April eleventh meetings. Thank you.

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00:14:11.410 --> 00:14:13.110

Cooper City Hall: Are there any other changes.

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00:14:13.240 --> 00:14:15.330

Cooper City Hall: Mr. Mayor.

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00:14:15.510 --> 00:14:16.570

Cooper City Hall: Thank you.

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00:14:17.600 --> 00:14:20.200

Cooper City Hall: Are there any proclamations or presentations

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00:14:20.720 --> 00:14:24.230

Cooper City Hall: moving on to the public speaking?

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00:14:24.350 --> 00:14:27.590

Cooper City Hall: We have Carmen Ruiz. It is something

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00:14:29.310 --> 00:14:31.960

Cooper City Hall: Carmen is not here, there she is

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00:14:37.740 --> 00:14:39.270

Cooper City Hall: into the mic, please.

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00:14:39.310 --> 00:14:41.720

Cooper City Hall: You have 3 of them over there any which one

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00:14:43.140 --> 00:14:47.880

Cooper City Hall: we are here today. A second, a little closer to the Mic. Please closer. Thank you. Here

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00:14:49.140 --> 00:14:54.920

Cooper City Hall: we're here today as concerned citizen wrestling of cooperating a place we all love

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Cooper City Hall: for decades. Our community has been a safe and past peaceful heaven for families and children.

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Cooper City Hall: However, the rise of short-term rental is threatened to destroy the safety.

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00:15:08.940 --> 00:15:09.690

Cooper City Hall: Thank you.

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00:15:10.040 --> 00:15:10.820

Cooper City Hall: This

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00:15:11.580 --> 00:15:13.820

Cooper City Hall: the safety and security we

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00:15:13.880 --> 00:15:20.130

Cooper City Hall: that we have enjoyed for so long. Short-term rental are unregulated and unchecked.

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00:15:20.190 --> 00:15:38.090

Cooper City Hall: They are turning our once quiet residential area into a heaven for transient and party goers. Our community was not designed for this for the kind of traffic, noise, and disruption that this rental spring and yet, investor, are buying

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00:15:38.170 --> 00:15:48.180

Cooper City Hall: up every single house in our community, and turning then into vacation rental, with no consideration for the impact that this is having in our family and children

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00:15:48.530 --> 00:16:01.910

Cooper City Hall: the effect of those 2 or 10 rental are devastating. They bring in large number of people who are not invested in our community, do not care about our safety, and have no respect for our way of life.

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Cooper City Hall: They bring noise, parties, and traffic to our one Squire Street.

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00:16:06.940 --> 00:16:18.170

Cooper City Hall: They also post significant safety risk, as we have no way of knowing who is staying next door to us, what kind of activities they are doing, or how long they are going to be staying

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00:16:18.330 --> 00:16:23.250

Cooper City Hall: Furthermore, short-term rental are destroying the central community that we have

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Cooper City Hall: always been the hallmark Palmer of our neighborhood

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00:16:27.690 --> 00:16:33.040

Cooper City Hall: our community has always been known for his welcoming family-friendly environment

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Cooper City Hall: where we know and trust our neighbors.

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00:16:36.410 --> 00:16:42.560

Cooper City Hall: But these rentals are turning our community into a transient annoyance place

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00:16:42.960 --> 00:16:48.190

Cooper City Hall: where people come and go without any sense of connection to the place they are staying.

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00:16:48.510 --> 00:17:01.390

Cooper City Hall: We need our representative, all of you, to take action and set up all necessary restrictions and fees to deter this harmful and disruptive business for taking routes in our neighborhood.

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00:17:01.840 --> 00:17:13.560

Cooper City Hall: We need to ensure that our community remain a safe and peaceful place to live, work and raise our families. The facts are clear, short-term rental, a destroying, safe community across the country.

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00:17:13.819 --> 00:17:17.990

Cooper City Hall: We cannot let this happen to our community. We must take action.

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00:17:18.480 --> 00:17:19.260

Cooper City Hall: not

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00:17:19.329 --> 00:17:28.760

Cooper City Hall: now to protect our safety, our way of life in the future of Cooper City. Thank you for you for taking the time to listen to our concern

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00:17:29.020 --> 00:17:36.130

Cooper City Hall: and let's stand together and fight for the future. Our community. Thank you very much.

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00:17:37.530 --> 00:17:39.330

Cooper City Hall: George Nuniers.

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00:17:45.560 --> 00:17:47.580

Cooper City Hall: Good evening, Mr. Mayor.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioners.

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00:17:50.480 --> 00:17:53.300

Cooper City Hall: city attorney, city manager, and City clerk.

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00:17:54.680 --> 00:17:59.570

Cooper City Hall: I'm. Here to address the same thing the Airbnb's. I just have a couple of points that i'm going to make

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00:17:59.870 --> 00:18:08.220

Cooper City Hall: number one. I'd like to bring to your attention on whether our city is zoned as a as a residential

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00:18:08.560 --> 00:18:10.630

Cooper City Hall: or commercial, because.

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00:18:10.770 --> 00:18:12.270

Cooper City Hall: as far as i'm concerned.

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00:18:12.490 --> 00:18:17.330

Cooper City Hall: if you're bringing rentals, and you're running smaller. The hotels those are commercial

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00:18:17.390 --> 00:18:24.280

Cooper City Hall: occupancies being run in a residential city. That's Point number One

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00:18:25.520 --> 00:18:38.560

Cooper City Hall: point number 2 is the amount of transient traffic and people that it brings to our city. So not only traffic car, wise people that are coming through or staying 2 nights 3 nights, and they're gone.

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00:18:38.710 --> 00:18:44.230

Cooper City Hall: No background check performed. You don't know them. So

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00:18:44.650 --> 00:18:49.390

Cooper City Hall: that's a second point. The transient traffic and people that come through our community

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00:18:49.930 --> 00:18:53.820

Cooper City Hall: Number 3. The crime that it brings witness by myself

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00:18:53.830 --> 00:18:54.930

Cooper City Hall: and my family.

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00:18:55.350 --> 00:19:03.310

Cooper City Hall: You're talking about 70 70 people walking up and down the block 30'clock in the morning, walking around the block

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00:19:03.750 --> 00:19:13.740

Cooper City Hall: smoking marijuana doing drugs. I I do know of one case that there was a break in, and there was like \$50,000 in cash that was stolen. I'm not sure. It was reported to the police. Probably not.

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00:19:14.330 --> 00:19:15.690

Cooper City Hall: Okay. That's point Number 3,

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00:19:17.640 --> 00:19:29.840

Cooper City Hall: point number number 4. The amount of noise that it brings to the neighborhood. Okay, the rear neighbors, the neighbors on the side. Our kids go to school the next day on a Monday. People are parting on a Sunday

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00:19:29.990 --> 00:19:36.860

Cooper City Hall: guys. These are not. These are not vacation rentals a lot of times. They are party rentals. They're used for one night.

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00:19:37.350 --> 00:19:38.460

Cooper City Hall: They don't have

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00:19:38.730 --> 00:19:43.610

Cooper City Hall: any regard for the occupancy that it's supposed to have the occupancy load.

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00:19:43.930 --> 00:19:52.060

Cooper City Hall: Okay, and they disregard there's nobody to check on them in the middle of the night, on whether there's 10 people in the house, or whether there's 50. Nobody checks up on it.

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00:19:53.460 --> 00:20:05.770

Cooper City Hall: Construction done without permits being pulled. That's huge. We've witnessed that so an investor buys the house, the houses, and they want to turn into a 6 bedroom house right with 4 bathrooms witnessed by us

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00:20:06.120 --> 00:20:10.060

Cooper City Hall: excessive vehicles in the yard, driveway and streets.

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00:20:10.210 --> 00:20:22.010

Cooper City Hall: You're talking about 40 vehicles parked down the street, using parks. The yard itself 11 counted by me 11 vehicles in the yard on the grass in the driveway.

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00:20:22.180 --> 00:20:27.480

Cooper City Hall: We have pictures, films, we have everything. We sent it to your, to your little agency that that you guys created

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00:20:28.420 --> 00:20:34.420

Cooper City Hall: Number 8. It's definitely a nuisance. It's a nuisance. We're not making this up. It's a nuisance.

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00:20:34.760 --> 00:20:37.610

Cooper City Hall: and number 9. Are they abiding by

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00:20:37.870 --> 00:20:41.960

Cooper City Hall: fire code and occupancy loads that are set

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00:20:42.040 --> 00:20:44.780

Cooper City Hall: by the building code and the fire code.

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00:20:44.930 --> 00:20:54.440

Cooper City Hall: They are not, I promise you. There are no exit signs. There are no fire alarms. There are no pool stations. I'm. A fireman. None of that is in the houses.

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00:20:54.560 --> 00:20:55.360

Cooper City Hall: So

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00:20:55.830 --> 00:21:03.380

Cooper City Hall: is it a business? Is it a house? Is it a vacation rental, or is it a party house? A lot of times? It's becoming a party house.

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00:21:03.630 --> 00:21:23.610

Cooper City Hall: Okay, I don't have a problem with with an investor buying a house and renting it out and making a boatload of money. I don't have an issue with that. Okay, we're we that investors going

forward. They're making money. Their their business is running right. I don't have an a problem with an investor buying at home, renting it out to a family for a whole year, year after year after year, and making their money. That's great. Go ahead and buy 20 houses.

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00:21:23.630 --> 00:21:34.230

Cooper City Hall: but they're becoming small hotels as it's what it is. So anyways. 19 s. Thank you for your time. Thank you. The needed Turner

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00:21:40.970 --> 00:21:52.370

Cooper City Hall: and I just want to echo the letter that Carmen read in the beginning, where a group of neighbors in Cooper village that have been impacted by an investor coming in, buying home.

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00:21:52.910 --> 00:21:57.340

Cooper City Hall: carrying everything out, rebuilding them, adding extra bedrooms, and

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00:21:57.610 --> 00:21:58.880

we publish it as well

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00:21:59.300 --> 00:22:10.880

Cooper City Hall: noise from some of those rentals that the prevention out already a lot of street parking There's been racing down the street as well, so we just hate to see our nice neighborhood.

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00:22:10.980 --> 00:22:18.270

You get turned into a transit we for over 25 years. So I want to see.

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00:22:19.490 --> 00:22:20.400

Cooper City Hall: Thank you.

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00:22:21.770 --> 00:22:22.760

Cooper City Hall: Penny. Eppie

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00:22:24.670 --> 00:22:25.340

Cooper City Hall: Happy

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00:22:31.910 --> 00:22:41.820

Cooper City Hall: been a resident of Cooper village since 1,974, 80 years old, and there's 25 feet between my back bedroom

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00:22:42.030 --> 00:22:45.050

Cooper City Hall: and the bedroom of the rental house

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00:22:45.440 --> 00:22:56.060

Cooper City Hall: across the street. At 30'clock in the morning. We had to have the police come for women screaming obscenities and banging on doors. My backyard

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00:22:57.390 --> 00:23:03.990

Cooper City Hall: gets all of the noise from these party houses, and the language that's used is absolutely disgusting.

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00:23:04.550 --> 00:23:17.040

Cooper City Hall: Been a good citizen of Cooper city since 1974. My husband, as a matter of fact. plan the park that's now used as a parking lot by all these people who come and go.

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00:23:17.210 --> 00:23:19.850

Cooper City Hall: so I certainly would appreciate your concern

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00:23:20.480 --> 00:23:23.660

Cooper City Hall: to limit the availability of these homes

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00:23:23.730 --> 00:23:32.470

Cooper City Hall: to people who have no right partying till 30'clock in the morning because I've heard it all. Thank you. Thank you. Joe Castillo.

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00:23:42.390 --> 00:23:47.530

Cooper City Hall: Good evening, and hello to all of you especially bringing there. Thank you for your

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00:23:47.560 --> 00:23:50.480

Cooper City Hall: for so far. and

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00:23:51.140 --> 00:23:57.740

Cooper City Hall: I guess i'm gonna repeat myself. Probably one of the most pressing concerns i'm sorry about. I have to read this

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00:23:57.750 --> 00:23:58.410

Cooper City Hall: right.

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00:23:58.540 --> 00:24:05.560

Cooper City Hall: The unusual activities. Have you heard that it become commonplace? As a result of these Reynolds many residents

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00:24:05.650 --> 00:24:09.080

Cooper City Hall: that reported disturbances late into the night? You just heard.

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00:24:09.570 --> 00:24:12.360

Cooper City Hall: which disrupts the peace and tranquillity of our neighborhood.

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00:24:12.790 --> 00:24:22.710

Cooper City Hall: Do these unusual, due to these unusual activities have caused residents to call the police late at night? I know I've never seen so many police around in our neighborhood as as I have lately

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00:24:22.870 --> 00:24:27.050

Cooper City Hall: up and down the State, which is probably a good thing in a way, but

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00:24:27.550 --> 00:24:29.540

Cooper City Hall: I wish it wasn't necessary.

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00:24:29.880 --> 00:24:37.250

Cooper City Hall: We've never seen so many police in our streets. And now, because the short-term rental police our rental properties, police are here at least 2 times a day.

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00:24:37.430 --> 00:24:43.710

Cooper City Hall: Furthermore, the increase, in short-term rentals has led to a decrease in the availability of the long-term rental housing.

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00:24:43.940 --> 00:25:00.520

Cooper City Hall: making it more difficult for families and other permanent residents to find suitable housing people are leaving. They're offering them big prices for the houses they're leaving, and our community is not the same anymore. I don't know who's who's there anywhere. I know the people. These are my friends and and neighbors that are here. Now

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00:25:02.060 --> 00:25:06.990

Cooper City Hall: it's led to a negative impact on property values for homeowners in the area.

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00:25:07.290 --> 00:25:10.140

Cooper City Hall: If the tragedy strikes our so and so.

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00:25:10.240 --> 00:25:19.440

Cooper City Hall: if a threat, and if the tragedy strikes and city officials continue to ignore our safety concerns. We don't want to see ourselves in the news. We will be victims.

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00:25:19.510 --> 00:25:26.790

Cooper City Hall: Why isn't there a limit? If we have a 100 homes. Why not limit it to maybe 5 or 10% rentals?

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00:25:26.840 --> 00:25:36.250

Cooper City Hall: We should enforce the limit is that against the State State Co. It is against the State coast. We can't limit that. The one for something

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00:25:37.220 --> 00:25:55.130

Cooper City Hall: for safety concerns all renters, rentals, all renters should go through a background. I know this is kind of hard to do, but you go through a background check. Additionally, we would recommend a city. Consider, let me the number of short term which I just said in Cooper City, and it post penalties on those who violate regulations.

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00:25:55.170 --> 00:26:04.960

Cooper City Hall: Thank you for your attention on this, and I really hope something gets done. I I've been here since 75, 1,975. My wife and I. We raised our kids Our kids went to the Cooper city schools

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00:26:05.020 --> 00:26:19.430

Cooper City Hall: and optimus ball and optimist coach and everything else, and i'd hate to see the city deteriorate. It seems like the way it has in our area, and the parks have become overcrowded with people that are are

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00:26:19.480 --> 00:26:21.780

Cooper City Hall: disrupting that there's there's

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00:26:21.830 --> 00:26:25.850

Cooper City Hall: trash there. There's an owl of

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00:26:26.310 --> 00:26:37.360

Cooper City Hall: what do you call it? Safety place for owls, and I've seen children go in there and and disrupt those owls, and with the with the parents being right there. So i'm really concerned about how things are happening here in Cooper City.

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00:26:37.750 --> 00:26:41.470

Cooper City Hall: Thank you all for your attention, and I know I wouldn't want to have your job.

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00:26:41.900 --> 00:26:59.910

Cooper City Hall: Thank you very much, and and to everyone who spoke on the issue, Tallahassee's come out with additional legislation. I was up there last week. I intend on going up next week, and we intend on fighting it because it once again the State is trying to preempt us from doing what you are exactly asking us to do.

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00:27:00.160 --> 00:27:10.170

Cooper City Hall: We are attempting our best right now to do this, we will further delve into it. It's been tabled. We will further delve into it, have a staff.

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00:27:11.230 --> 00:27:23.210

Cooper City Hall: go through it. Have the realtors have their say on it, and I can advise you that I, for one, will be up there fighting on the residents behalf, because I think it was Mr.

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00:27:23.900 --> 00:27:25.850

Cooper City Hall: New Years who nailed it.

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00:27:25.970 --> 00:27:28.210

Cooper City Hall: Is it a residence, or is it commercial?

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00:27:28.260 --> 00:27:33.350

Cooper City Hall: And the State is allowing it right now? And we're trying to.

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00:27:33.720 --> 00:27:39.070

Cooper City Hall: and we know we won't beat the bill, but we're trying to compromise on the don't get what we can't add. So

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00:27:39.080 --> 00:27:45.470

Cooper City Hall: it's recognized you not alone. Every city, town and village has a similar type problems.

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00:27:46.150 --> 00:27:46.860

Cooper City Hall: So

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00:27:47.020 --> 00:27:50.260

Cooper City Hall: we're working Mayor. Yes, did I respond as well here.

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00:27:50.460 --> 00:27:56.810

Cooper City Hall: and I think it's important for the residents to understand it. This isn't a matter of rather we

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00:27:56.920 --> 00:28:01.270

Cooper City Hall: will allow them or not. We're we're not allowed to prohibit them.

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00:28:01.300 --> 00:28:04.980

Cooper City Hall: but we can regulate. regulate them. And so

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00:28:05.060 --> 00:28:11.460

Cooper City Hall: I think it's this commission's intent. Certainly, my my intent to be the strictest city

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00:28:11.620 --> 00:28:18.660

Cooper City Hall: on short term rentals. We just have to make sure. These rules we put in are gonna

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00:28:18.910 --> 00:28:22.490

Cooper City Hall: past mustard. So we don't have the whole ordinance thrown out.

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00:28:22.890 --> 00:28:37.190

Cooper City Hall: and and we have already, as it is one of the what I believe is one of the strictest noise Ordinance is that was passed as a result of this, and if you watch meetings lately. I'm up here telling the police captain. I want

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00:28:37.190 --> 00:28:44.210

Cooper City Hall: people take into jail who violate the noise, ordinance, or violate our short term rental policy.

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00:28:45.090 --> 00:28:54.940

Cooper City Hall: As it is right now. The delay in in this is not going to affect our current rules which require registration. I think, in the entire city only 2 of them have registered

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00:28:55.060 --> 00:28:59.800

Cooper City Hall: so pretty much. Almost every one of them is not allowed, and you can be arrested

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00:28:59.910 --> 00:29:04.350

Cooper City Hall: if you operate a short-term rental. But as we just rolled that strict thing Out

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00:29:04.640 --> 00:29:13.280

Cooper City Hall: we go to the police captain, and we say what's going on? He says. Well, we need this, you know. Here we need. And so that's the idea. To bring this back up is the Titan

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00:29:13.440 --> 00:29:25.180

Cooper City Hall: to tighten it even stronger. So this commission is, at least from what I've seen is not in favor. and I believe is going to do as much as it can under the law to prevent

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00:29:25.380 --> 00:29:28.350

Cooper City Hall: short-term rentals from

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Cooper City Hall: operating with behavior like. You know what we're seeing, you know. Loud noise, all these different things. The the residents of the towns can tell you that I was out there at 3 something in the morning with them. The the police chief could tell you, because he got report, and he's up at 3, 30 in the morning, when 32 ubers came through dropping people off.

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00:29:46.500 --> 00:29:50.040

Cooper City Hall: you know, and and at that time we didn't have anything

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00:29:50.060 --> 00:29:53.270

Cooper City Hall: you know, marijuana. You no longer can arrest, for.

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00:29:53.330 --> 00:30:07.810

Cooper City Hall: So these people walking by smoking, and you're like this is crazy. The police have to post up and just watch, so that's when we you know at the time you could only measure noise by a an instrument, so we change that now you could do so. We're we're being very aggressive.

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00:30:07.810 --> 00:30:25.050

Cooper City Hall: Some of the points. I I don't think i'm going to agree with the realtors at all, but I do think it's it was worthwhile to just delay the first reading of this, so we can make sure we're going to put an ordinance in that's going to pass muster, and and that resulting in the whole thing being unraveled.

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00:30:25.310 --> 00:30:31.830

Cooper City Hall: So thank you. and I do have Nate Parsons request me to read the following

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Cooper City Hall: that is following: Coming to be entered into the record on behalf of the roughly 42,000 realtor members within our association, who serve South florida we humbly request, and recommend that the Commission exercise caution in favor temporary postponement with regards to discussions surrounding vacation rental regulation

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Cooper City Hall: is indicated in Item 12 of tonight's commission agenda. Our membership is noted. Some significant concerns regarding the ordinance, and we want to reiterate our position in recommending postponing the first reading of the ordinance

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Cooper City Hall: and removing it from the agenda until we've had an opportunity to once again share our concerns and offer solutions as the official representatives of the real estate industry and private property owners. It would be much easier to outline our concerns in person via a meeting with the individual commissions and staff hopefully be held at a later date.

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Cooper City Hall: but due to a State conference in Tallahassee. We are unable to attend in person tonight

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Cooper City Hall: for the sake of highlighting our concerns, and hopefully securing the much needed postponement, is listed some of his general concerns, and they are voluminous, so I will have them entered into the record, but will not go through each and every one of them, particularly because it's punctory, as we have already postponed it.

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00:31:44.830 --> 00:31:49.640

Cooper City Hall: Having said, that, is there anyone else who wishes to speak who has not signed up

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00:31:50.950 --> 00:31:52.330

Cooper City Hall: anyone on virtual.

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00:31:53.820 --> 00:32:01.560

Cooper City Hall: and we'll go ahead and close the public meetings and move on to the consent agenda. Do I have a motion on the minutes

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00:32:05.190 --> 00:32:08.790

Cooper City Hall: being just a minute to i'm not saying just the minutes.

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00:32:10.950 --> 00:32:15.940

Cooper City Hall: Okay, okay, I that's fine. Then the entire consent agenda, one through 5.

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00:32:16.370 --> 00:32:18.360

Cooper City Hall: Mayor. I'd like to pull 2

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00:32:18.510 --> 00:32:20.000

Right? Okay.

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00:32:20.500 --> 00:32:24.570

Cooper City Hall: Okay. So we have 1 3 4, and 5. Do I have a motion? I'd like to pull 3.

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00:32:25.940 --> 00:32:28.460

Cooper City Hall: I have 1, 4, and 5.

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00:32:29.290 --> 00:32:30.530

Cooper City Hall: You will have a motion.

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00:32:32.110 --> 00:32:36.260

Cooper City Hall: so moved by Commissioner Green and a second by

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00:32:36.300 --> 00:32:38.980

Cooper City Hall: commission beloved by the Boat

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00:32:41.250 --> 00:32:48.040

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melosey, Commissioner, Catchment. Yes, Commissioner Schrodder. Yes, Commissioner Green. Yes, Mayor Ross. Yes.

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00:32:48.450 --> 00:32:55.670

Cooper City Hall: Item number 2 was pulled by, I believe. Commissioner Melosey. No, i'm sorry, Mr. Catchman.

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00:32:56.730 --> 00:33:01.930

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner, you want me to talk about it. No, it's it. It was all right. The only reason I yeah, sorry. I don't.

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00:33:02.080 --> 00:33:09.830

Cooper City Hall: and they're pulled anything before first for everything. There are children here.

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00:33:10.290 --> 00:33:12.050

Cooper City Hall: so I want to say, for for

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00:33:12.290 --> 00:33:30.050

Cooper City Hall: first of all, I support this wholeheartedly. The only reason that I pulled it is because I I I spoke with some School Board members individually about it, and I would like to ask that we address the letter to each and every one of the members of the School Board individually.

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00:33:30.060 --> 00:33:35.540

Cooper City Hall: They were going to be okay, because it was addressed to Mr. Allison to him, because it was his.

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00:33:35.540 --> 00:33:51.360

Cooper City Hall: That's his bubble right there, but I wanted it also. I wanted everyone else to see on it. But if you want to it to my request, is all. 2 2 of them are district wide, and then we have one that touches Cooper City, but not country client in particular. So I just.

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00:33:51.360 --> 00:34:00.360

Cooper City Hall: That's my only request, and it was the recommendation of members of the School board. But I fully support this, and I think everybody who lives in Cooper City should go to a Cooper City school if they want to

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00:34:00.590 --> 00:34:20.420

Cooper City Hall: any further discussion on it. Yeah, I met with. I forgot the name of the person, somebody, the area super, and whatever there's a department or something that does this. Yeah, and I met with them over at Walter. She young like a couple of months ago, and they were supposed to get back and never heard anything. So I think I think we need to put like an emphasis on this.

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00:34:21.090 --> 00:34:21.889

There.

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00:34:22.000 --> 00:34:27.870

Cooper City Hall: No, because I want to get others it it's yours. Are there any other comments.

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00:34:28.389 --> 00:34:30.639

Cooper City Hall: Do you have a comment now.

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00:34:31.679 --> 00:34:39.030

Cooper City Hall: when I had a conversation with the School Board member, they, our next meeting is when they are addressing about another boundary.

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Cooper City Hall: So that was why this wasn't time-sensitive, or I would have waited till the next meeting, because I know they didn't want to put a lot on here, but because this was time-sensitive. So if we get this in where we should be good, and they will have it and it can be included in the discussion that they are having.

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00:34:55.040 --> 00:34:56.219

Cooper City Hall: I'm confused.

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00:34:56.290 --> 00:35:07.700

Cooper City Hall: I know it's good at that. I i'm out. Are you saying that there's a discussion of boundaries on country, Glen or pioneer. No, there's a discussion on boundaries on another

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00:35:07.860 --> 00:35:11.980

Cooper City Hall: on there. They are discussing boundaries as a whole.

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00:35:12.370 --> 00:35:22.900

Cooper City Hall: and I wanted to make sure, after my conversation with a school Board member, he suggested that I get this letter in before that way. This can be included

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00:35:22.940 --> 00:35:39.610

Cooper City Hall: in their discussion, and it's not a boundary. It's choice. The difficulty I'm having is, I don't have the letter in front of me to approve the motion. It was in the minutes. Okay, not the minutes, the backup. But there's another one right here. I'll I'll take a look, and there's also

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Cooper City Hall: a a letter from

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Griffin

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Cooper City Hall: Elementary, which came in today. We I gave to Tedra today that stating that there are only 6 families in Griffin, and I did that because I was also told.

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00:35:57.000 --> 00:36:12.150

Cooper City Hall: because of the feeder pattern, which, if anyone's not familiar with what that is, it's you're going from an elementary to a middle to a high. So if in theory. The 6 students that were at Griffin would like to continue in the feeder pad, in which now they cannot.

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00:36:12.270 --> 00:36:28.060

Cooper City Hall: because they do not have choice to pioneer, which choice is only that if they choose to go there they can. It costs nothing for the School Board. We're not asking for a boundary change. We're only asking for them to be allowed to transport themselves

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00:36:28.650 --> 00:36:48.840

Cooper City Hall: or have someone transport them to Pioneer middle. So then, the Feeder pattern would be griffin elementary, because that is open enrollment, pioneer, middle, because they would have choice, and the the children of country. Glen also have choice to Cooper City high, so it completes that feed or pattern. Did that make sense? Yeah. But why can't they just change the boundary?

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00:36:49.000 --> 00:36:54.690

Cooper City Hall: I'm not going to ask that for several reasons, One there, and it may I answer him? Thank you.

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00:36:54.730 --> 00:37:08.860

Cooper City Hall: There are many families, and if you think about, if only 6 are going to Griffin elementary. then you know that there is a a greater number that are going to. I can't think of. There's a school in Pembroke pines that they are bounded for

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00:37:09.050 --> 00:37:21.920

Cooper City Hall: Silver trail. It's absurd, though, but i'm gonna ride you a little bicycle down Griffin Road. I'm not here. Instead of cutting across the street. You have been trying Commissioner Green come back me on this for approximately 12 years

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00:37:22.070 --> 00:37:26.100

Cooper City Hall: to get the residents of Country Glen Boundary

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Cooper City Hall: are not bounded.

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00:37:28.330 --> 00:37:29.700

Cooper City Hall: given choice

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00:37:29.700 --> 00:37:50.470

Cooper City Hall: to the schools within, and i'm saying, like, what is the real reason why they why they pioneer for the past? I don't know how many years at least 8 years has been over gross capacity. But how many kids we're talking about can't be that many for one neighbor? Not but you can't as per their as per the Brow County School Board guidelines. I cannot. When I say I I mean they cannot

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00:37:50.470 --> 00:38:07.860

Cooper City Hall: offer choice or increase anyone. Any number at the school is over. Max capacity which Pioneer has been now, because of Covid or homeschooling, or whatever pioneer is, actually has room.

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00:38:07.870 --> 00:38:21.130

Cooper City Hall: and they are not in in the red for lack of a better term. So because of that, this is the perfect opportunity to shoot that in and with the letter from and Griffith not Griffin. Sorry, country, Glen.

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00:38:21.130 --> 00:38:47.870

Cooper City Hall: I mean, i'm messing up with the letter from Griffin, stating that there's only 6 families They can see that it's not a large impact. Okay, I still think they should redo the boundary. But but I see what you're saying. Let's go with something because something is better than nothing, instead of going for a chunk, and then losing it, because for again I want to say close to 12 years we've tried and we got shot down every time. So this is a win-win. If it happens, it would be like a

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00:38:47.880 --> 00:38:58.260

Cooper City Hall: what do they call it a hail, Mary. I don't know that this shouldn't be a hail, Mary. They need to do this, but but once again I'll i'll indicate was this past

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00:38:58.530 --> 00:39:03.890

Cooper City Hall: even put to our Educational Advisory Board.

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00:39:04.400 --> 00:39:09.540

Cooper City Hall: I don't see where our Educational Advisory Board came in with an opinion of Yes.

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00:39:09.650 --> 00:39:24.210

Cooper City Hall: they want that they back it. That's why we have them to advise us. But more importantly, and I say this choice is always good, and and I I recognize that. But now you're opening up a can of worms that you're opening up

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00:39:24.250 --> 00:39:38.920

Cooper City Hall: as Commissioner Schrodinger, said Boundaries, so I suspect that the next time I don't understand that I I believe wholeheartedly. When the School Board gets this they will look at it, they will say, Yes, you're right, not doing it overcrowded. Let's now

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00:39:38.920 --> 00:39:50.460

Cooper City Hall: reduce and change the boundary, so I think, Watch out. You may get what you wish for, if at all. If the School Board of Briar County decides to change our boundaries, I would suggest that this Commission spend it.

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00:39:50.990 --> 00:40:11.560

Cooper City Hall: Whatever money we have to fight tooth in. Now we have been doing that, you know, because I mean that that's just ever since I've been May or we've been doing Well, yeah, what even before I was on, and if it didn't work, I would suggest we open our own charter school and run it like Pammer pines. The last thing I would ever allow. Willingly is our children

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00:40:11.730 --> 00:40:19.220

Cooper City Hall: to be changed? I think I think that's the statement across the board. I'm saying, Watch out! May get what you wish for

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00:40:19.280 --> 00:40:21.510

Cooper City Hall: the can of worms. Baldwin.

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00:40:23.260 --> 00:40:35.830

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Malose, and that's with the change to it being addressed to everyone which I accepted. But I just want to make sure that that okay point of order was there a motion made? I know that we pulled it, but I didn't hear a motion in a second like awards.

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00:40:36.440 --> 00:40:41.850

Cooper City Hall: I'll make a motion. There you go. Second was by Who? Catsman. Thank you.

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00:40:42.940 --> 00:40:49.760

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melody. Yes, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner Shrouder. Yes, Commissioner Green. Yes, Mayor Ross. Yes.

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00:40:50.280 --> 00:40:53.160

Cooper City Hall: thank you very much. Item Number 3 was pulled.

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, that's me. Yeah, you know I just I don't think we should piggyback.

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00:40:58.720 --> 00:41:09.500

Cooper City Hall: and I think we should be putting it out. I thought we didn't know if. hey, on this didn't we not not for document management system. This is a records management system.

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00:41:11.550 --> 00:41:14.990

Cooper City Hall: We're piggyback, and it's a co-OP that we're picking up

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00:41:15.870 --> 00:41:16.450

Cooper City Hall: and

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Cooper City Hall: we what we put in ourflow commission. I think you're confused with is the digital digitization

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00:41:23.480 --> 00:41:30.430

Cooper City Hall: of all of our community development documents to digitize those that that was on the we put that out

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Cooper City Hall: all right. So what are these. So this is a new document management system to go away from, do you wear to laserfish?

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Cooper City Hall: Is the is it the same? Comp. Is a similar company, does it? Why did I think?

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00:41:44.240 --> 00:41:46.440

Cooper City Hall: No, this is a this is a

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00:41:47.700 --> 00:41:50.600

Cooper City Hall: okay, and what

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00:41:53.730 --> 00:42:02.250

Cooper City Hall: W. What's up with the the how come? So we budget is 60. But now we're gonna have to take it's gonna be 97. We're gonna take money from

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00:42:02.860 --> 00:42:09.900

Cooper City Hall: what? Is. This other item. The other item is the Arpa 9, for it's in Arpa, but for non arpa

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Cooper City Hall: activities by the upper manager, which he's not doing

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Cooper City Hall: so. That's where it's coming from.

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Cooper City Hall: So

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Cooper City Hall: for the Arpa manager to do items that are non arpa which he is not doing. We had to if you recall we had. He was helping us on the strategic plan. So he was. We were paying him

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00:42:33.210 --> 00:42:36.330

Cooper City Hall: on on that account versus the

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00:42:36.340 --> 00:42:37.770

Cooper City Hall: our administration.

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00:42:38.090 --> 00:42:44.780

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I was really saying, it is a 100,000 that we should do an Rfp. On it, especially since it's not.

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00:42:45.440 --> 00:42:54.000

Cooper City Hall: It's not time-sensitive, you know, because we I mean I know we have. Do you wear which may not be the best, but I just think we should do an Rfp. On it, and bid it.

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00:42:54.120 --> 00:42:59.070

Cooper City Hall: because it's a 100, something almost \$100,000. I just mind being

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00:43:00.130 --> 00:43:02.810

Cooper City Hall: Richard Green. You have something. Yeah.

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00:43:02.820 --> 00:43:07.230

Cooper City Hall: I I understand. I hear that your concerns Commissioner shrouded. But I understand

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Cooper City Hall: just historically, when we're able to piggyback

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Cooper City Hall: off of things that are already in place, we get a better. We, generally speaking, we get a better deal as opposed to. If we go out. We put. We put this out to bid

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00:43:22.060 --> 00:43:34.280

Cooper City Hall: the company's bid, and there's a chance there's a possibility that it's going to come in higher than what the piggyback would would is providing. Am I correct.

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00:43:34.360 --> 00:43:38.180

Cooper City Hall: Mr. Horowitz? Mr. Napoli Ms. Allen.

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00:43:38.500 --> 00:43:48.020

Cooper City Hall: Is that generally the process, as it pertains to when we piggyback on items, because I would imagine these items that were piggy back and on.

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00:43:48.110 --> 00:43:50.950

Cooper City Hall: They've already gone through the Rfp.

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00:43:51.270 --> 00:43:56.930

Cooper City Hall: For process. They've already done the work for us. Yes, through through the cooperative.

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00:43:57.350 --> 00:44:09.030

Cooper City Hall: Yeah. But okay, If we piggy back and the price comes in higher, we could. We don't have to go through. We still do the i'm sorry if we do an Rfp. And it comes in higher. We don't have to go with that. We we can do the piggyback still when you're not restricted.

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00:44:09.070 --> 00:44:13.660

Cooper City Hall: the only thing is our procurement code has piggybacking as an exception

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00:44:14.770 --> 00:44:19.680

Cooper City Hall: for competitive, and I and I just especially with this not being time-sensitive. I just

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00:44:19.970 --> 00:44:24.450

Cooper City Hall: doesn't for me doesn't meet justification to as an exception

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00:44:25.120 --> 00:44:29.890

Cooper City Hall: you know we there is no time it's not like we have a expiring contract.

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00:44:29.970 --> 00:44:38.510

Cooper City Hall: If we don't get it done in one month. you know. If they do the Rfp. And it comes in lower, it goes lower; if it's. if it's higher. We go off the piggyback, anyway.

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00:44:40.800 --> 00:44:55.710

Cooper City Hall: It's reinventing the wheel. and as a gambling man I understand what you're saying. The odds are in our favor. But neither it goes no gamble at all. Well, I I was gonna say either. Either. It goes higher and we don't take it, and then we go with the lower. What you're gambling is for time.

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00:44:55.800 --> 00:45:01.600

Cooper City Hall: This one may not be time-sensitive, as indicated, although I think they want to get it moving. Obviously.

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00:45:01.700 --> 00:45:03.930

Cooper City Hall: But I think it's a

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Cooper City Hall: a situation where we are now

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00:45:06.690 --> 00:45:10.330

Cooper City Hall: wasting the employees time, if you will.

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00:45:10.440 --> 00:45:28.040

Cooper City Hall: gambling on, whether it will be less. But our charter requires that waste of time, with the exception of the piggyback, is an exception, I understand. I'd say with the you, you saying the charter right? It's an exception to the Charter record. No, no, no, you You have to have a reason to piggyback on right, Jacob.

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00:45:28.310 --> 00:45:41.070

Cooper City Hall: We don't have a reason here. Our Our our code identifies a number of exceptions to the competitive procurement process piggyback, and being one of those exceptions. But for what reason are we accepting the policy? We're not on a time constraint

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00:45:41.910 --> 00:45:58.950

Cooper City Hall: We we don't have a justification for that just saving time. Isn't a isn't a reason. Yeah, I I I would have heard of staff as to the reason why the recommendation was to go with a piggyback in this particular procurement situation, however, the procurement process before you was legally available to the Commission under our procurement code.

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Cooper City Hall: It you know. It's just like if if we have to do it by certain date, I get it. But we're like. This is probably a perfect example of no reason to circumvent.

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00:46:11.900 --> 00:46:13.580

Cooper City Hall: competitively bidding it.

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00:46:14.590 --> 00:46:21.120

Cooper City Hall: You know, although another organization can theoretically do, that, you know the reality is.

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00:46:21.480 --> 00:46:23.570

Cooper City Hall: you have to tailor it to.

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00:46:24.110 --> 00:46:33.530

Cooper City Hall: you know. If we were going out for Microsoft office licenses, you know, I agree. You know how you gonna get it cheaper than you know. That that's you know. But this I just think.

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00:46:33.540 --> 00:46:39.010

Cooper City Hall: with the services aspect that we're requiring. It's going to be. I know

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00:46:39.390 --> 00:46:41.040

Cooper City Hall: my opinion we should.

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I mean, I I hear what you're saying, and I in I respect

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00:46:44.130 --> 00:47:02.400

Cooper City Hall: that. Input, and I think it's well, thought I, I look at this. I mean, this is a very thorough review process that they've gone through the the the piggyback, the the folks that we're piggybacking from. I also look at the staff time. I know we talk you. You're saying that staff time shouldn't be an exception. I don't.

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00:47:02.760 --> 00:47:11.930

Cooper City Hall: I don't know if that's true or not. But to me the amount of staff time is going to go into the Rfp. And that's going to be saved by implementing this sooner

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00:47:12.070 --> 00:47:25.370

Cooper City Hall: will far outweigh doing an Rfp. If it's legal to do that, If it's legal for us to pay you back this. then we shouldn't, you know, then we should change our charter, which doesn't require competitively bidding things, I mean. But this was

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00:47:25.520 --> 00:47:28.790

Cooper City Hall: competitively big, but not for our specifications.

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00:47:29.560 --> 00:47:35.980

Cooper City Hall: Of course we might have 5 boxes to scan versus 500,000 boxes.

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00:47:36.500 --> 00:47:46.620

Cooper City Hall: Oh, so you're saying because it's it's just more things to be customized like, you know, when you want to buy a ford, pick up truck.

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00:47:46.700 --> 00:47:51.100

Cooper City Hall: We all buy the same Ford pickup truck, so it's. So you know it makes sense about the Florida sheriff's contract.

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00:47:51.190 --> 00:47:59.180

Cooper City Hall: but when we're adding in specifics that changes it. And that's why I mean we have a procurement department in the procurement department

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00:47:59.620 --> 00:48:06.680

Cooper City Hall: puts it out, and I listen. They probably don't want to. They want to probably p you back everything. But last time we did it we actually saved money

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00:48:07.710 --> 00:48:09.500

Cooper City Hall: when we did it on the asphalt.

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00:48:10.450 --> 00:48:11.950

Cooper City Hall: We did well.

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00:48:11.990 --> 00:48:20.070

Cooper City Hall: We lost money on it. No, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no! The price came up higher. But then the piggyback end up being lowers. The delays resulted in a saving money

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00:48:20.440 --> 00:48:22.080

Cooper City Hall: as it other it right.

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Cooper City Hall: We saved money. The contract we signed after that little exercise was cheaper than the one that they wanted us to. We are repeated. It was hired. I wasn't here at the time, but you're talking about. Yeah. The Rp. Came in higher. So we piggyback for a lower rate, and generally I mean that's this is a national co-OP. So it's a a a larger group in general, you get a better pricing for

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Cooper City Hall: well it but the items aren't apples to apples because of the service aspect of what we're wanting to to scan. So like I said, if you're doing Microsoft office licenses, there's no different between the license we're going to get in the in the national one, and obviously it's going to be cheaper at the national level. There's there's no reason at all

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Cooper City Hall: to do that. But when you're talking about a certain a project here, a certain amount of documents, or taking from our specific database to another one.

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Cooper City Hall: That's very specific. How are you going to? You know

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Cooper City Hall: That's

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Cooper City Hall: the items are itemized. So we're paying for the specific.

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Cooper City Hall: There's a page in in the backup that has the price list for what we're doing.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's, and it's broken out by I don't think it's in that attachment, because I think there's a total of 56 different items in, and we are what we have done is we are looking at 18 of those items. So it's it's. It's to our specificity.

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Cooper City Hall: When you're

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Cooper City Hall: if you the way it works. If I'm going to put out a price on a national level and be bound by that.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. correct. So if I want to put a price out of national level, me bound by. You're not sure

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Cooper City Hall: how difficult or not difficult you're going to get. So you you have to put a buffer in there. Otherwise you're going to be stuck with it. And and i'm saying.

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Cooper City Hall: You know, it's just

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Cooper City Hall: our documents switching over. That is a very specific task. It depends on what what software. We currently have it in, is it? Ocr? It's just very specific. We have a procurement department this isn't time-sensitive doesn't matter if we do it now or in a year later. Really Doesn't.

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Cooper City Hall: Why wouldn't we just. you know, competitively bid it see if we're getting a better price.

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Cooper City Hall: and if not, we would go on it. There's no there, there's no issue in the delay. It's not like the crossing guard where they're not going to show up in the kids, you know. That was good. That was a different issue. This is just the project. Yeah. So on a Commissioner, try to understand your concerns. And so i'm going to address this to the city manager and staff.

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Cooper City Hall: So i'd imagine, based on the cover based on what i'm hearing commissioners shrouded, say, in terms of the the current system that we're using. You know. What is that going to look like when we're switching over?

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Cooper City Hall: I would imagine, since this is a this is a nationwide co-OP

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Cooper City Hall: generally. So.

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Cooper City Hall: generally speaking, I would imagine there's going to be municipalities that have used similar software if not the same that we're currently using

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Cooper City Hall: and so as a result of that.

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Cooper City Hall: this national, this national piggy, but piggyback.

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Cooper City Hall: I would imagine that they have looked at those at those various items

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Cooper City Hall: to address the small, the the larger municipalities, and the software's hardware that they use versus the the the smaller municipalities. Like the town of Davy, they just signed their agreement through this national co-OP for

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Cooper City Hall: but different prop. Was it for laser fish? Yes, they're going through a lot of stuff so a lot of ta a lot of cities use this national co-OP, and they use it because they can get a better rate. And I would, and I would imagine

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Cooper City Hall: the rate that Davey is getting is not going to be the same rate that we're the the the rate that Davy is going to pay for the services that are going to be rendered

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Cooper City Hall: for them. It's going to be entirely different than the rate that we paid

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Cooper City Hall: based on volume. Okay, thank you. That's all. So can I ask the question any further. Yes, go ahead.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, I saw Aaron shaking his head, so I didn't know if you were agreeing or disagreeing, so that would be one part of my question.

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Cooper City Hall: and the second part is, if this is not time-sensitive.

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Cooper City Hall: what do we lose by putting it to an rfp other than staff time. So I guess, Aaron, you're up, and actually probably the biggest from my perspective. The biggest issue probably is staff time, and what I mean by that is, we've got roughly 101 different contracts agreements in place.

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Cooper City Hall: They are roughly 50. 50 half of them are done internally by our staff, and the other 50 or so or other co-ops, or spig it back in, and of that nature.

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Cooper City Hall: as you know, or as you remember, i'm sure we had a consultant here last meeting, saying that the procurement Department

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Cooper City Hall: really need some additional staffing. If we were to try to

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Cooper City Hall: issue out Rfps for all of our agreements.

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Cooper City Hall: We just simply don't have the staffing to do that. So cooping piggybacking does relieve a lot of the stress and screen that would be on that group that we're being told

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Cooper City Hall: is already over, you know, overpressed.

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Cooper City Hall: and so that that would be one of you know, just offering that as full of all for your your consideration as one issue that I think needs to has to be considered

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Cooper City Hall: 50%. We would essentially be saying, if we're going to go out and test the market with each one of these to see if our

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Cooper City Hall: procurement process is better than the co-OP before we decide, to use the co-OP. Then we're increasing. We're doubling the the work of. Did anyone suggest that we

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Cooper City Hall: go out for each contract and do that?

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Cooper City Hall: I'm often full for fall, sir, I mean you can. You can To my. The issue with this is, say, you have a price here. It's

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Cooper City Hall: national price for systems, engineer rate per hour is 225. Okay. But you don't have in here and Rfp. On how many hours it's going to take for us to do that.

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Cooper City Hall: So if I and and also like Commissioner Green said, yeah, they probably look at all the different software. Yeah. So there are some software's are probably more difficult

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Cooper City Hall: to translate the documents to convert the documents over than others. But if i'm going to put out a rate per hour, and i'm not sure which software that the Government is going to use. I got to put one out that's going to cover my butt either way versus saying, hey, we have this system. We you know it's just it's not time-sensitive. It's just an improvement to our our actual document retention.

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Cooper City Hall: They don't have to do it tomorrow so so just to be clear. If if we do an Rfp.

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Cooper City Hall: And the price comes out higher, we can still opt for this co-OP. I I mean I

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Cooper City Hall: I was leaning toward the other way. But but you know, because of the the elaborate discussion we've had, and I do understand where you're coming from, Commissioner charter, I mean I go ahead and and support going for an Rp.

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Cooper City Hall: On one vote.

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Cooper City Hall: Richard Green, did you have anything?

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Cooper City Hall: And i'm going to echo what I've already said. But i'm going to pick you back on what.

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Cooper City Hall: Mr. Kendrick.

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Cooper City Hall: we're going to. We're we're

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Cooper City Hall: we we're we're going to what we're asking our staff to do who's already burdened with other responsibilities and duties. We're going to ask them to put this out

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Cooper City Hall: into your point earlier Mayor.

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Cooper City Hall: It may it. if it comes back.

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Cooper City Hall: if it's, if it comes back. Oh, by the way.

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Cooper City Hall: the Co-OP, we should have used this process because we're going to save money.

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Cooper City Hall: Now what we have done is we've taken the limited amount of staff that we've had. We've had them to do additional work

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Cooper City Hall: right taking them away from other things that that they can be doing To do this, and the results would be the same again.

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Cooper City Hall: I I hear what the Commission is saying with regards to. Well, there's no harm in there there. There's no harm in waiting

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Cooper City Hall: the there there's no harm in waiting, but we're not just waiting. We're we're asking Staff

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Cooper City Hall: to do additional work to say, okay, now, we have the Rfp. This we have to put this out. Now we have to wait. It has to be competitively bid right. And so now that information that work is going to come back, someone's got to grade that they've got to manage that.

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Cooper City Hall: I would imagine, Mr. Kendrick, Mr. Napley, that's going to be the burden is going to be on staff to do that.

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Cooper City Hall: That's true, and, like I say, the it's just using the numbers, like I say roughly, 50 to 50 is what we

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Cooper City Hall: currently have. and so

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Cooper City Hall: every time you choose to

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Cooper City Hall: do it internally.

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Cooper City Hall: when there is an option to do it through piggyback. Yes, you're increasing what you you're increasing.

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Cooper City Hall: so the burden will be on your so the the burden will be on Miss Allen's department in your department. Correct? Yes.

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Cooper City Hall: generally. And then there's always. This is just a rule of time, but nothing nothing. You're guaranteed, of course. when you are p it back in on a national agreement that that level of competitive is is greater than what we're doing here at a local level.

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Cooper City Hall: and so they are. The margins can be much smaller, and so they can. They can get a lot tighter with the numbers that they do because they're going to have them much huge volume.

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Cooper City Hall: And so those agreements, often not in every case, of course, or

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Cooper City Hall: better and more competitive than what we are able to do here with the do a number of vendors that we would have to to bid on these

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Cooper City Hall: who, if it's all just you know, let me know what the what the situation, and I appreciate that. And and I appreciate that, because that's absolutely valid.

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Cooper City Hall: But I want to draw the Commission's attention to prior commission meetings.

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Cooper City Hall: What we have. We have asked your staff

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Cooper City Hall: right as as it pertains to the audit

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Cooper City Hall: the march 30 first deadline, or the that you have asked for an extension for that, to make sure that we come in on time to the State.

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Cooper City Hall: as it pertains to the audit, as it pertains to any particular findings or anything like that.

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Cooper City Hall: You have come before this commission before

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Cooper City Hall: saying, hey, we're going to need additional time in order to address

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Cooper City Hall: the commission's concerns, as it pertains to the audit, as it pertains to ensuring that we get that information into the State on on time, whatever, that whatever that timeline is at the State level.

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Cooper City Hall: This is going to. This is going to. This is going to take away from that.

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Cooper City Hall: And so if this commission, by a majority vote, says, okay. Well, we want to continue

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Cooper City Hall: down this down this path.

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Cooper City Hall: Know that it's going to impact other things

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Cooper City Hall: that we do in the city

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Cooper City Hall: that the Commission has asked Staff to do it's going to have an impact on that. That's all. That's all I have. Thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. no. I was just gonna to answer Commissioner Mylosi's second question on the time the the

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Cooper City Hall: we we don't have any times constraint on this other than it's being funded by Arpa, so it would just have to be complete by the end of whatever the end of fiscal year 23

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Cooper City Hall: I mean the end of calendar year 24, so we have time. Can I have a follow up with it?

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Cooper City Hall: So

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Cooper City Hall: so one more question to you, since we have a very extensive rfp here.

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Cooper City Hall: Is it possible that if we decide for Staff to do our own? You can

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Cooper City Hall: take this information, some of it, not the information that i'm just asking. I don't want to.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm laughing because it sounds like a simple question. But yeah, that's what you would do, and like you said it's almost here save you. It will look the short answer. The people who do the audit and the finance department are not the procurement people. Okay, give me a moment. I'm with you on this one, sir.

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Cooper City Hall: We can raw Peter to pay Paul here. We all we often take a template from a previous

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Cooper City Hall: issue, or Rfp. Or whatever you know to build upon, to create a new one.

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Cooper City Hall: However, that is just one stage of the process. Of course the the the development of the RFID.

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Cooper City Hall: Then leave the other stages of the process, and so it's not the it's. It will help with that part of the process. But that's the beginning of it. And so

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Cooper City Hall: yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: And this is something I want to point out when you guys have, I know. But I just want to point out. So so like there is. Well, this is for everything. So there's a price, for you know the public portal subscription right? That's going to be the cheapest price you're going to see on that, you know, like I, the user fees, because that's going to sing

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Cooper City Hall: well in this particular project we have a high

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Cooper City Hall: amount of hourly involved because of the transition. So it's like. If I ask you, Greg, how much an hour to represent a criminal case.

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Cooper City Hall: you and if you had the bid

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Cooper City Hall: and give it, and it could be any type of criminal case. You're going to put one in hourly in there that could cover anything versus if I came and said, hey, how much for an open container? Oh, that you know that's not as big a deal like a you know misdemeanor. You know you're drinking your

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Cooper City Hall: I just think because of the amount in this particular.

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Cooper City Hall: They're covering all their bases, and we're hitting very hard on an hourly rate. We're using a big portion of it on hourly rate, right? And that's what we want to

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Cooper City Hall: land the plane. But yeah. I just want to know, roughly speaking, how much additional time we call

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, to do the an additional Rfp. Of this nature

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Cooper City Hall: by that

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Cooper City Hall: let me preface it without only guessing, sir. But

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Cooper City Hall: given that we're gonna work all the template that someone else is already like to say kind of created whatever our staff is gonna have to go in there, and we're at over to our template. naturally gonna have to run that past all this, the general counsel. Then we're gonna have to issue with that. So that's another 30 days. So

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Cooper City Hall: out on the street.

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Cooper City Hall: and when that comes back we're going to have to do the evaluations. A group of team. So we're going to have to select individuals, we on that evaluation process. They're going to go through that process and make a selection and then run it through

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Cooper City Hall: our normal approval process internal.

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Cooper City Hall: So from beginning to end you're probably adding another 60 days

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Cooper City Hall: easily. I would thank to the whole process. Thank you. And we don't have to do. We don't have to start now. We could do it, you know. You could start in December when when procurement is not as busy like, I said. This is just an improvement.

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Cooper City Hall: you know it's not something, you know. I use document now, and it's not the best. It really isn't, but you know you could still find stuff. It's really really difficult. And

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Cooper City Hall: it was. It's difficult, because when they switched it wasn't managed right. They didn't tag the things and name them, and it's so I know it's more work, but I think we'd be better off, making sure. Well, there's no doubt that

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Cooper City Hall: upgrading to laser. This will be a significant upgrade for man from documents definitely or or whatever is chosen. But, you know.

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Cooper City Hall: do we need to move on from document, and I almost not to add any more work to it. But I almost think when, if we are, if it and we write that scope.

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Cooper City Hall: The scope

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Cooper City Hall: should be kind of specific on how we want to index, so to say.

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Cooper City Hall: our records, because right now, in document, it's basically not indexed. And you know we we need to make, you know. You try to go look for a resolution, and it's like

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Cooper City Hall: it's a nightmare.

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Cooper City Hall: So do we have a consensus. Then to have this

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Cooper City Hall: brought back the As a. Rf. P.

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I'm: okay.

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Cooper City Hall: All right, then let's have a Who who wants to make motion, and and what kind of motion do you want to make? Because right now it's written down to approve the P. Of that i'll move to Rfp: this Item. Okay, we've got a motion.

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Cooper City Hall: and whenever this doesn't have to be time sensitive. But you want, you say the audit. But these different people, the the procurement people don't work on the audit.

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Cooper City Hall: but i'm not saying that they have. Listen. They have waste management coming up. I'm not saying anything. We have. We have other ones that's coming up. But you know they 2 different people. Okay, I got a motion and second call to Vote

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Moses. Yes, Commissioner K. Yes, Commissioner shrouded. Yes.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Ross, I'm: Sorry, Commissioner Green.

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Cooper City Hall: You're demoting me.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: we'll move on to Item Number 6. That that is a discussion.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm: sorry

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Cooper City Hall: is it. Okay, if I take 2 min of your time, I just want it to. You all know, Given that this is my last meeting with you All I did want to just stop and take a quick moment to say thank you for the opportunity that I've been given here at the city at Cooper city.

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Cooper City Hall: I've really. I've enjoyed my time here. I love the folks here. I want to thank you personally, Mr. Mayor, for

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Cooper City Hall: what I would consider to be your your time and again now for coaching, mentoring, and already above, while I've been here. And

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Cooper City Hall: and I just want you to know that it's been greatly appreciated it doesn't go unnoticed.

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Cooper City Hall: and and I just want to thank you. I can say personally in public, and and I would say to the public that the father of the city is really a good guy. And so from from this person's perspective to Mr. Commissioner Green.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, what can I say? You're the You're the people's, Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: all the people behind that wall back there. That's how they view it as how they see you. That's how they take here. And so I want to thank you as well for all of you.

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Cooper City Hall: Your support that you've given during the time that I've been here as well, and to the city manager. Can't say enough.

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Cooper City Hall: I want to thank you for your guidance and your leadership

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Cooper City Hall: for your coaching. I'm not joined.

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Cooper City Hall: and for you, just

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Cooper City Hall: or the goodness in which you have approached your job.

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Cooper City Hall: and let us to be able to see how we need to approach our job. And so I just want to thank you as well for, like I said, everything that you've given me since I've been here, and i'll

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Cooper City Hall: I'll be in sure to

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Cooper City Hall: I try to impart that on others as I lead a city.

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Cooper City Hall: and of course to the new folks here, we didn't have a whole lot of time together, but I appreciate the change, or I would say that the the the switch into the dynamics of the Commission there

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Cooper City Hall: I I i'm not gonna promise that I'll be watching every commission meeting. But as I

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Cooper City Hall: keep in, i'll be looking forward, of course, to see what

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Cooper City Hall: great new things that I expect from you all because I from what I've learned from you those for I i'm. I'm feel confident that you will bring a new strong dynamics to this commission, and so.

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Cooper City Hall: and and to commission or shrouded.

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Cooper City Hall: You say it to me one time, You say you know we don't disagree. We just both passionate. and I agree with that, and so I I, and so

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Cooper City Hall: I I appreciate your passion. I you know I know a lot of business. I'm i'm just I think we both are, and I think we both just have to remember that sometimes. And and and so I know you bring that to your job. And so I appreciate that as well. And so to all of you up there.

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Cooper City Hall: I do want to thank you, and I won't. Hold you any longer. I appreciate the time, sir, Mr. Mayor, and thank you, and

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Cooper City Hall: best wishes to all, and Cooper City.

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Cooper City Hall: and and we thank you for what you've done for Cooper City. You've played a wonderful foundation. You came in at a very difficult time, handled everything that we needed to do. And you're going out on the high, so wanted to say, Thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you all. Appreciate it

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Cooper City Hall: in your next capital. All right. Next thing is item number 6, discussion, possible action to name and open it to the solid waste. Municipal delegates. Obviously, right now i'm the chair of the SW.
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Cooper City Hall: due to the election. We've lost the alternate, so we do need one. As things are moving

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Cooper City Hall: on this very quickly, so I I can safely assume that for the past 2 and a half, 3 years I haven't missed one of them. I like the idea of having the alternate there, because it's always a good thing that they get involved. Understand this, and and hopefully follow through after i'm done

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Cooper City Hall: so.

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Cooper City Hall: I need a motion for an alternate.

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Cooper City Hall: I i'd like to do it

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Cooper City Hall: so I've got to commission a green and commission melody. I'll move to make Commissioner Green the alternate second

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Cooper City Hall: all about

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melody. Yes, Commissioner, Commissioner, Commissioner, Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: we agree on his garbage. What did you say? Everything we agree on his garbage. This is garbage moving on to discussion and possible action on including a business and volunteers spotlight on future agendas. Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: This is easy, and it's a no-brainer.

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Cooper City Hall: I had said to the city attorney, I and to Carlos

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Cooper City Hall: that I would. Like everyone that owns that is, that has a business license in Cooper City, whether it's a home based business, or whether it's a brick and mortar business

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Cooper City Hall: to have their name and a fish bowl, and once a month we pull

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Cooper City Hall: a name out of the fish bowl. Everyone has an equal chance, and we give them a 3 or 5 min. Whatever the Commission decides on spotlight.

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Cooper City Hall: and that they could. We could promote our

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Cooper City Hall: our local business. And then, at the last meeting, Mayor, you had. I don't remember her name, but you had a child who had received a volunteer

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Cooper City Hall: award

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Cooper City Hall: again. I don't remember her name, but I was. I thought that was very nice, and I was looking at it, and I i'm I'm not gonna quote verbatim because I don't remember it exactly, but I believe she had volunteered somewhere in Miami over the summer at a program, and that's wonderful.

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Cooper City Hall: But when i'm looking at that i'm like, wow, we have children here that have. I mean, I can just go by my 2. They have hundreds of volunteer hours. We have a man on 108 that during his daily walk picks up the trash. We have adults that volunteer with

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Cooper City Hall: our sports organizations, with cancer organizations, with

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Cooper City Hall: PET organizations. We have a ton. We have a plethora of volunteers in the city, and I thought it would be nice if we did a nice spotlight. We have a yard of the month, because we take pride in in our city. Let's take pride in our volunteers, because it's one of the things that makes us special.

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Cooper City Hall: So I thought we could alternate, since the majority of the months. We have 2 meetings. We could do one meeting, because I don't want to take a lot of our time, but one meeting. We can do a business spotlight. One meeting. We can do a volunteer spotlight, and then I thought with the volunteer it can be done several different ways. One was, it could be

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Cooper City Hall: quadrant, 1 2 3 4 at large, and or

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Cooper City Hall: and there could be a where people nominate volunteers, and I had spoken to the people at the Education Advisory Board, and asked if they cared if they went over the applications. If it was an application, and the people that I spoke to had no problem with that.

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Cooper City Hall: and I guess i'd like to hear feedback. I know that when we did the I'm. Going to call it the State of the Union. But I I don't want to paraphrase the President. State of the city. There you go.

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Cooper City Hall: Judy, Paul, and Mary Paul also does something similar to this in their city. They do a business spotlight. Years ago I had brought something like this up.

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Cooper City Hall: It was not that the Commission at the time did not like it. I'm hoping that this commission, since everybody wants to be business friendly, would approve and like this, and i'd like to hear from my colleagues.

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Cooper City Hall: How did I do? Oh, you'll find out Commission. It's not a green.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't have a problem with it. If we're going to like the fact. If we're going to spotlight the the business, and or the volunteers that graciously give up their time here in the city have no problems with it.

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Cooper City Hall: That's all I have mentioned. Charter.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. The 2 2 things, and my first concern with the businesses is the small concern

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Cooper City Hall: I I don't know if we should be. I don't want something to come off as an endorsement of of of someone's service.

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Cooper City Hall: because we don't have the ability. Nor should we be in the business side upon a vetting

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Cooper City Hall: businesses. But if the Commission did choose to spotlight, I don't think it should be. I don't think it's as effective at the meeting. I really don't think many people watch these meetings.

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Cooper City Hall: It would be more effective to put it on the the

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Cooper City Hall: but it should be cable channel thing that rolls all the time, because like the the little video. No, the videos on on the comcast thing. These like channel 78 yeah. Channel. 70 Our thing rolls all the time

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Cooper City Hall: like it's rolling. How often does it go?

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, so it's th that actually would be like free TV advertisement for them

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Cooper City Hall: i'm using.

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Cooper City Hall: I thought it would be nice if we did something to help them, because a lot of businesses post Covid. are having issues, whether they are out of someone's home or their brick and mortar, or or on the in the new. The email blast. To me those those avenues would get more attention than then. The few that come here

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Cooper City Hall: because they're essentially have strange hobbies like us, you know government, so that that would be that second of all. We're not all business friendly.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm not business friendly. I don't I I do not subscribe to the fact that our our job is to be business friendly.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, I was

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Cooper City Hall: predecessor.

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Cooper City Hall: Both happen to be very busy, Friendly? I'm: not necessarily. I'm. Not necessarily. Business, friendly or not. Business friendly. What I am is I know that we have business in the businesses in this city that pay us

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Cooper City Hall: taxes, 100 bucks a year. But whatever whatever it is, it's money, it's that much less money that I have to take from my residence. I was a

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Cooper City Hall: the TV thing would be.

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Cooper City Hall: I want you to be able to randomly help. So with you know, potentially 12 businesses a year. It's not a lot, but it's better than Yeah, no. And I think it's a a very

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Cooper City Hall: good idea to highlight the pieces of Cooper City that make us special

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Cooper City Hall: the businesses, the volunteers, the yards, etc. I do love the idea of highlighting in the Newsletter social media, etc. My only thought is

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Cooper City Hall: on the selection. I don't want this to become over complicated, but at the same time I would want to make sure certain things are being considered meaning. They're up to date on their taxes, you know. They have no liens, no code issues. They wouldn't be in the bowl unless they the vetting process would, if we're going to do this, would have to

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Cooper City Hall: make sure they're on the up and up with the city. I'm not saying we investigate them or check what industry they're in, or any of that. But at the bare minimum.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. No, no, no, code violations. They pay their business taxes.

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Cooper City Hall: etc., and then I

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Cooper City Hall: I would suggest having some sort of way of selection. I get the I like the fish I

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Cooper City Hall: I just don't want to need, ready to feel excluded. And same with the valid volunteer spotlight like you were saying, having nomination, so

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Cooper City Hall: it just don't want to have an issue down the line where people are like. Oh, you only picked these kind or something. Why, I went for the fishbowl. Yeah, everybody, whether we have a 100 businesses, or we have a 1,000 businesses. They're all one piece of paper that no one can see, and if it's a glass fish fall.

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Cooper City Hall: and that's that was when I spoke to the attorney. That was one of his concerns. It's like, oh, well, if you put it to like, let's just use us, and if you put it to us, people can say that we're straight, because oh, this is my friend owns this company.

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Cooper City Hall: but if it's everybody's in a clear fish bowl, and I can't see, and I just, you know, Go! It's almost like picking a you know any you know a anything, and then I open it. And I go. This is ABC blue glasses. And what if we have like a

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Cooper City Hall: like a combination like this, like a special on, or like a whatever on our community or whatever. And they do a little video. You know what I'm saying like a like videos about our businesses. Oh, no, all of it the whole thing.

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Cooper City Hall: you know the volunteer. Did you do like a little

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Cooper City Hall: video on like? Have our Pio interview the business and interviews like a series, you know, like what you know. Yeah. Profile, you know, profiling all because you could do the volume. You do it all same, little video, and you can run it on the thing that's fine.

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Cooper City Hall: as I mean. Again, if you all are in agreement, i'm happy. I'm not a marketing expert. So you I think You know what i'm talking about

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Cooper City Hall: like a series a series that's like, you know.

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Cooper City Hall: But but still you need the

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Cooper City Hall: you have to have a process to select. And so you guys would come up with that process and tell us it would have to be. I would have to be some sort of a a policy, I think, on on how they're selected, but at

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Cooper City Hall: I mean. and then we would have to determine.

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Cooper City Hall: You know what content is, provided, you know, for the businesses, and

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Cooper City Hall: well, the Pio is filming it.

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We have.

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01:19:02.590 --> 01:19:18.740

Cooper City Hall: He's got to have something like that, like a community spotlight on. I understand that, you know, and but i'm just saying that we'd have to develop, you know, develop number one, though I think the selection is the most important, because then we're going to be, you know. Why Why are they? Why are these being spotlighted, and why are

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Cooper City Hall: aren't the other? So some sort of random selection, like melancholy with was indicating, or we develop, a process where we hit every every one of them eventually. But that would that would take quite a while

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Cooper City Hall: in their little newsletter that I get somehow, somebody said email. They do like a taste of the city, and they go into different businesses and like, try the in like spotlight, whatever. So I whatever you'd have to do, some type of little criteria. Why, don't we? We'll put some. Why, Don't, we put a little thought into it and on.

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Cooper City Hall: But I where? What are we leaning towards? Then? I like the randomness, because I didn't want anyone to say that. Oh, i'm favoring this over that. So that's why I like the fish full idea where everybody had an equal chance, and if everybody wanted to.

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Cooper City Hall: But if everybody in that

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Cooper City Hall: nominated someone for a volunteer going on. Sorry if everybody nominated someone for a volunteer. We could do the same thing, fold that name out, put it in a fish ball, and then

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Cooper City Hall: say, okay, Mr. Smith is the volunteer of this month, and then we can have a a 3 min profile on Mr. Smith. I just wanted to make sure that it was 100% random. I know that a member of staff had said.

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Cooper City Hall: and I've I've used this with

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Cooper City Hall: other agencies that I sometimes volunteer for. There's a program that you could input everything into your phone

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Cooper City Hall: and then your phone will randomly pick whatever is inputted. but because people can't necessarily see. And some people are cynical.

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Cooper City Hall: I didn't want to put it in the phone because people couldn't necessarily see that

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Cooper City Hall: all of our businesses are in that that list for for lack of a common word. That's why I figured the fish bowl was a visual. You could see that there are several 100 names in there, Bam. And

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Cooper City Hall: again, just now that everyone has spoken, let me just remind this commission that on prior commission we voted it down. and we voted it down because the attorney at that time said

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Cooper City Hall: the same concern that Commissioner shroud ahead was, it could be interpreted as an endorsement.

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Cooper City Hall: and then the selection process was also the issue.

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Cooper City Hall: I truly believe that, and and it seems like we're bypassing all our advisory boards as it's been brought up to the business Advisory Board? Have they suggested? Have they agreed with it? And have they included the home businesses which i'm not sure they would want to or not. But this

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Cooper City Hall: is more problematic than it is preferable or beneficial. I should say

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Cooper City Hall: so, and and when it's brought up this way, i'm all in favor of the volunteer spotlight. I have no difficulty with that. When when you volunteer and you do good things, you should be recognized.

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Cooper City Hall: But this is brought up

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Cooper City Hall: as a combination. I'm sorry I'm not done

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Cooper City Hall: so as a combination. I don't agree with it. and I will say now that

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Cooper City Hall: as far as businesses, even if we put it on Channel 78. Now everyone understands Cooper City

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Cooper City Hall: as a whole is endorsing it.

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Cooper City Hall: and what we're doing is highlighting. I'm not sure. This is the best method

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Cooper City Hall: to help the businesses. I'm not sure the businesses would appreciate it. I haven't heard from the business advisory Board, so as it stands now, I am not in favor as it reads

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Cooper City Hall: and it and and I think i'd ask I I really would. I'd ask to go back and have the city attorney take a look.

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Cooper City Hall: There may have been a written opinion on that or not. I don't know. I don't recall. It has really been a while.

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Cooper City Hall: but it has not been in effect for that

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Cooper City Hall: long time because of it, and I I have to be consistent and stay with that

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Cooper City Hall: point of information

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Cooper City Hall: I spoke to the current sitting right next to you, city attorney, and

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Cooper City Hall: he liked the fish bowl because of the No.

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Cooper City Hall: I can't think of the word that he used, and I don't want to put you on this. That's right. Go for it, and in and in Mayor Commission question. I did have an opportunity to speak about this item last week. I called her as I was reviewing the agenda, and and raised some of the concerns that are being addressed this evening.

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Cooper City Hall: I think Commissioner Shrouder hits the nail on the head, as does the former city attorney, based on the Mayor's comment. My real concern was the manner in which a business was chosen or selected.

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Cooper City Hall: whether that was by this commission or by a committee, but without having some stated, clear criteria. It would give me some concern in the context of an endorsement or a recommendation being made by the city to a particular business within our community the randomness.

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Cooper City Hall: what we call it a fish bowl or a raffle that I want to use the word raffle, because there are separate legal issues with regards to using, you know, the the the concept of a raffle or a game of chance. But the drawing out of a fish goal may alleviate some concerns. If there is an interest in moving forward with this opportunity tonight, I would suggest that this entire process should be embraced in a policy.

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Cooper City Hall: and we'd like the opportunity to work on a policy with your professional staff. And as part of that drafting process, we'd review all of the legal issues reference this evening. How would the betting be done after you select.

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Cooper City Hall: which would be too late

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Cooper City Hall: again? And that would be part of the consideration. Because If you put all of the businesses in the city in a fish bowl.

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Cooper City Hall: you may select a business without knowing whether or not that business has code violations. Well, but they would. They would be in the fish bowl if they

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if they met

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Cooper City Hall: the no-code violations have a current business license. But but but again and again, just thinking out loud, Commissioner, that would put a burden on your staff to constantly update the pool of businesses in the fish bowl, as violations may occur. So we just want to make sure I do offer my children to go through and find if a business does not fit go through it.

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Cooper City Hall: I love making them work. It's a win-win, but I I think I think, if I remember correctly, Commissioner Green Commissioner Catsman, commissioner, shrouder, and myself were in favor. So that would mean if.

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Cooper City Hall: if, if, if if the direction of the Commission is to your staff to bring back a policy or to draft a policy. We would look at all of these issues from a legal perspective as part of that process. We'll handle it separately. We'll ask for the policy on the business first, and then on the

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Cooper City Hall: backing down a little bit. I I think maybe we should just

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Cooper City Hall: ask Staff to go out and look and see if there is a program that someone else is doing. We can kind of look instead of

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Cooper City Hall: all right. Just take a look and come back like a little more preliminary that. So we don't have to get too far into draft, you know, like let's see what's out there. It might be easy. It might be difficult.

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Cooper City Hall: Alright. Commissioner Grain, you good with that.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, and I'm only absolutely my only additional to on that is, you know, we have the Davie Cooper City Chamber of Commerce, and once they join the chamber

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Cooper City Hall: depending on where they're at

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Cooper City Hall: depending on where they're in Davey. If the new business is open, if they join

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Cooper City Hall: the Chamber. If a new business is open, I know that the Chamber members I know that if it's in Cooper City, if a new business is open. It has open historically this commit members of this, this, this Commission and prior commissions have been there in support of those businesses that are part of

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Cooper City Hall: of the Chamber, not necessarily a part of the city. And so

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Cooper City Hall: my question would. My question is, so. Are we going there because

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Cooper City Hall: they are part of the Chamber. Are we acknowledging them because they're a part of the city? I think it's a combination of both. We're actually doing both. We're recognizing both for their membership in the Chamber, but also for being here in Cooper City. Recognizing that we businesses have an opportunity

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Cooper City Hall: to be successful, to thrive here, and we always want we. We are there.

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Cooper City Hall: in a sense, endorsing the fact that they are in the city. So

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Cooper City Hall: to your point

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Cooper City Hall: I believe that this can happen we if we have a policy in place that speak that addresses all of the concerns that I've heard up here. But I don't. I don't see how it would be a bad thing

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Cooper City Hall: to spotlight. particularly since Post Covid. where businesses have struggled

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Cooper City Hall: economically, socially.

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Cooper City Hall: being in a position where we can not endorse them. But, hey, this is a business. They are here in our city folks. You could do what you want. You can go and support them. You do, but we can have

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Cooper City Hall: that's all that's all I have there you mentioned to a shrouder.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, the same thing. I just well. Why don't they take a look at what's out there and see if it's easy to be accomplished easily.

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Cooper City Hall: Everyone good on that idea. Yep. Let's do that. Then you have direction

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Cooper City Hall: moving right on to Item Number 8 discussion of possible action to limit the height of any future structure in Cooper City to no more than 50 feet without a variance

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Cooper City Hall: Commission melody.

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Cooper City Hall: I brought this up when we were going through in earlier in the year. There was a structure that was looking for a variance of a 100 feet, and one of the

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Cooper City Hall: structures that was mentioned was the church on Palm and Shard and next to Renaissance, the Baptist Church; how that was 87 feet. So in my my own research.

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Cooper City Hall: I drove past there several times, and in my opinion that thing stuck out like a sore thumb. It was ginormous, and it bothered me to no end. And I there's a program that you can measure, and it was 400, and

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Cooper City Hall: I want to say it was 420, something feet between the church and the homes of Embassy that are right across the street.

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Cooper City Hall: and I know that we have coming up where, if you are to follow the Broward County

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Cooper City Hall: code, or if you are 20 feet, you can be this tall 30 feet this fall tall, etc., etc.,

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Cooper City Hall: but in and and that's wonderful.

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Cooper City Hall: But in addition to that, i'd like to cap it, because that I look at that one structure, and I do not want that in my neighborhood. I do not want that. If if I lived an embassy right there it's, it's just in my face. It is enormous, and it's only 87 feet, and currently we allow up to 100.

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Cooper City Hall: So I had measured on my own in my car, but I couldn't pull over how far away I had to be before I saw the steeple, and I was a block and a half to 2 blocks away, and i'm staring at it and granted I was looking for it. But

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Cooper City Hall: that was during the day at night, when it's lit up. You can't miss it. It is a beacon, and it's beautiful. I'm not taking anything away from the height. I mean not anything away from from the structure. Very nice. It's there.

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01:30:40.540 --> 01:30:47.870

Cooper City Hall: I just don't want to have to deal with any more of that, because I don't think that it's representative of us as a city.

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Cooper City Hall: I think that we are a bedroom community. I think that we have the majority of our residents are here.

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Cooper City Hall: They are in two-story homes, summer or in apartments, but the majority of them are in two-story homes, and to have a structure that potentially could be a 100 feet

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Cooper City Hall: in your bedroom, community, I think, is just a what's the saying in your face? Smack in your face, or I I I don't want to say it improperly, but

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Cooper City Hall: I I don't think it fits.

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Cooper City Hall: and because I was so bothered by that, i'd like to

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Cooper City Hall: see if I if I have my fellow members that agree that we should lower it to 50. And then, if someone wants something taller than 50, they can ask for a variance. But this way 50,

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01:31:36.890 --> 01:31:51.740

Cooper City Hall: if and still 50 if you think about a two-story home, and then a 50 foot structure again. Even if we go with the county it will be X amount of feet. Away. And then cap it at 50, and that would, in my opinion, make me happy, and

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01:31:51.820 --> 01:32:11.210

Cooper City Hall: I think, down the road again. We don't have a lot of land, but then we can ensure that anything that's redeveloped anything that is developed. We're not giving an eyesore for lack of a better word to our residents that that are living here, and i'd like to hear what my colleagues have to say, and I spoke to the

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Cooper City Hall: city attorney, and that is something that

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Cooper City Hall: we could not to, not to quote you, but you could. We would have to change things. But it's something that could be that could happen. Yeah, and if I may just that point, for the position was in Mayor for your permission, please. The only comment the Commissioner and I did speak about this a little bit that we would want to look at a little bit is because this would impact the entire city. Unlike the item that's currently been drafted to go into P. And Z, which would only affect the X one zoning district. We would just want to do a little research from a zoning perspective. There is a private cause of action in Florida that the legislature is created. It's known as the Bur J. Harris Act.

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Cooper City Hall: which essentially gives property, owners the right to bring a cause of action against local government when action of the local government inordinately burdens that private property owners rights or their existing use or perspective use of their property.

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Cooper City Hall: So we would just want to make sure that there would be no issue with regards to restricting height in the city that might otherwise create a challenge under Brj. Harris, but absent that issue. This would be something for the Commission to consider, and if the Commission wanted to move forward with this item this evening would certainly do that research and bring back the appropriate item. May I ask a question, City Attorney?

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01:33:16.280 --> 01:33:16.910

Cooper City Hall: Sure.

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Cooper City Hall: in reference to that? And I understand that act

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Cooper City Hall: I I am going to I to just to make it easy for anyone that's watching it's. You cannot restrict me. I have to have to be able to develop my property, and I understand that.

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Cooper City Hall: But what's to stop me from saying i'm not restricting you from developing your property? I'm limiting the burden of height because

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Cooper City Hall: it's it's

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Cooper City Hall: something that is an eyesore, because there are cities in Broward County that have height restrictions within their boundaries. Right? So again. It is not unheard of. We would just want to do that research as part of our process and bring back a potential ordinance. Okay. But but I guess my question really

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Cooper City Hall: becomes which code are we talking about? Because this is a code Change City? What do this? This? This would be a text amendment that affects all zoning districts. This will be a citywide changes. I understand. Commissioner.

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01:34:09.220 --> 01:34:10.210

Cooper City Hall: Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Green.

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01:34:14.970 --> 01:34:19.790

Cooper City Hall: Thank you, Mayor Ross Commission Melody. I respectfully disagree with you on this one.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, for a number of reasons, one being

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Cooper City Hall: that, and I think the the mayor alluded to it just now

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Cooper City Hall: that and the city attorney has alluded to it that this would be a citywide. a change that would that would impact the Impact Cooper City.

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Cooper City Hall: We already have in terms of our the zone into different zoning areas. We already have

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Cooper City Hall: ordinances or things in place

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01:34:51.990 --> 01:35:06.590

Cooper City Hall: that says, okay, if you're if you're developing in this xy zone, you know. Here is the height. You can't go higher than that, and if you want to come in with something higher you have to. You have to come in with the with the variance.

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01:35:06.590 --> 01:35:18.850

Cooper City Hall: We've already have established precedence in terms of what we have, and I understand your point, Commissioner Melody, you you would be talking about future future development here in the city.

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Cooper City Hall: I just don't know if that is the right. if that's the right course of action to go, because at the end of the day.

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Cooper City Hall: to Mr. Horowitz's point.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, depending on what it is that comes in, and we're almost the city's almost built out. But let's say hypothetically.

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Cooper City Hall: and I don't know if this would ever happen. Let's say we were to get a hotel, little mom and pop Boutique hotel that came in

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Cooper City Hall: right.

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Cooper City Hall: and they're looking to develop some piece of property here. and which will require

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Cooper City Hall: these change. Some of these change. They have their the structures in place, you know, we would really limit their ability.

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Cooper City Hall: We would create an a an undue burden on them, and i'm not saying that this is going to happen. Heck.

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Cooper City Hall: I would love to have a hotel here, but I don't think we would. but

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Cooper City Hall: I don't I I don't want to get. I I don't feel comfortable with saying just

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Cooper City Hall: right across the board to any developer, hey? Nope, you're not gonna be able to go

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Cooper City Hall: higher than 50 period when I know

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Cooper City Hall: that we have structures already

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Cooper City Hall: higher than 50. That's all.

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01:36:38.960 --> 01:36:45.220

Cooper City Hall: I I think the intent is is good. I just think going about it, and that method is

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Cooper City Hall: can result in on

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Cooper City Hall: anticipated consequences. So I really think we should go by zoning district. We should. We should start like we want to do with the industrial and and I'm not saying we have to stick with the counties. But i'm saying we should have something more restricted similar to theirs.

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Cooper City Hall: instead of 400 feet. Maybe it's 5 or 6, but a blanket one, I think, would have a lot of unintended consequences. You know. I I plan on annexing half of Davy in the Cooper City.

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01:37:13.720 --> 01:37:16.130

Cooper City Hall: you know. So that would have an effect. That's a joke.

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Cooper City Hall: But you know what I mean. We have to think you know we're thinking of the conditions that are as of today.

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Cooper City Hall: but you know. So I I I believe we now that we're entering the phase of from development to redevelopment. We need to review this thing, but really we should go by district is the one that we brought up Last time. I I would like to start with industrial.

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01:37:40.110 --> 01:37:44.780

Cooper City Hall: No, no, they're gonna bring it forward to us, and it could maybe a 100 is if you're a 1,000 feet away.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. I mean you, You said

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01:37:49.500 --> 01:37:55.360

Cooper City Hall: correct right right now you get 100, no matter what needs to change.

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Cooper City Hall: We I think it needs to be a tiered one based off of. But there are like a lot of

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Cooper City Hall: experts in this area, and I just don't want to. you know, adopt something

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Cooper City Hall: with good intentions, and have unintended consequences. because I really would like in the future as to be stricter on the variances.

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Cooper City Hall: and so that basically if we went by the letter. Well, they can't just come to us and ask for they'd have to. So

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Cooper City Hall: i'm with you. I just think we got to be careful on a a broad stroke. Thank you. So

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Cooper City Hall: I I like this idea.

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Cooper City Hall: because, you know, we represent the residents.

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Cooper City Hall: and the residents

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Cooper City Hall: have been very clear across the board

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01:38:40.090 --> 01:38:45.160

Cooper City Hall: that they want to restrict height in this community in this bedroom community.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm. I'm hearing my colleagues give

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Cooper City Hall: reasons, you know why we might want to look at it a little more segmented, and I can respect that. That's why I wanted to re rewrite the land use. Code. I, you know, and I wanted to get get that.

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01:39:00.410 --> 01:39:05.230

Cooper City Hall: You know our staff to work with a consultant to help do that all at once.

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Cooper City Hall: That was not supported.

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Cooper City Hall: But i'm okay, doing it in parcels or pieces by zoning district. But ultimately i'm. I do agree with Commissioner Melody that we really need to work on height restrictions, because that is a clear direction we receive from the people we serve. So, however, we do it.

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01:39:22.510 --> 01:39:26.400

Cooper City Hall: I just want to be very clear. That height needs to be considered

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Cooper City Hall: myopic in your viewpoint, because when you say we got direction from the residents, it was on one church.

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Cooper City Hall: and it was a mosque.

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01:39:36.230 --> 01:39:41.210

Cooper City Hall: That's the only time we really ever added a full village discussion on height.

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01:39:42.510 --> 01:39:46.140

Cooper City Hall: And so, looking at it myopically, he may be right

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01:39:47.190 --> 01:39:51.870

Cooper City Hall: looking at it totality. One solution does not fit all.

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01:39:52.790 --> 01:39:56.480

Cooper City Hall: and changing the rules. Midstream

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Cooper City Hall: now for future is not fair to the others.

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Cooper City Hall: so I have no difficulty when you look at whatever

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Cooper City Hall: zoning district and you want to review it. Let's review it.

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Cooper City Hall: I have no difficulty in reviewing. but it ultimate

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Cooper City Hall: sweeping change like this is not

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Cooper City Hall: good for cooperating. May I respond about the

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Cooper City Hall: you're coming? So

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01:40:24.650 --> 01:40:37.850

Cooper City Hall: I I disagree that it's a myopic view, because I heard from residents who flat out, said that they do not think anything in Cooper City should ever go higher than that, and I heard that so many times, and I know i'm fairly new at this.

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01:40:38.010 --> 01:40:39.870

Cooper City Hall: but it was ingrained in my

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01:40:40.280 --> 01:40:50.140

Cooper City Hall: in the middle of my brain that resonance do not want to go higher than 50 feet. If i'm wrong. I presume all the residents will show up at the next meeting, and tell me that i'm wrong. But

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01:40:50.580 --> 01:40:55.560

Cooper City Hall: I did hear that loud and clear, and I don't think it was about a myopic issue, but I think it was beyond

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01:40:55.910 --> 01:40:58.960

Cooper City Hall: that issue. That's my my opinion.

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01:40:59.270 --> 01:41:03.820

Cooper City Hall: Thank you, Commissioner Catsman. I appreciate that, and I'm going to echo what

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Cooper City Hall: what Mayor Ross has stated earlier, as it pertains to

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Cooper City Hall: do, we allow for our advisory board, our business advisory board to weigh in, weigh in on this historically P. And Z.

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Cooper City Hall: Which is comprised of our residents, have

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01:41:22.610 --> 01:41:27.180

Cooper City Hall: most recently. and it was shot down. But P. And Z.

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01:41:27.290 --> 01:41:31.610

Cooper City Hall: That approved for the Tower to be a 100 feet.

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Cooper City Hall: So that was

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the variance.

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Cooper City Hall: and that was that was our residence, saying that it was okay. Now I know that this commission and it's wisdom, said

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Cooper City Hall: that's a variance. The red, the the the residents came out. They were very passionate about that. I believe that this this Commission saw that took that into into consideration, and made the right decision

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Cooper City Hall: that was for

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Cooper City Hall: an end for a particular structure.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't know if

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01:42:07.550 --> 01:42:10.790

Cooper City Hall: I I I hear what what is being said.

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01:42:10.930 --> 01:42:14.740

Cooper City Hall: I'm thinking that the 50 feet across the board

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Cooper City Hall: is almost a knee-jerk restrict a knee jerk reaction to the most recent things that occurred here in Cooper City. I don't believe that it's one size fits all.

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Cooper City Hall: and so, as we are moving forward. I do agree that

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Cooper City Hall: you know, when you talk about Commissioner, you talk about looking at the starting with different zoning and seeing how we can tighten it up. I agree with that.

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01:42:42.990 --> 01:42:53.420

Cooper City Hall: But I don't believe that one size fits all, and I don't believe that our residents are going to believe that one size fits all that's all.

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01:42:53.550 --> 01:43:02.420

Cooper City Hall: Actually no action to be taken on it. We had a 3 people saying that they would like it in a zone, so if we could, then potentially have we had

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01:43:02.480 --> 01:43:14.220

Cooper City Hall: 1 2 3 of them actually, and I would agree as well if we so 4 of us agree that instead of across the board, look at it on a zoning level, so we could do one zone at a time and look at

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01:43:14.260 --> 01:43:19.350

Cooper City Hall: the height, restriction, instead of making it across the board

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Cooper City Hall: you referring to.

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01:43:21.590 --> 01:43:41.080

Cooper City Hall: But that's already coming up right right. But it's coming up with a distance. No, no; that zone is coming up. No, it's not with a distance. No, no, no! That zone is coming up. No, it's not with a distance. Wait until it comes up, and we can figure it out. Okay? Well, we could correct what's coming up then? Right? The goal is well. My goal is with industrial. Is that the one. Yup!

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01:43:41.080 --> 01:43:58.050

Cooper City Hall: Just start doing this one right. The truth is, we probably need to have a workshop eventually. I'm, not doubting that. But tonight is not the time for that we have item number 9 motion to proven authorized purchase of a new challenge, caterpillar gp 25 and dual fuel

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Cooper City Hall: pneumatic tire lift truck from kelly tractor to the utilities department in an amount not to exceed \$43,200, utilizing the 2023, the 20 through 23

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Cooper City Hall: current florida sheriff's association for contract, for heavy equipment, and a contingency in the amount of 5,000 to cover, unforeseen, related expense by commission and green by commission, and Katzman Commissioner Green.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm. Good sir, and K. Catchman Good.

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Cooper City Hall: All the book. Commissioner Melody.

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01:44:33.960 --> 01:44:41.970

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Kasman. Yes, Commissioner Shrouder. Yes, Commissioner Green. Yes, yes, Mr. Mayor, before we move on. Sorry to.

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Cooper City Hall: but I do need some clarification on the

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Cooper City Hall: item on the business spotlight, and the volunteer spotlight was that direction for both business and volunteer to look what the pre practices are out there.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, Thank you.

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01:44:56.900 --> 01:45:02.170

Cooper City Hall: I'm sorry. Were you asking me for the commission? I thought you said Mayor. I may have been wrong.

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Cooper City Hall: I I was asking for guidance to whether it include both business and the volunteer. Okay, I i'm still against the business, but I think we all agree to review it for policies.

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01:45:16.200 --> 01:45:22.060

Cooper City Hall: Okay, just check it out like nothing. I'm saying, I I Still, you know Google, it not a problem.

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01:45:23.100 --> 01:45:25.830

Cooper City Hall: I. I just wanted to make sure it was both that yeah, not a problem.

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Cooper City Hall: And we have ordinance 23, dash 8,

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Cooper City Hall: and that would be Jacob. Thank you, Mayor Commission. The item is an ordinance of the city. Cooper City, Florida, submitting to referendum, proposed amendments to the charter of the city Cooper City, and thening Article 3 entitled Legislative in a particular Amending Section 3.0, 2 entitled Qualifications Elections in Terms mending Section 3.1 0, entitled Vacancies for features of office and filling Vacancies

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Cooper City Hall: Amending Oracle 5 and titled Financial Procedures Mending Section 5.0, 2, entitled Submission of Budget Message mending Section 5.1 3 entitled Requirements for Public Bidding, providing for consistency with Florida Law, related to the publication of Legal notices under special conditions, on a publicly accessible website owned or designated by Brown County, providing that this ordinance, when adopted, shall be submitted to the qualifies electors of the city of Cooper City on the November fifth, 2,024 general Election ballot shall become effective as provided by law.

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Cooper City Hall: fighting for advertising in the referendum referendum election providing for conflicts fighting for severability and fighting for Excuse me, codification and an affected day. Thank you. Do we have a motion? Yes, some of by Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: That's kind of that was commissioned to Green Commissioner Charter.

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Cooper City Hall: There's a new green. I'm good sir. Commissioner Katsman. Yes, I need to. I'd like to say some, so I I fully support. Putting this on the ballot. My only

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Cooper City Hall: point of discussion I've had with staff is.

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Cooper City Hall: if we are able to put it on an earlier ballot with no additional cost. I would. I would like to be able to do that. So I have Miss Allen looking into how much it costs to put an item on

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Cooper City Hall: on a ballot in an offcycle for Cooper City. So if it I don't we don't know at this point, and she's she's.

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Cooper City Hall: The item is currently referencing the November general election number 2,024. There actually are 2 other elections in Cooper City in 2,024 there's the presidential primary. It will occur in March, and there's the primary in August.

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Cooper City Hall: Both of those ballots are typically available, subject to confirmation from the Supervisor's office. So I would refer to the Commission and and to the clerk's office, as it relates to that timing.

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, hold on, i'm confused.

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Cooper City Hall: I thought the charter was already changed, and our ordinance just need to be fixed.

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Cooper City Hall: This required No, that this is the the charter which actually requires newspaper advertising and for specific instances. Yeah, this is the one. Yeah. So so basically we're asking the residents to allow us to not advertise in the Sun Sentinel or a newspaper, but for the for. Yep, correct. And we just want to take out these exceptions

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Cooper City Hall: which makes sense. So i'm just asking if if it doesn't cost us any more money that we can go on an earlier ballot. and then we'll actually be able to save more money for the residents. Is that am I making sense? Yeah, okay.

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Cooper City Hall: I I see it. But look, it's not a legal issue there. I would just it. Just a cost issue. I just want to make sure we don't have to pay

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Cooper City Hall: more to get on it, we should adopt it soon. Correct. So you know what it's like, so so Miss Allen's looking into the cost. For example, we don't have anything on the Presidential preference.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. ballot, or whatever it's called. How about this? Can we put in there at the

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Cooper City Hall: at the first where you need to identify an election.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. So then can we just go forward with what we have, and then on the second reading switch it. If you get your answer. The the only challenge is, we need to advertise the title for second reading and the the election date has to be in the election. It is now what what I would suggest. If there is direction from this commission

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Cooper City Hall: to our office and to the clerk, we can confirm between first and second reading hopefully and adjust. Now, if we need to push back the advertising of second reading to the second meeting in April, that also could be an option. There's not a timing issue that this matter be heard on second reading at the next meeting we could just move it so this could be heard on second reading, the second in April.

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Cooper City Hall: if we pass it to, if it was passed on first reading the 9, and we can still make the amendment of the date. But correct, is there? Yeah, there, there, there, there's there's no issue with regards to timing of this item, because the election wouldn't be until 2,024.

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01:49:36.340 --> 01:49:40.810

Cooper City Hall: And really I I interpret the charter to allow it as as we stands

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Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. in the interim. I think, because it'll all change. So i'm willing to

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Cooper City Hall: get a determination by the Commission on the interpretation of the current charter until a change is made. Would you be okay with that.

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Cooper City Hall: All right, we. My My interpretation of the current charter is because it'll all change.

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Cooper City Hall: I would deem publish in the newspaper also to be an authorized website or a website authorized by Hello.

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01:50:12.510 --> 01:50:19.410

Cooper City Hall: and and just keep on the the only item of the 3 proposed changes which may have some

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Cooper City Hall: application during 2,023, is the requirement that the public workshop on the budget in July be advertised in the newspaper. The other items pertain to

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Cooper City Hall: vacancies for future of office, and I think one relates to procurement.

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Cooper City Hall: Let's handle it separately, so can we go with the

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01:50:40.920 --> 01:50:54.590

Cooper City Hall: push out? Second reading long enough to you to get the answer on the election date. That'd be okay. And then on a second issue, my interpretation of the current charter is websites authorized by general law

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Cooper City Hall: on a publicly accessible website authorized by general law, is currently allowed.

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Cooper City Hall: but well. it's a difference of opinion by a term. No, no, No. But if we vote by majority to accept that, then we're the interpreters of the chart. No harm, no foul.

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Cooper City Hall: So you 2 separate. Most

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Cooper City Hall: anyone have anything further to discuss on either one of the 2 most.

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Cooper City Hall: So there's only been one motion make point of order. There's only been one motion that was made Commissioner shrouded Hasn't. There Hasn't been a second motion made to Commissioner Shrouded's Point.

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Cooper City Hall: Go ahead, if I may.

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Cooper City Hall: What what I'm hearing is Commissioner Shatter is making a motion to adopt the item on first reading, as drafted with direction to the clerk to confirm the election date, and then we would come back on second reading at the second meeting in April once that's been confirmed.

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Cooper City Hall: No, but that'll be the first item that first time, you second. Is it right? Anything further. Commissioner Molosi. Yes, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner. Yes. What I think, what Commissioner Shrouded is saying as relates to his second item is this item depending on when it hits the ballot in 2,024 won't. Take effect until that election

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Cooper City Hall: between now and the time of that election, Mr. Shrouded is interpreting the charter to believe that we already are authorized to advertise on the county's website that the Charter amendment is essentially a housekeeping item to go to confirm the requirements of State law.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. Specifically, I interpret published in one or more newspapers of general circulation.

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Cooper City Hall: or posted on the city website at City Hall

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Cooper City Hall: to also

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Cooper City Hall: include publicly successful websites authorized by general law.

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Cooper City Hall: So I guess my question to that is, it Has the clerk actually

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Cooper City Hall: prepared and ready

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Cooper City Hall: with the website today. Cities can utilize it for advertising

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Cooper City Hall: on our website, or they're still in the process of getting that all in place. No, no; but we just interpret that, and when it is available it's available.

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Cooper City Hall: So point of order. Mr. No, go ahead. I just want to make for the point of information. I'm sorry

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Cooper City Hall: it is the commission's role to interpret the charter under Florida. Well, the Commission gets to interpret. So if we determine that now terms that are indicated in that

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Cooper City Hall: charter element include

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Cooper City Hall: counties website.

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Cooper City Hall: Then we can move forward, and, if I may, barring some unforeseen situation during the current calendar year, the only time this will be an issue is when the city publishes its notice of the Budget workshop over the summer.

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Cooper City Hall: The only risk is somebody challenging the absence of newspaper publication as a result of the Commission's interpretation to publish on the county website, and I'll give you a comparison. The current charter requires every check to have 2 signatures on it

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Cooper City Hall: so.

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Cooper City Hall: but I've never seen the Mayor. His signature appears on it. I've never seen him in your signing checks

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Cooper City Hall: usually coming. So

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Cooper City Hall: so how does that happen? Well, we essentially interpret. He has an image. There's an image

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Cooper City Hall: that's printed on it, but he's not the person clicking hit print him, and she doesn't really approve the checks.

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Cooper City Hall: So things change over time.

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Cooper City Hall: and I believe electronic

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01:54:34.140 --> 01:54:40.070

Cooper City Hall: website is also down in the definition of newspaper. Richard. I I agree with

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Cooper City Hall: what you want. I really do. It's there. Let's utilize it.

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Cooper City Hall: The difficulty i'm having is the rush to it, meaning

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Cooper City Hall: I don't want to have any difficulties with what we do by someone coming back and say and challenging it now a minute to the long haul.

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Cooper City Hall: whereas if we just wait until this is passed by referendum. Then I have no problem.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, then, no further motion on that. We'll move on item, number 11 ordinance, 23 dish 9.

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Cooper City Hall: Alice Jacob. Thank you again. Thank you, Mayor Commission. The item is an ordinance of the City Cooper City, Florida, amending the city's code of ordinances by amending chapter 2, entitled Administration article, 2 entitled City Commission, by specifically amending section 223 entitled City Commission Candidates Residency providing for Consistency between the charter and the city's code of ordinances regarding Residency Requirements for candidates biden for codification, fight for conflicts, pride for severability providing for an effective day.

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Cooper City Hall: You have motion

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Cooper City Hall: so moved. Second Bye

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Cooper City Hall: Region Green.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm. Good. Thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: I brought this up at my at the staff meeting on

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Cooper City Hall: this this on the analysis, but also on the ordinance in a section 2 2 3

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Cooper City Hall: subsection. One says a current valid Florida driver's license. but I pointed out to Staff that not everyone drives. So I was wondering if we could add slash

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Cooper City Hall: state Id or Id card.

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Cooper City Hall: because again not everyone drives. But there are non driving ids. I believe they're called an identification card.

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Cooper City Hall: but that I wanted to know if that was going to be at. If we could add that on there, just to be inclusive of everyone. And then I guess then just make sure that in the back up the page, one and 2, which is a supplemental number 3 on the same

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Cooper City Hall: subsection. It gets changed there as well.

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Cooper City Hall: I would say something like Florida Driver's license, or

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Cooper City Hall: and it has your address on. I mean, I know they always right. Yeah. Well, yes, you can do that. That's why it has to be like you can't have a school. Id I just can't picture what it like any that wouldn't. But

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Cooper City Hall: yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: and you could do this between first or second reading.

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It would be nice where, when it says

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Cooper City Hall: the one year. This is the route where it says one year

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Cooper City Hall: throughout there's several items where it says one year. or

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Cooper City Hall: as prescribed by the charter or the time. You know what I mean. It'd be nice to reference the charter.

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Cooper City Hall: You know what I mean, Jacob. Is there a language you can think of? So we're basically setting it in the charter, and then the ordinance is supposed to implement the charter. So what happens now is we change the charter. We didn't change the ordinance. So there was a conflict.

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Cooper City Hall: So if there is language you can come up with it, says one year, or as prescribed, or the time prescribed in in the in the Charter. no difficult.

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Cooper City Hall: the lesser of one year or the time prescribing the chart, or something like that.

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Cooper City Hall: If something, if you can come up like that, and we could do it on second reading, or now, whatever you want, we'll, we'll bring it back on second reading, if if that's if there's consensus to embrace that change, just so in the future we will not to change the ordinance. It just.

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Cooper City Hall: We will change by sorry

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Cooper City Hall: anything for where she got.

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Cooper City Hall: I asked Mr. Horowitz about this, and I don't know if you have a

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Cooper City Hall: have an answer yet for us.

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Cooper City Hall: but i'd like to include in the oath, or somewhere in there, where the candidate lists all of the addresses that they've lived at during that year. and the reasoning is because it's a. It's a snapshot in time. When you file.

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Cooper City Hall: meaning the day I file. I can live in Cooper City. but yesterday I might have lived in Davey.

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Cooper City Hall: and because my driver's license my water. Oh, I just got my water bill today, hypothetically. And my.

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Cooper City Hall: what are some of the other? A lease could say. Today's date.

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Cooper City Hall: I

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Cooper City Hall: may have lived somewhere else yesterday, so i'm asking

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Cooper City Hall: a year. So what i'm saying is all of the documentation that we're providing is only indicating that day

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Cooper City Hall: technically.

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Cooper City Hall: how can you prove when someone made affidavit? Well, you know you. You included in the other. They're signing that you're signing that one. You? No, you don't have to.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, but you and and there's I don't see why anybody we have an issue with. I mean, you're just saying I I like it. It's more turn to where you live. Yeah, it's not. Yeah. But if you have to recall, so you're you what i'm hearing you saying, Commissioner Cassman is that when someone is going to be administer the oh.

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Cooper City Hall: I declare that I've I've lived here here

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Cooper City Hall: here here, if it's multiple residences

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Cooper City Hall: here in Cooper City. or that meets the requirement as it pertains to the charter. You want. You want the individuals to to to state

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Cooper City Hall: all of their addresses as opposed to do you. Have you lived here for a year as prescribed to the charter, and you have provided the documentation that

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Cooper City Hall: that that supports that. The documentation doesn't support that. The documentation says, I live in Cooper City today

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Cooper City Hall: so like, or the date, My, I don't ask for 12 months of water bills. You just ask for a current one.

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Cooper City Hall: and it may, and and doing it this way, will show 12 continuous months as opposed to for a month. They may have gone out away and lived in their mother's house.

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Cooper City Hall: So yeah, that that right?

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Cooper City Hall: Because when you have to it's clear as to

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Cooper City Hall: the oath, says, Have you lived here. or I know it's we're reconciling the 6 months versus the year. What have you lived here for a year continuously for a year.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, you're You're signing that under oath. Correct? Yeah. But it doesn't say it. It says like, Have you met the requirements? It's okay. But have you met. Okay. But have you met the requirements but everybody that if they are applying for if they're running for a a seat.

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Cooper City Hall: they're gonna come in. What are the requirements. Well, you have to live here for a a minimum of a year. You have to. You have to demonstrate proof of that that you have lived here

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Cooper City Hall: for a minimum of a year.

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Cooper City Hall: So to your point, Commissioner Catsman, let's say one of these individuals that was here early, one of the the Missed Epi, who's been here for 34 years.

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Cooper City Hall: more than 34 years, i'm not going to call her an old lady. Better not. I'm not. I've learned my lesson. I've learned the era of my ways.

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Cooper City Hall: but she has lived here for 34 years. She runs for office

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Cooper City Hall: She lists. One address on the form she lists the address that you've lived at for the past year.

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Cooper City Hall: but she's going to provide that information to the city clerk when she is quality as a part of the qualifying documents she's going to provide that. How long have you lived here? Well, I've lived here since blah blah blah right?

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Cooper City Hall: She doesn't have to say that the only question is. Please list the addresses that you've lived at during the past year.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't see what the home it's. It's required in the Charter to live here for continuously for a year. So all we're saying is, what are the addresses You've lived out this year. If you've moved across the street. I I but fine. Let's both addresses. Okay, you list your current, you know I live in the same house.

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Cooper City Hall: for I don't know 8 or 9 years. I list one address. If you move. That's fine. Just list the other address. So we know that you lived in to address. But but here but my to my point to that is, if it's. If I've lived here for solid years, none of your business.

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Cooper City Hall: the number of places that I've lived so long as I've met the requirement. But how do we know about the requirement? And why are we asking for a driver's license and a water bill, and and all the other one at any time.

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Cooper City Hall: So

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Cooper City Hall: how do we know that it? Okay. So if if a person says i've lived here for 34 years.

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Cooper City Hall: right?

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Cooper City Hall: And she comes in and she says, hey, I've lived here for 34 years your your to your point you're saying, Well, how do I know that you've lived there? You only have one resident

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Cooper City Hall: or 1 one address.

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Cooper City Hall: Who's to say that the person could say, Well, maybe they're fabricating. Maybe they've made it up. How are you going to determine that? Are you going to now? Can start? There is a question that makes it. It. It makes it more clear

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Cooper City Hall: that comes in with a complaint or something.

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Cooper City Hall: If the if someone challenges it, the clerk is required by law to take it to court. We've seen that. So what I'm saying is, make it easier for the clerk. Make it easier for the candidate to make it easier for

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Cooper City Hall: for everybody

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Cooper City Hall: to just list the addresses you've looked at for the past year, and so I can say, and to your point they can list those addresses, and then I can say, Well, i'm going to challenge that. And so now the burden of proof goes to the city to go to validate to corroborate. Okay, Well, you list this: address, this address, this address. So now we're going now the city is going to have to do additional research to determine if that's accurate right.

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That's what i'm hearing. No, they have to do the research. Either way. The the issue is whether or not the person is in trouble, because they lie on the earth or not. So the current who says

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Cooper City Hall: I, hereby certify that I meet the qualifications?

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Cooper City Hall: Well, I could tell you right now, if if you try to take somebody under our ordinances right now, like I thought I met at the ordinance, said 6 months this one says one year, i'm sure, Mr. Horowitz, that's what we're reconciling. Correct. Yeah. And if I may, the the oath that candidates take is spelled out in the charter section in front of what it essentially says in the operative language

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Cooper City Hall: is that the candidate they are a candidate for office of of Commissioner for Cooper City, and that they have resided continuously in the district which we now say in the city and the City Cooper City for at least one year immediately prior to taking this over.

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Cooper City Hall: So when when you come in to qualify, that's the oath you attest to, and certify that's not actually what's that? That's not actually those that signed. I'll pull up the one that's signed, and it's not it.

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Cooper City Hall: It's, it's a generic one from the State. It does have a form. There's a separate form, but there's also our candidates, both in the city code that we're looking at, but that's not the one I just. I guess I just have a

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Cooper City Hall: Why is it an issue to ask our candidates to list their continuous addresses over the past year. If the goal, why am I asking for a driver's license, a water, Bill, a lease, any of those things, if I so the goal of that is ultimately to prove that they live in Cooper City.

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Cooper City Hall: Right? I couldn't agree with you more so while you but this isn't a but, Commissioner Cassman, this is an additional step, so I have to produce my water bill. I have to produce my light, My, my, my, my light bill, my driver's license may or may not say Cooper City. It may say, Hollywood. For that matter, I may a a and I'm gonna have to produce all of that.

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Cooper City Hall: So in addition to that.

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Cooper City Hall: if I have moved, if I have moved around here or throughout Cooper City, and I've stayed at several residences

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Cooper City Hall: here in Cooper City, and I've done that for a year. The question that I, my I I'm coming back to this. Okay? Well.

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Cooper City Hall: if I'm presenting you with the information. and i'm signing under oath

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Cooper City Hall: that should be the standard. If someone challenges that if someone challenges that. Then. Okay, someone has challenged that. Now you have to

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Cooper City Hall: providing drivers license. Any sort of Id any sort of documentation because I swore an out, saying that I lived here. There's no different. Let let let me bolster your argument. Commission catch him.

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Cooper City Hall: So we were just discussing short-term. We could have an individual

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Cooper City Hall: rent in Cooper City

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Cooper City Hall: from place to place to place on short term Reynolds for a year. I want to know

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Cooper City Hall: about that individual before I vote for him, and if he's now swearing under oath that he's merely lived here for a year, I want to know under what circumstances, where he has lived

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Cooper City Hall: that will tell me. Wait a minute.

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Cooper City Hall: you you're You're not vested in the community. You're here renting 3 out of you know, 7 days, and then the rest of the 4. You rent it in different place. You're not what I call a a permanent individual, so you have someone who may rent

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02:07:46.510 --> 02:07:54.460

Cooper City Hall: for 3 months at a time, 6 months, or maybe a week at a time. I want to know about that person. I want that transparent. I want the information out there.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't see where it's. It only helps find out more about the individual. Okay? And and and I hear what you're saying with regards to that right.

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Cooper City Hall: That's that company that will come up. If there is a challenge to that. I I understand. I I understand the end goal. The goal is to ensure that

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Cooper City Hall: people that are running for office here in Cooper City. They actually reside here in Cooper City. I completely understand that

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Cooper City Hall: if i'm if i'm a testing to the fact that I because correct me if i'm wrong. When that challenge came up

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Cooper City Hall: just recently at the last Commission meeting the Commission at the time the last election. I'm: sorry the last the last election, the Commission at the time said, okay, hold on.

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Cooper City Hall: Let's have the city clerk. Look at that.

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Cooper City Hall: Let's have the the city attorney to weigh in. We had a joy judge to weigh in on that. The just came back and said.

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Cooper City Hall: it meets they meet the qualifications. No, that's not what I i'm, i'm. I'm. I'm i'm i'm. I'm. I'm. I'm i'm i'm paraphrasing but that but that is

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Cooper City Hall: that is loosely what occurred in the last election

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Cooper City Hall: question.

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Cooper City Hall: Yes, okay. I want to make sure. So what's the difference of someone potentially living in in multiple houses or someone

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Cooper City Hall: that's lived in the same house, but only goes there one day a week for an hour to grab their stuff and then leave, but they don't live there. They're there. That's the but i'm just saying No. So you're gonna to sit there and not a rabbit hole.

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Cooper City Hall: What? You're going down a rabbit hole. Right? You're talking about that. This is no but but but so let me out, said with love. Okay, here I got my species. So

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Cooper City Hall: you have someone that could have lived here for 20 years. But now there.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't know, checking up or living somewhere else, or in the process of buying something else, and they're only going to their place

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Cooper City Hall: one day a week for an hour to pick up mail, and then they're going back to wherever they're staying. Is that person living here

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02:10:13.550 --> 02:10:15.090

Cooper City Hall: in affirmation? Right?

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02:10:15.320 --> 02:10:29.640

Cooper City Hall: So it's totally different. We're not. They've lived, they've owned this. But if they if they if they're if they're theory of of checking whatever i'm Just if their theory is found

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02:10:29.780 --> 02:10:31.810

Cooper City Hall: to be that egregious.

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Cooper City Hall: they they would get prosecuted

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Cooper City Hall: right now. They're they're not signing anything.

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Cooper City Hall: the oath, the the statement of candidates just says I, I affirm I meet the qualifications for the position, but that is the qualification. But that how do we know? I mean, you try to go to the same thing. You're just making it more specific. You're locking them into the statement, because if you try to go.

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Cooper City Hall: The people in Monterey, Max Max's area. It shows up as parrot pines right? So if they go on down a pair of pines in in in in sign the same forms to run for May or there, and you try to prosecute them. You're not going to be able to like. Oh, I didn't know.

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Cooper City Hall: I didn't know I, that my water Bill says Pepper pines on it, or my my thoughts. You're locking them into it that way, because our clerk is going to look at the face of the document. They're not going out and doing this investigation.

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02:11:20.560 --> 02:11:24.650

Cooper City Hall: So it's just locking them in. Do you live in Cooper City, Yes or no.

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02:11:24.830 --> 02:11:38.270

Cooper City Hall: And and what are those addresses? So you can't be that it's that's not. You're not asking him to define you. You just want to go with the address you're asking them if you're going to ask people who live behind. Does anyone who live behind Christ, the Rock thing they live in Cooper City.

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02:11:38.700 --> 02:11:41.130

Cooper City Hall: I guarantee some of those people think they live in Cooper City.

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02:11:41.400 --> 02:11:53.320

Cooper City Hall: I guarantee they'd have to look on the line. Yeah, a certain line item. But Commissioner shrouded I I I They could differ. And here is why? Because the people behind Christ to rock

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02:11:53.420 --> 02:11:56.020

Cooper City Hall: when they get their tax Bill. It's not going to say

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Cooper City Hall: they Cooper City. It's gonna say, Davy taxes. This is the at the so they're gonna know that they live in the town. Are they on our water, Bill?

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, they can be. They could be on our water, bill, and and they might. But you're absolutely correct in that

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02:12:13.200 --> 02:12:19.300

Cooper City Hall: right? And so to your point. If that individual came in who who's on our water Bill?

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02:12:19.450 --> 02:12:30.250

Cooper City Hall: And they they're paying property taxes to David when they have to sign under the oh, the candidates! Oh, do you reside in Cooper City? Can you produce that?

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02:12:31.420 --> 02:12:37.670

Cooper City Hall: They're gonna? If If they don't say no. that can be challenged right to your point.

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02:12:37.850 --> 02:12:40.420

Cooper City Hall: That can be challenged. Okay, Well, wait a minute.

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02:12:40.740 --> 02:12:51.480

Cooper City Hall: Let me see your property. Let me see your property tax, Bill. Well, i'm a I'm a renter. Okay, then show them, then prove to me that you have. You have rented there. If it's right.

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02:12:51.750 --> 02:12:59.400

Cooper City Hall: group to me. and if a person is living here in Cooper City, hey? Look! I'm a renter. Here is my proof of residency.

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Cooper City Hall: If I have to have a sign affidavit By the by, by my the lease agreement, I can produce that right.

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Cooper City Hall: The least agreement is one of the options right now, but it's not for 12 months. It's just current right you either have. If you're going to require the document, you either need the

documentation for the entire 12 months, or you need to, instead of doing that, and of all that they need to sign something on their oath

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Cooper City Hall: right? But then it goes back to my point of can hear me now. So

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02:13:27.760 --> 02:13:43.230

Cooper City Hall: you go into house. For 20 some of years you've lived in it. But then, all of a sudden, now, for whatever reason, you're not living in it. Now I have documentation that I bought this house 20 some years ago. Here's my closing papers. Boom I

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Cooper City Hall: doesn't mean I'm living in it correct? That's why that's why that documentation is not even the the better way to go it's really should be on a sworn affidavit. But if I'm but does. But just because i'm swearing on the after David so fine, you want to have them swear I live in this city for a year. But

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02:13:58.750 --> 02:14:30.600

Cooper City Hall: I can. Again. you need to define living because is the person that's going to their house once every once a week for 2 h. That's the fine. By law that there's plenty of case law that defines your domicile. There's plenty of it. They have it in the context of of getting homestead exemption. They have in the context of the military. You don't have to live. You could have an address in Cooper City and be overseas for 20 years, and you know. So there's there's plenty of of of law that defines the Residency. We don't want to recreate that

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Cooper City Hall: if you let's pretend you were older and had a house for 20 years.

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Cooper City Hall: and you used to live in it. But now you're for whatever reason you're in the middle of buying a place somewhere else, and you're fixing that up so you're spending all your time there, You're only coming back here once a week to grab mail. Are you living here, or you living up there?

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Cooper City Hall: I I know, but i'm just, I can tell you on it on the Florida Constitution. What is home? Said? What is permanent? Intent to abandon it. You know it's a very complex thing, but we're not asking for reference to the Constitution.

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02:14:59.000 --> 02:15:08.910

Cooper City Hall: But no, because you also have Federal law. And but so that there's a problem. So you'd say this where you've lived in the last year if I've lived in Cooper City, whether I rent

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Cooper City Hall: or whether I, I I live, or what happens if you had a massive flood, and you had to go live at your neighbors for 3 months that are across the street.

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Cooper City Hall: They're still in Cooper City, but they can't live in their house. It's gonna have to be. You could go live in pines during that time, but it says you're still a resident. It doesn't mean that you're not still here. I I agree with you so. But if you sign in, if you have them saying, Sign a sworn after David. I've lived in Cooper City for a year and have them, but I don't see, because just

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Cooper City Hall: so, if even if I lived in 5 places, what did I would say with you? Here's where I live now. Done It's commissioned to catch. When you apply to a job.

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Cooper City Hall: When you apply for credit. When you apply for a lease, a mortgage, etc., it is incredibly common to almost, I would say, for the for credit checks

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02:15:58.450 --> 02:16:03.290

Cooper City Hall: every time they're going to look at your past addresses. This is not a

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Cooper City Hall: a burden on the person. Most people would live in one to 2 addresses, let's say, even hypothetically, you might get somebody who's lived in 3 or 4.

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Cooper City Hall: All you're doing is saying, you know, when they're applying to be a candidate, or whatever the word is applying or submitting.

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Cooper City Hall: qualifying

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Cooper City Hall: all they're doing is they're they're listing out their addresses. I'm not looking for them to give reference checks, or what's your credit, or you know any of that? I'm just saying this, in my

opinion, makes it easier on the candidate, and it makes it easier for the residents to have transparency, because then there can be no question about where I live

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Cooper City Hall: before we even need it, and that factual, there's no harm in between the candidates. So if you go ahead and you list, address 1, 2, and 3, the city. The candidates can go Fight that out well, and that's what they're going to do. But right now we don't even give them that. Your opponent says he might have listed that he's on once you'd remained straight, but

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Cooper City Hall: I know for a fact that he's been on 4, 5, and 6, 89 and 93, so you're right now, if you sign it if you sign it.

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Cooper City Hall: and it doesn't say where, though right it's still going to be. No, but you can't determine where they could be sleeping at large in the parking lot of Walmart. Yes, one at a time, so you could be sleeping at large in the parking of Walmart parking lot of Walmart, and you are a resident of Cooper City.

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Cooper City Hall: I mean legally. So.

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02:17:31.010 --> 02:17:43.690

Cooper City Hall: You don't know what they're using to to come up with that solution so as as an opponent you would be guessing like. Well, you know, they just bought that house a month ago. How are they qualifying? Well, you didn't know that they're using Walmart parking lot

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Cooper City Hall: as an address which is is a legitimate thing. You can't prevent homeless people from running. So you right now. On the face of it, you have no clue. and you don't have a right to ask. So you're gonna have to. Yes, and file a lawsuit.

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Cooper City Hall: I think that they literally right out. I lived in group of city, and and here are the addresses, and you're locking them and you it's a it's a sworn affidavit. The more detail you are the better it is.

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Cooper City Hall: No, it's not that they omit. No; but if they put down that they lived, that 1 2 3, main street, and they omitted where they lived, you would say, Well, that can't be because I live there.

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Cooper City Hall: and then you you might take them to court. But right now you're just guessing. What what are they using to come up with? That Perjury is a very difficult thing to prosecute so essentially

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Cooper City Hall: you could just sign up and do what you want. The only way they're going to prosecute is, if you have, you have a very narrow as narrow as you could be, and that's one affidavit.

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Cooper City Hall: because you have to show intent. They intended to lie right. Right, Jacob.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, I guess that really Gregs probably area. But you know you have to show criminal 10. So if you you live your house for 9 months but 2 months of those you lived over

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Cooper City Hall: behind Christ, the rock

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Cooper City Hall: you up Christ to rock the first 4 houses on that one at 1 11, the first 4 houses, and then the Cul-de-sac is Cooper City.

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Cooper City Hall: If you go all the way to bet you go all the way down you make a left. You go all the way. There's one house down there that's Cooper City. the one that that butts are our

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Cooper City Hall: our our fleet. They have a date, David, except their garbage doesn't, even realize they have a Davey garbage can out there picking it up. They don't even realize they're in Cooper City.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. If you're so, it's just you put those things out, and and it's just

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Cooper City Hall: it helps. I don't know. So I I I hear what you're saying. I I hear what you're saying

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Cooper City Hall: when you said, and it makes perfectly sense. When, since when you said, If you're applying for a job right and they want to know where have you go? It it happens at the Federal. Hey? Where have you lived for the last 5 years? I I I

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Cooper City Hall: completely understand what you're saying. We have to list out where you have live. You know very specifically right.

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Cooper City Hall: We have to show that

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Cooper City Hall: when we, when we taken over what we're saying is the information that we have provided to

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Cooper City Hall: the governing body.

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Cooper City Hall: that that is a correct and accurate and truthful information that we are putting down.

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Cooper City Hall: We're signing off on that. Yes, I

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Cooper City Hall: yes, that is the true.

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Cooper City Hall: I completely understand that it makes it makes sense, right?

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Cooper City Hall: All I'm saying is, if and if you, Commissioner Craftsman, if you say, hey, it makes it easy to have that information out.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, absolutely not a problem with that. When it's time to take the

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Cooper City Hall: the oath the can, the oath of candidacy They're they're affirming they they are affirming that. Yeah, I meet the qualifications.

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Cooper City Hall: I live here right

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Cooper City Hall: If we're going to say on the if we're going to have included in the in the packet.

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Cooper City Hall: All right. Well, if you've lived at multiple, because I don't think it it doesn't say that now, right to your point, Commissioner, that that you resided one year.

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Cooper City Hall: It says that you that you reside at one year continuously, continuously

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Cooper City Hall: give the addresses for the one you.

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Cooper City Hall: if you, if they so in an instance like that, if someone's If someone said, yeah, I resided here continuously. But I have multiple. But I' to. I I hear what you're saying. Yeah, but I've lived displaced that place in that place.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, they're gonna provide it

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Cooper City Hall: fine. I don't do. They have to. So a part of the oath. Well, i'm ascribing that I've lived. I've lived here that I've lived here that I've lived here or am I just to Sc. Am I affirming that yeah, I've lived here continuously

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Cooper City Hall: for one year.

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Cooper City Hall: but I've throughout the throughout this entire process. I've lived here. Maybe I've had 2 addresses.

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Cooper City Hall: but I've lived here. You what you're saying is, you want them to. You want the people to. Oh, i'm saying it, and I think it's. I think

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Cooper City Hall: we we're we're looking at it. Yeah, yeah, in a lot of ways. But I I actually think it helps the candidate because of anybody questions. Well, oh, I don't believe that person lived here in the city or any of that. Well check my oath. It's published online. Assuming I don't, I don't have a restricted address. We're also asking

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Cooper City Hall: i'm sorry. No, no, no, no, I thought I heard the commission.

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Cooper City Hall: So all i'm saying is, you know, if we're asking people that they have to provide their addresses

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Cooper City Hall: at a moment in time. Why can't we ask them to provide their addresses during the time that they're required to have lived in the city.

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Cooper City Hall: according to the charter in the reality is, we probably shouldn't even ask for the documents. because the documents you really don't prove you live there.

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Cooper City Hall: So let so that's what I said earlier. If we're not willing to ask for the continuous addresses, then I would, I would like to say, take everything off and just have someone sign an oath, saying, I live in Cooper City. See how well that goes for us. Why bother signing the yeah? I think we should just let anybody run for office, so can I ask a question

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Cooper City Hall: if what you wanted happen? And we had that in place for the last election. Would that have

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Cooper City Hall: negated the lawsuit.

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Cooper City Hall: How? Because somebody obviously questioned whether the where a candidate lived

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Cooper City Hall: and there was no documentation, both saying, I live in Cooper City for the past 6 months. I think it was 6, or whatever it was I don't know.

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Cooper City Hall: In the district it would have been in the district. But Yes, but you see that's right now. It's not a but but the ruling was was just that that that district was

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Cooper City Hall: included by way of of change.

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Cooper City Hall: But what what if the judge said that wasn't? And then the and then they said, No, no, I wasn't living that I wasn't kind of that old address. I was counting my new one, and I was sleeping in the parking lot of the clubhouse, which is in the new one.

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Cooper City Hall: We don't You just don't know you're wasting time.

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Cooper City Hall: We the documents we requested useless. A water bill is not show. If you live to someone, I have water bills. No, that's true if you live there at all. I got water bills for other cities.

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Cooper City Hall: Don't you show none of none of that shows that you live anywhere. We should only require no

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Cooper City Hall: sworn oath, and these are the addresses. These documents your driver's license doesn't show anything. hey? There's a host of things. But do do you. Have you ever heard of a police officer having the address on the Driver's license? Yeah, Does that show?

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. So that document doesn't show where you live.

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Cooper City Hall: because we know if your husband did that, it would show another city right. Water Bill doesn't show where you live. Just shows you have a water bill from that property. A. D. Doesn't. Show any of that. No, none of that shows anything. So we should just require an oath.

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Cooper City Hall: and those and and right now.

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Cooper City Hall: and and right now the it's all or nothing. I was gonna say right now. The motion does not include what Commissioner catchment is indicated. mentioned Katsman, are you making an amendment to that motion to include it? And will Commissioner Green and Commission Melody agree to that?

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Cooper City Hall: You're asking to change? Not just a policy, because something that might be regulated. Yeah. Well, if I may just on that on that on that point, why, it's it's not so much a supervisor of elections issue. As it is a Florida constitutional issue and an election code issue.

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Cooper City Hall: Cities in general are very limited, and the imposition they could put on candidates when it comes to qualifying for office. we know, and there is plenty of case law that affirms Residency requirements. So we know that the one Year Residency requirement that the Commission recently embraced in the Charter Amendment is legally supportable.

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Cooper City Hall: Currently, candidates for office, including each of you signed in addition to your statement of candidacy, your oath of candidacy, which is the State form. Commissioner Shadow referenced. You also sign an oath of residency which attest to the fact currently that you've lived where you lived at the time within your commission district for at least 6 months prior to qualifying

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Cooper City Hall: the proposed amendment, would expand that that to embrace the charter and provide for a one year extension. But I think Commissioner Catsman is suggesting, is as part of that oath of Residency having somewhere on that written form, when you would list the addresses that you reside within that year.

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Cooper City Hall: You right now have to say right right now you're required to to a test to the fact. You've lived within the city continuously for what would be one year prior to qualifying

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Cooper City Hall: on that oath if the Commission were to embrace this change, we would have essentially a number of lines where you can list the addresses where you've resided immediately one year prior to qualifying.

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you, Mr. Horace, for that explanation, and let's say this Commission

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Cooper City Hall: kept it as it is currently.

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Cooper City Hall: and during the next election cycle someone signs up and says, I've lived here

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Cooper City Hall: continuously pursuing to the Charter for a year, and that is challenge. At that point. The burden of proof becomes it's on there. It's it's on them to prove to the city at that point that they have resided continuously

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Cooper City Hall: Well, it it wouldn't be proved to the city it would be to prove to a judge, or because somebody were to challenge somebody's qualifications to run for office, it would be a judge that would decide whether or not that person wasn't that qualified. But that would be an issue between the candidates. The city would not be a party to that action. Okay, so so the candidates would have to

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Cooper City Hall: the candidates would have to determine that. So to your, to your, to your point. to your point.

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Cooper City Hall: and I hear what you're saying. I got. No, I I I don't have a problem with it in the sense that this is an it an additional step

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Cooper City Hall: that I think that i'm hearing you say. but I but I also don't have a problem with currently

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Cooper City Hall: since the charter has changed, pursuant to what's the language that's in there, because at the end of the day the residents here in Cooper City would be protected

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Cooper City Hall: your way or the current way, because if that is the case, if if, if if the argument is well, let's do away with everything else. We don't have to produce anything. Let's just sign the oath of candidacy. Well, your what your scribe, what you're affirming to is that you've lived here continuously

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Cooper City Hall: in Cooper City for at least a year, and if someone has any inkling or any doubt that that is the truth. They that that person can challenge that. And now that person, that candidate, has to produce that information to a judge.

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Cooper City Hall: that the way we have it right now

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Cooper City Hall: Is that it? So you wanted to to have the clerk challenging?

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Cooper City Hall: You gotta either show actual documents like, hey? They put down this address, and I happen to live there

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Cooper City Hall: on the face of it, or you got to put a sworn affidavit. So

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Cooper City Hall: it needs to be under oath.

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Cooper City Hall: We don't even need the documents that your driver's license. That's useless. Your water bills useless. You need useless None of that Should let them finish. None of that matters

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Cooper City Hall: your point about potentially. What if someone's living in Walmart parking lot? Yeah, okay. So we ask for

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Cooper City Hall: a driver's license, a water bill closing documents. Another utility Bill don't have one. I don't have a tax bill. Well, you're not going to have any of it. Okay, you're not going to call it. Nope, you have to. We're not allowed to do by law. We can't do that. You're going to sue the city and say, okay.

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Cooper City Hall: but they can't produce any of this you ask as long as you are of age and a elector under Florida law, and you meet the qualifications under the city charter. You are all vacations. No, this this this is a a code issue. It's an imposition that the City Commission has put on candidates to provide certain documentation.

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Cooper City Hall: but it's not a requirement to qualify for all. So so this is interesting. So to Commissioner Shrouded's point right. You have it homeless individual. Are they

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Cooper City Hall: are, they would they be? How would they be deemed an elector of the city, put it up to be registered about?

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Cooper City Hall: So they have to meet all of the requirements under Florida law to be an elected. So they okay. So they have to. So they have to be registered to vote right in order to vote in Cooper City, they would have to it would on their registration card. It would have to. It would have to say, this is the precinct that you are ascribed to here in Cooper City. Right? This is the precinct

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Cooper City Hall: I I I get that absolutely do.

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But I would rather I would rather ask for the the list of where where you've lived with no backup. So so okay, so. And then you move around. Now where we're. I hear what I hear.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, yeah, same thing. So you're asking a homeless person to provide a declaration of domicile. And you're just I'm from the old school. Okay. So

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Cooper City Hall: what you're saying is that anybody can be confirmed as a voter. You don't need No, you you need no identification. right? But okay. But the voter Reg. So all i'm hearing you say, is it

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Cooper City Hall: the for voter registration card? All you need to. I can't imagine. The supervisor of election is not asking for additional information, Miss Allen.

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Cooper City Hall: They're not asking for any additional, because when I, when you have to go to vote. You have to prove that you live here in Cooper City, the the supervisor of elections that manage to manage the voting issue. You need a photo, Id to this to determine.

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Cooper City Hall: I know this i'm scary that I know this. But there, this has been challenged

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Cooper City Hall: in different states, and if and if I do not have a photo, Id because

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Cooper City Hall: i'm trying to remember what they said. If I was

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Cooper City Hall: I I believe i'm i'm. I'm paraphrasing. They said that it was discriminatory to ask me for a photo. Id and there are several states

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02:34:23.010 --> 02:34:43.220

Cooper City Hall: that no longer require a photo. Id to vote, and i'm not sure if Florida is one of them. But if you Google it you'll have a list. There's like 13 States. and it is against it, is it. It's it's against the law in those States for you to require. So you can ask Mr. Mr. Green.

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Cooper City Hall: Then. Oh, well.

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they will provide another option for you. You'll sign an office one after David. Okay. So so to your point, Commissioner shrouded.

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Cooper City Hall: I I don't have that information. So I have to now sign, sign a sworn affidavit.

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Cooper City Hall: acknowledging who I am. I don't have any other piece of information on me to validate that other than

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Cooper City Hall: my name is My name is Ryan Sherder. My name is Jeremy Katzman. I want you to be Lisa Molosi identified. My name is yeah. I now identify as My name is Lisa Melosi.

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Cooper City Hall: right?

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Cooper City Hall: What I'm, hearing this commission say is the supervisor of elections. They don't have any other information to validate that other than my good name that I am Lisa Malosi. They are now going to give me

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Cooper City Hall: a a, a, a, a, a, a card. They're going to give me the ability to vote, am I? I? Am I hearing that correctly?

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, it's an extent. Yeah. Well, I mean it just the form. I mean, the form says you have to.

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Cooper City Hall: If you can't produce that, then you have to provide the last 4 of your social. If you can't do that.

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Cooper City Hall: then it says that it can be denied. At least that's what the okay. So you, if I may yes, or follow up on that. But yes, sir, under this is the Florida Election Co. Chapter 97 provides a whole list of items that the supervisor of elections may consider determining whether or not a person is who, in fact, they say they are, and the list includes everything from a Us. Passport to a debit or credit card. Military Id student identification.

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Cooper City Hall: a concealed weapons permit

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Cooper City Hall: a utility bill bank statement, government check paycheck. But what I've heard but what i'm hearing the argument that i'm hearing is that okay

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Cooper City Hall: for this commission, let's just wave all of that, because none of that matters. And yet the State losses. Okay, wait a minute. You have to be able to produce, and we're not waiting it because we're saying you gotta have the card which they already check that stuff.

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Cooper City Hall: But the Co. So the registration card says, reflects that you have to be able to produce. According to State law. You have to be able to produce

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Cooper City Hall: some of that information to validate who you are

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Cooper City Hall: right. We're not checking who you are. We're checking where you live.

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Cooper City Hall: if you, if I have met all of the requirements right.

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Cooper City Hall: who's the I? I meet the requirements. Why, Why, now are you? Because those, those, those, the requirements for them, are different. They're checking identity. So a passport doesn't say, where you live?

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Cooper City Hall: So you go in with your pass. But no doesn't

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Cooper City Hall: doesn't absolutely does not passport to your weapons. Permit none of those things. Say where you live. Yeah. But in order to fill out to complete the passport information. You have to provide all that and all that information to you. But you have to move. We're looking at Residency snapshot in time.

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Cooper City Hall: How do we determine that this? Why are we asking for a water bill to turn, or have you lips on it?

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Cooper City Hall: I think it does have your address on the next

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Cooper City Hall: requiring the listing of the residences. Do I have any additional amendments?

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, it was to take off the documents, and only have you okay, Fine. I'll leave it.

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Cooper City Hall: So we don't have any further amendments. Call the vote on the Amendment

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner. Yes. Now call the motion on on the original motion.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melody.

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Cooper City Hall: Yes, Commissioner, yes, Commissioner Router. Yes, Commissioner, the Record Mayor Commission. We will make these changes between first and second reading for your consideration and Ted. So no change to the title on this.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, moving on to item number 12

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Cooper City Hall: ordinance, 23 desk, 10 jacob far away. Excuse me, that's tabled

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Ordinance 23, that 11 number 13.

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you. Mayor the item is in order to the city. Cooper City, Florida mending the city's Code of ordinances by amending Chapter 13, entitled Public Safety Amending Article 6 and title of

Code Enforcement, by specifically amending Section 1,371, entitled Scheduling and Conduct of a Hearing.

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Cooper City Hall: authorizing the City Manager, or the Managers Design, need to make recommendations in special magistrate on code enforcement and the Building Code Enforcement matters invited for codification, fight for conflicts, plan for separability and fighting for an effective day. You have motion. I would like to move with revision.

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Cooper City Hall: and we don't have a motion yet. Let's just make the revision, and then take the most. So the revision is

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Cooper City Hall: on. H. I would like it to say the

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Cooper City Hall: 2 sentences. So the first one i'd like to say the

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Cooper City Hall: to our Building Department Community Development Director

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Cooper City Hall: shall make recommendations. The special magistrate as to fine amounts

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Cooper City Hall: and

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Cooper City Hall: timeframes to bring the property into compliance, unless

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Cooper City Hall: otherwise

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Cooper City Hall: otherwise designated by the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: Say say that one more time i'm flipping the thing. So i'm saying that the that the director of the Code Department.

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Cooper City Hall: not Co. Building

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Cooper City Hall: recommendation, or you know she'll make recommendations

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Cooper City Hall: to the special magistrate on fine amounts and timeframes to bring the property and compliance for all building code violations unless

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Cooper City Hall: otherwise

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Cooper City Hall: designated by the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: So you're cutting the city manager out? No, no. Oh, yeah, I'm swapping the land. Yes.

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Cooper City Hall: yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: And then why, I just give you just a preference thing. I think that it shows who's in charge unless this the city manager says otherwise.

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Cooper City Hall: So when you read it, it's clear what what needs to happen. I want to do the same thing with the police. If the police chief shall

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Cooper City Hall: do this in that, unless otherwise. you know, designated by the city managers to literally the same thing.

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Cooper City Hall: It's just instead of this language, like the way it's written right here. I'm really doing it for the police chief one.

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Cooper City Hall: when making recommendations to the special the city manager shall consult and consider input. I don't want to make this. Is anyone to do anything I want the police chief in charge unless the city manager says otherwise.

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02:42:41.870 --> 02:42:48.220

Cooper City Hall: But the city matter, commissioner, Mayor, Mayor Ross, the city manager, pursuant to the charter.

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02:42:48.310 --> 02:42:51.760

Cooper City Hall: runs the day to day operations of the city.

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Cooper City Hall: What this, what you are, what you are suggesting is that we now take that this commission takes a part of what their responsibilities and duties are, and we're giving, and we're and we're giving it to someone else. I can't support that, because at the end of the day it's the city manager. It's the

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Cooper City Hall: Absolutely. That's what you that look. Read this last line with me. I trust me i'm, i'm not suggesting anything different. The last line it says when making recommendations.

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Cooper City Hall: the special magistrate to a special management on code violations. The city manager shall consult and consider input from the police chief. So now that diminishes the power. It's mandating that the manager hit him or her. Okay, I'm. I'm not doing that, i'm saying the police chief shall make those recommendations unless otherwise

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Cooper City Hall: decided by the city manager. So the city manager doesn't want to do that. He's not never

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Cooper City Hall: I I I hear what you're saying, but the city manager runs the day to day operations, and as it will, exactly, not under this, but pursuant to the charter, the city manager runs the day to day operations, and so basically. What you're saying, what you're saying potentially to the police chief and or the building, the the the the Community

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Cooper City Hall: Development coordinator is

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Cooper City Hall: okay. We're gonna we're going to assume this function because we're we're going to do this is going to be our responsibility

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Cooper City Hall: to provide this

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Cooper City Hall: service to the city

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Cooper City Hall: and the city manager.

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02:44:22.370 --> 02:44:28.790

Cooper City Hall: the city manager it. From what what I think what you're proposing is

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Cooper City Hall: wouldn't have any. Wouldn't be able to have the ability to say. No, I disagree. This is what we're gonna do. Nope. Not proposing at all. I'm. I'm asking for the language to read what should happen in practicality with the ultimate overwriting decision to be the managers.

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Cooper City Hall: So I I just from a flow the way it flows. I'd like it to to state

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Cooper City Hall: in writing how it should operate unless otherwise mandated by the manager. Okay, but it says manager has a trump ability to trump all everything. So why are you so? Why wouldn't you just leave it as is the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: or

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Cooper City Hall: is there hard designate designate? So the city manager can say, okay, i'm going to designate the

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Cooper City Hall: police captain and i'm gonna designate this this individual. Now it requires an affirmative action of making a designation.

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02:45:17.430 --> 02:45:33.240

Cooper City Hall: but it says right here, right up front. So who's the is authorized to make recommendations. The city manager and or his designee is authorized to make recommendations. I I just don't. I don't want to be in a situation where we're taking

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Cooper City Hall: the responsibilities and duties away from the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: Neither do I. I just want the thing to be written, as

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Cooper City Hall: it it is currently being operated with overriding authority by the manager.

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Cooper City Hall: and I think the manager would agree that what i'm talking about is not diminishing the power

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Cooper City Hall: under this scenario as written. It mandates the manager to do something. Consult with another person. I don't think that they should have to do that.

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Cooper City Hall: The heavy designate.

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Cooper City Hall: He has an option. Well, it says the managers shall consult. And okay. So how about this? The the instead of naming chiefs and directors? We say the Community Development Department

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Cooper City Hall: shall make recommendations

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Cooper City Hall: whatever

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Cooper City Hall: at the at, at the you know, unless otherwise designated by the city manager. The police department shall make recommendation unless otherwise. But the Power Commissioner starts on the top

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02:46:41.600 --> 02:46:57.050

Cooper City Hall: you got I mean just it's like because we're reading left or right doesn't mean that the power is diminished in on it. No how, how? How? My, unless otherwise mandated by the manager. This is Who who's in charge, guys?

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02:46:57.500 --> 02:47:08.290

Cooper City Hall: That's what i'm trying to say, yeah, but you guys are mandating him. Have a conversation with that one. I don't want to do that. Yeah, but what you're saying, Commissioner, shrouded is unless otherwise mandated by the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: Right?

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02:47:09.400 --> 02:47:13.490

Cooper City Hall: It's it. What we're doing, what you're doing potentially is

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02:47:13.600 --> 02:47:24.840

Cooper City Hall: taking away the city managers ability to to to say, Wait a minute. I'm not. Well. but no, that's all it. It is. This is how we're going to operate. What? You're

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Cooper City Hall: okay, yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: Community Development Department shall make recommendations to the special magistrate on fine amounts and

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Cooper City Hall: time frames to bring things in compliance for all building code violations, unless otherwise designated by the manager, or less otherwise decided by the city manager

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Cooper City Hall: and taking out the police chief.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, do this unless otherwise, you know, decided by the manager. So who does the buck stop with at the end of the man Who it? Who is the CEO,

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Cooper City Hall: pursuant to the charter? Who is the CEO who runs the day to day operations of this city. Okay, the day-to-day operations of this decision is run by those department directors, unless the manager says other one. No, I I, Commissioner, sure out of disagree with that, because the day to day often messenger goes and makes these things, he's not even aware of it unless the issue comes to him.

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02:48:21.130 --> 02:48:37.430

Cooper City Hall: I I so ultimately everything. Okay. So stop this. The book stops with the city manager, pursuant to the the pursuant to the part. This is, my language is actually better. No, it's thing you're I I I respectfully does this have a map? Okay, how about this? Let's take a baby steps.

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Cooper City Hall: Mr. Horowitz, under the current language, is this mandate the manager

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Cooper City Hall: to consult with the police chief? Yes, it does. Okay, under my proposed language. Would the manager have to consult with the police chief. Not unless he disagreed with the recommendation.

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02:48:51.000 --> 02:49:02.580

Cooper City Hall: Even if you disagree with you, have to consult. No, not necessarily the final decision. There you go. He just has to make the decision. I I'm. I I would suggest. I don't know if this is going to make everyone.

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Cooper City Hall: If this is not what you're intending, or it it. But if we just take out the second sent the well, I guess it's the third sentence, but the second sentence in blue, and just say the city manager or his or designee is authorized to make recommendations to the magistrate.

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Cooper City Hall: So basically it's saying the manager, or there's something in writing from the manager designating who those people are.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. But now you're talking. Okay. But now you're but now you're trying to control the way, the the the so it so it should be determined by the city manager, who, he who they put.

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02:49:36.700 --> 02:49:50.750

Cooper City Hall: who they determine who they're going to designate to fit that that particular situation. It shouldn't be the city, the the so what you're saying is, hey. the city manager, you're in charge for the day to day operations. However.

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Cooper City Hall: these are the people that

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Cooper City Hall: the Commission is designating to perform this duty and this responsibility, and we've just you usurped

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Cooper City Hall: that individual authority. and pursuant to the charter, we have taken away their ability

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Cooper City Hall: to do that to to to do their job. I have not taken under my rewarding. The manager has more power. Your wording I it's not your wording, but i'm gonna give you credit for it.

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02:50:16.480 --> 02:50:29.200

Cooper City Hall: You're awarding mandates. The manager. Have a conversation with another person under my scenario. He just agreed with that correct yeah, that's your wording mending. I don't know. I'm saying the manager should not have to have any conversation with any subordinate.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm. Simply asking in writing for it to be clear on day to day

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Cooper City Hall: operation absent, the manager stepping in who's in charge, because what's gonna happen if we just say the city manager who doesn't need is we're gonna get to a spot again. We have to go. Oh, that's that's a city side, as we're vendor. This is from that I just want to make it clear. This is your responsibility. This is the the building departments.

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We're saying the Community development right? It should be their responsibility. Who's in charge of of code violations over the trees

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Cooper City Hall: Right now? I channel by the public works, but overall it's it's decided it's approved. It's as a part of the city managers plan and

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Cooper City Hall: pursuant to the Charter Commissioner, and so let's go down this this path with you. So you put in there, whoever the police can, the the police captain or the the the the building department, right? So the city manager now says, No, that's not. That's not the path

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Cooper City Hall: at that. We're going to take in the city as it pertains to magistrate findings and facts and conclusions

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Cooper City Hall: I want. I'm going. I believe that it's in the best interest of this city to do it this way. They they are. They are no cause on the language. It can come back in the Commission. Future commissions can say, Well, wait a minute. No city manager. You don't have the ability to do that, because it's specifically

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Cooper City Hall: now states who is responsible for those for those particular items that's not what i'm saying. I think it's clear if we just take out that

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Cooper City Hall: that last sentence, and just say, or his or it doesn't need we have throughout our our ordinances and resolutions, that language. And really it's up to the manager to designate at any appropriate time. I would, I would like to know who is the designee, as we sit here today to make recommendations on tree issues.

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Cooper City Hall: and and and before that question is answered, what has to be answered is not by name by position only because names change change. Of course it's okay. So so right now, if I remove a tree without a permit

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Cooper City Hall: and I get cited, I'd like to know who comes to Code.

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Cooper City Hall: Who who comes in? The magistrate makes that it makes that recommendation right now. Could Could any of you guys tell me without the manager bringing up.

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Cooper City Hall: Did you guys tell me?

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Cooper City Hall: I think public works.

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Cooper City Hall: public works, Who in public? I'm. Good is the head. I bet you, Tom Good doesn't know that he, that he's supposed to do it? Because Mr. Good know that I have no idea that's a city manager, of course. How would he tell me what Mr. Good knows, because he he stirs a suit.

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Cooper City Hall: Who Who is the person that would, who who sites, who sites for that? Who who in public works comes out in sites and makes the recommendation

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Cooper City Hall: right now the the

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Cooper City Hall: for for what? For what specific, free removed without permit

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Cooper City Hall: I tree remove. That would be code right now for a tree removal without it being revert to code. And they would they would do the the citation. I don't think Code would, would would think that that's them. If you call code on on a bush issue. They say public works correct, captain.

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Cooper City Hall: but if there's someone who's complaining about the violation we would, captain, or to code. I'd like Captain. Do you guys know that you're supposed to make the recommendations on on land? When i'm talking about recommendations. I'm talking about the citation would be done by because it was handled by Jeanette before that's correct. So did you guys know that.

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Cooper City Hall: Captain? Can you come up. You couldn't have known that code channels in there. I knew that it was handled by Jeanette. Oh, yeah, so now they don't know who it channel by right now.

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Cooper City Hall: right now, I mean it depends. I'm not gonna. I can't say pick that scenario because it's a gray area. Well, right now it's a grayer, because when when Jeanette left, we we were left with the

narrative. But right now it would fall as far as the recommendation it would fall under. If that case came up on a recommendation, it would. It would fall under public works

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Cooper City Hall: for the recommendation. and that would be

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Cooper City Hall: it would be I don't. I don't. I can't say specifically who in in public works, and maybe Tim and maybe Tom. But if the case came up we would have to determine who it would be before. That would have been Jeanette. Jeanette would have made the recommendation

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Cooper City Hall: if we're talking about a recommendation now for for our the bulk of our our code violations. The code will make the recommendation for code. Violation for building violations is the building department.

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Cooper City Hall: and that's where the bulk of the violations fall under, they either fall under code or they fall under. Do you do you have any objection to my language where it says the Department, and says, unless otherwise

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Cooper City Hall: designated by the manager. I I don't I don't see the need for it, because that's the that's the way it. But do you believe that that diminishes your power

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Cooper City Hall: under my scenario. Well, it does, because what you're saying is that it has to be. It has to be code, or it has to be the police, unless you say otherwise, unless I say otherwise. So. How would that diminish your power?

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Cooper City Hall: Well, I don't know why we we have to do. Put that in exactly. I just put the because I'm trying to clarify. I know what you're trying to do. At least I'm: I would be okay with the whole just city manager a designee. But I promise I don't have a list of who the design is.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't. I don't know. So I would like to hold. I want to know who's responsible for not making a recommendation No one knows, because it's like. Oh, that issue hasn't come up.

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Cooper City Hall: That's really the truth. But at the end of the day it's the it's the city manager that runs it. It's a part of their responsibilities to work with all of their department has to come up with that strategy.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. So as we as we stand today, who is that? That? Who's in that? Well, he just. He gave you an example. Commissioner. He gave you an example, as it pertains to, if it's if it's public works, or if it's the building department.

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Cooper City Hall: He gave an example of that. It's within his discretion.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's gonna be within the discretion of the next city manager him or her to determine the best course of action as the as these, as people are contacting code and saying, hey, this person is in violation. This person. We believe that this person is is violating one of the codes.

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Cooper City Hall: They're gonna bring that they're They're gonna bring that forward, and it's gonna be the city managers saying to the folks that are bringing that forward. Okay, where does this? Who do? Who needs to weigh in on this? Who needs to be the subject matter expert in that particular area.

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Cooper City Hall: We leave that we leave that function, that responsibility and duty to the city manager to determine who that best is. This is an example of being

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Cooper City Hall: difficult. And you guys are arguing for the sake of arguing because i'm asking for ordinances to flow to clarify

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Cooper City Hall: responsibilities. We're leaving the ultimate power to the manager. That's what i'm asking for right now. You couldn't tell me who who what happens if somebody is doing work on a construction site in violation of our ordinances. Who goes out and investigates that incite some. I could. It could be all could be. It could be.

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Cooper City Hall: Who's our star employee? I'm. Joe. Joe. Yeah, you know what I mean. I'm just asking. You know he's really he's really good. But i'm just asking for us to have

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Cooper City Hall: you know I was just. I I understand. I understand. Can I show what you're saying? And I and I think it's. But I I mean, do we, as a commission approve like the or chart?

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Cooper City Hall: Or is that a city manager's discretion or organizational chart? To an extent we do. We create the departments? We do we decide what goes inside of.

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Cooper City Hall: do we decide that it is part of the finance department? We do so we are to decide who You're going to get a a permit from for a special event.

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Cooper City Hall: Yes, so we say, City manager doesn't know. We say the Clerk's office. Okay, I'm. Just asking for it to to flow. I'm not. I'm not. I'm not looking to diminish any power. What I want to do does not mandate the manager? Talk to anyone. It just says, if the manager is going to do something other than then what the norm is just you have to designate

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Cooper City Hall: that's all i'm saying. But, but, Commissioner, that's not exactly what you're saying. What what you're what you're saying is you put if there there's going to be a designee

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Cooper City Hall: that doesn't come from

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Cooper City Hall: the Mid City manager.

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Cooper City Hall: It's going to the the Commission is going to decide that on behalf of the city manager. and they, and then.

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Cooper City Hall: if if i'm not deciding it. I'm. we're gonna put in. You want to put in there who that individual or or those departments are?

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Cooper City Hall: Give me a list of Who who give me a list of who's gonna do what right? So that's the function of the city manager. I I think the the the conversation.

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Cooper City Hall: perhaps the conversation

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Cooper City Hall: should could go like.

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Cooper City Hall: Hey, Mr. Napoli, Mr. Mr. Or Miss City manager. here are the things that have come before the magistrate judge.

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Cooper City Hall: We will, as a. As a governing body. We would love to know what your position is in terms of

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Cooper City Hall: who the individuals who who who's going to be? Who do you want to be in those positions where they're going to be working with you along with the other folks.

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Cooper City Hall: to make conclusions and fight, and and and all that kind of stuff that's going to be presented to the magistrate. Judge

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Cooper City Hall: it it. It would flow better that way, because now we are saying to the city manager. Hey, we expect you to do your job. We expect you to work with. Your department is work with the magistrate process to say, okay, Here are the 2 biggest things that are coming before the magistrate. Judge.

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Cooper City Hall: Mr. City manager, how is how are you and your staff going to move forward? How are you going to determine what happens? 2 items on that one? I would be okay with with language that says the city manager, as designate, and the city manager shall let us know who the does. Need I I be? I would be totally okay with that. But I just want to kind of emphasize something.

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Cooper City Hall: This is an ordinance that I wanted to strengthen because I saw an issue potential issue. and how

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Cooper City Hall: things were being done. And I saw purgatory. I gave you guys examples of purgatory.

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Cooper City Hall: We talked about engineering issues. We talked about landscaping issues. Those are examples of purgatory.

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Cooper City Hall: I would like the responsible people

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Cooper City Hall: that strengthen the process by having them know that it's their obligation. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: you guys are just being difficult because my language does not weaken the manager. I don't, mandate, the manager, do anything other than the

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Cooper City Hall: put the names of the departments that are responsible, because that's who the managers currently decide is going to be responsible if he wants to say it's direct department. I don't care. Let's just codify that. So there's writing because the city lacks things in writing.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's in writing here, unless

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Cooper City Hall: designated otherwise, which requires an affirmative action to do otherwise. So i'm just trying to create

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Cooper City Hall: processes, written processes. If you want to just say, city manager like me, and then say the city manager shall

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Cooper City Hall: produce, or, you know, come up with that process. I'm fine With that I think it's more work. But I can do that city manager or designate, shall make recommendations

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Cooper City Hall: to this special magistrate finds this and that.

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Cooper City Hall: and shall publish or tell us who this doesn't I don't care.

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Cooper City Hall: and and I say council because you're acting as a lawyer for a moment. So

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Cooper City Hall: I I don't like the words shall, and and I don't like it in the last sentence, and I don't like it, being included in the first one. I think, what we're trying to do, and I I commend you because I think what what you're trying to get is more transparency, if you will, of who is going to be doing the recommendations, and I think that's fine.

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Cooper City Hall: So it should

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Cooper City Hall: simply stated the city manage it or his or her designate, and then there will be a separate listing of who the designee is, and Don't get me wrong.

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Cooper City Hall: The designee should, as far as i'm concerned, for argument's sake, on code, should be the director of the develop. You know Economic Development Department. However, if he is not available, then the designee is.

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Cooper City Hall: and then the A. A. Us. To know who those are, because i'll give you one more perfect example, and i'm sorry for the captain. I would require the cat and Captain and the Fire chief, because both come up here. I'd like to know

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Cooper City Hall: who is responsible. 4

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Cooper City Hall: fire safety issues on residential properties.

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Cooper City Hall: Before they answer, I will start with you, Mr. Mayor, who Who would you believe that is

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Cooper City Hall: on residential fire safety issues, whether it's a fire hazard to have something on a residential? Who would you say it would be. In my opinion it always is him, because it's the buck stops here. So if we think we have a fire hazard, we bring Joe out, and Joe comes out with his fire. Has he's designate? I would assume. If it has to with fire it'll be the chief. So who is it? Who is it because i'm confused. It's building. No, no, okay. Okay. She's just building it starts with what is the Fire inspector saying, let me tell you

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Cooper City Hall: you it. When we had when we had Ted our previous

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Cooper City Hall: remember who Ted was our previous building. So when there was a fire, Ted was the one that would go out. And he said this to me more times than I can count. He was the one that would go out and say, this structure is not.

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Cooper City Hall: You cannot be in this structure. So say you had a hoarder that had all the windows blocked with all this stuff, Ted would come out and say, hey? The building department teams unsafe structures. I I didn't say unsafe structure that's a very specific word. No, that's a very right, Mr. Horowitz. I didn't say structured. Safety fire, safety.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. Right? The that's building fun

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Cooper City Hall: for the people. I I didn't say unsafe. So is it the fire Inspector?

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Cooper City Hall: Some cities? The fire inspector does fire inspections. This is why, coming back to what I indicated, I I like to keep things simple, so that everyone knows we like things not in writing around, but but the the lessons when making recommendation to to the special magistrate on code violations.

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Cooper City Hall: the city manager quote, shall consult and consider. Input No, no, no, no, that that verbiage is not what I I didn't put that in there. Okay, I

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Cooper City Hall: sorry, Jacob, don't like it, but I I want to come back to, so they can sit down, is who is currently in charge of the fire inspections and residential properties.

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Cooper City Hall: A good evening, Mr. Mayor, City manager, commission. staff, and residents. Currently, we do not have jurisdiction and single family residents to do any inspections.

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you so much. And who is it

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Cooper City Hall: since for clarification. Who provides that function

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Cooper City Hall: The

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Cooper City Hall: There is no function on a single family residence. It has the occupancy has to be listed as lodging

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Cooper City Hall: group home. Alf. i'm sorry my question. Is

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Cooper City Hall: it the entity, the individual that's going to come to that? If you, if you are responding to a fire, and you cannot make the determination, if that structure is safe, for the residents to continue to res reside at that place of residence, who in your mind

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Cooper City Hall: is obligated to do that

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Cooper City Hall: we have an on-call. And so, Inspector, that comes out, we do not conduct our investigations ourselves. The State fire marshal responds, conducts the investigation.

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Cooper City Hall: and if there is a structure issue

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Cooper City Hall: we would call out the building official. No, but we're not talking about fires. The fire investigation is done by the state fire. That's a that's when a house catches on fire. That's totally different. I'm not talking about. I'm talking about

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Cooper City Hall: fire safety inspections. You guys say you have no jurisdiction on residential properties.

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Cooper City Hall: Captain Giovanni.

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Cooper City Hall: have you ever experienced a broward shares fire Inspector, having

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Cooper City Hall: jurisdiction or writing violations on residential properties?

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Cooper City Hall: In the past I have. I believe there was a change. I'm not sure if Chief Harrington will know when that shift occurred

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Cooper City Hall: so currently. If we would have some type of concern on a fire nature. We would coordinate with the building partner. See if there was anything that they could do. This. This Mr. Horowitz as a magistrate. Have you ever seen

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Cooper City Hall: a fire Inspector site a residential property in the town of South West Park?

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, that that was the wrong answer. They do it a lot there. Yeah, yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: I do it a lot there.

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Cooper City Hall: alright.

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Cooper City Hall: Captain Giovanni, and your experience is the fire. And Marshall ever appeared. and West Park on a residential property commission. I actually did not attend the magistrate hearings, and

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Cooper City Hall: or for Alfs. I was just talking to Chief Harrington, and he had

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Cooper City Hall: specified that if the residents request the inspection, then it could occur. So perhaps that's what what was occurring. Maybe there was a request for the inspection.

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Cooper City Hall: You've seen it

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Cooper City Hall: correct, You're not sure if it was Consensual or mandated. What you're saying that I do not know. Okay. So who here is the one who does it? I know I know you're being, you know you seem to be aggravated. No, i'm not a man. I'm. Okay, no. I'm trying to figure out what? What is the specific I would like us violations on? Who? Yeah. I'm. Trying to figure out what is

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Cooper City Hall: they?

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Cooper City Hall: Question that you're asked. Yes, okay. The fire department goes to a call to to take somebody out who who who's injured? They say, Wow, this house is is a safety issue, because then that boarding refer to the building They're hoarding because of stuff stacked in there. Yeah, no ingress egress, not something wrong, structurally. But there's whatever newspapers stacked all around the building department would come out under the Florida building, and I've been talking about hoarding.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, if you're, that's that's a that's a different. That's a different. So who's the one who would do that as far as hoarding? I don't understand. I don't know what the violation would be for hoarding

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Cooper City Hall: ingress Ecrest issues a fire safety ingress, ecosystem. That would

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Cooper City Hall: that would be the fire. That would be. Yeah, that's the that's when we've we've had those issues before the Fire Department has gone out to to to address those issues. Fire and police at at times police have done that also. The reality is under what you're trying to, I mean, because I think we're

we're talking about. We can cite a lot of different issues here. So let's let's go back to what you're trying to do, Commissioner, what you're trying to do. You're trying to PIN the responses.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm trying to identify the obligation overall responsibility is with the manager. You're trying to PIN the general responsibility for making the recommendations to the magistrate. So if you want in the ordinance, well, this is yeah. This is an ordinance. If you want in the ordinance to indicate

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Cooper City Hall: what's your You know the the code, the building department makes the recommendations on code, on building code violations, and the police chief, I mean. Now, you're putting it on the police department with Police Department, because it should be the code, because it's really going to be

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Cooper City Hall: the code officer started mosque and the code officers, and probably consulting with the police chief. You want to put that the police department makes the recommendation. The magistrate, unless they

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Cooper City Hall: the

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Cooper City Hall: not that the the

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Cooper City Hall: that the manager determines designates otherwise, or the I would rather say the manager determines otherwise. And then that's the perfect option. I'm fine with that Yup. That's perfect

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Cooper City Hall: Community Development Department.

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Cooper City Hall: unless the manager determines otherwise, shall make the recommendations on on building building code violations. The police department, unless the manager, Termini determines otherwise, shall make direct. That's all I want to do. Okay. And I understand.

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Cooper City Hall: No, that was personal. No, no, no, because that doesn't show who the person is responsible, because when I with the we then go to the police department, he leaves and he leaves, and they all leave, and we say, who's supposed to be in charge of that? Oh, not me. I i'm a vendor that's on the shouldy side. That's that's what we hear, so the motion is not been made. It's Yet

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Cooper City Hall: we have now discussed this without a motion being a.

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Cooper City Hall: we have

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Cooper City Hall: the motion by Commissioner Sh. Router as indicated. And.

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Cooper City Hall: Jacob, do you have it? I I do I I'd like me to read it, Mayor, but I do so. The the the motion would be to amend the ordinance as proposed to read, that the Community Development Department shall make recommendations to the special magistrate regarding the Department, unless otherwise

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Cooper City Hall: determined by the at the end of the sentence. It was better in the beginning. I got you, I I that I agree with is, we're all using the same words. We're just mixing them around.

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Cooper City Hall: This would be the Community Development Department, unless determined otherwise by the city manager shall make recommendations to the special magistrate regarding fine amounts and timeframes to bring the property into compliance for all building code violations.

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03:11:38.540 --> 03:11:42.480

Cooper City Hall: and we'd have the police department, unless determined otherwise by the city manager

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Cooper City Hall: shall make recommendations to the special magistrate regarding fine amounts and timeframes to bring the property to compliance for all code violations. That is the motion by commission. And sure I do. I have a second. I have it by Commissioner Catchman any further discussion.

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03:11:58.780 --> 03:12:08.070

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, yeah, no. I have just one question. This goes to Mr. Napoli or Mr. Vega in the back

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03:12:09.080 --> 03:12:15.480

Cooper City Hall: Is that you? You are you the Community Development Department is that that's the building department.

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03:12:15.730 --> 03:12:23.310

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, the old right? No, no. I just want to know for clarification purposes. I want to hear from

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03:12:23.370 --> 03:12:27.820

Cooper City Hall: the gentleman that that comes within your department. Yes.

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03:12:28.220 --> 03:12:39.970

Cooper City Hall: I get an Email Commission on Residents Super City. The the building department is a division within the community that falls in there on my jurisdiction.

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03:12:40.070 --> 03:12:53.010

Cooper City Hall: You're good. Yes, okay, that's it. I'm done so. I call the Vote Commissioner, Commissioner, Commissioner, Commissioner, Commissioner Green, Mayor Ross. Yes.

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03:12:53.030 --> 03:12:55.650

Cooper City Hall: moving on for second reading.

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03:12:55.980 --> 03:13:02.280

Cooper City Hall: which is a public hearing. Ordinance 23, you the items, and then sorry.

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03:13:02.310 --> 03:13:11.310

Cooper City Hall: I'll call the motion on the item as amended that was a it's on 13. It's 13. Yes.

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03:13:14.000 --> 03:13:29.540

Cooper City Hall: same motions. Commissioner, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner. Yes, Commissioner, yes, and May. We will make those changes between first and second reading. Thank you very much. Moving on to the second reading, which are public hearings.

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03:13:29.540 --> 03:13:58.590

Cooper City Hall: Ordinance 23 des 6. Jacob. Thank you. Mayor commission the item is Norden into the city of Cooper City, Florida, amending Chapter 21 of the city's code of ordinances entitled to Unified Land Development Code by specifically amending Section 21 dash 8, entitled Definitions Providing for the inclusion of pergolas as an accessory building, permitting the installation of canopies or fixed awnings

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03:13:58.590 --> 03:14:12.390

Cooper City Hall: to be permitting the installation of canopies or fixed onnings 3 feet from a property line when behind a six-foot privacy, fence right for conflicts fighting for codification, fine for separability and providing for an effective date. All right, Commissioner.

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03:14:12.680 --> 03:14:14.810

Cooper City Hall: Second Commission and Green.

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03:14:16.210 --> 03:14:19.680

Cooper City Hall: Mr. Molosi. Commissioner Green. I'm. Good.

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03:14:19.910 --> 03:14:32.220

Cooper City Hall: Yes, i'd like to remove all of the andors back to just, or because conjunctive disjunctive, and it's been determined to be inappropriate. But for the Supreme Court

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03:14:34.030 --> 03:14:34.910

Cooper City Hall: we'll clean it up.

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03:14:36.140 --> 03:14:38.620

Cooper City Hall: Mayor. Do you have the public here? Do I? What

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03:14:38.760 --> 03:14:41.350

Cooper City Hall: public hearing? Not yet? But it will.

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03:14:45.490 --> 03:14:46.390

Cooper City Hall: Oh, sorry!

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03:14:47.820 --> 03:14:57.720

Cooper City Hall: No, we're they're with me for a moment. We are on. We are on this right now. You're looking

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03:14:58.440 --> 03:15:00.800

Cooper City Hall: this year. Want to look.

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03:15:02.000 --> 03:15:05.380

Cooper City Hall: I think there's 2 or 3 of them. Yeah, okay.

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03:15:09.200 --> 03:15:11.150

Cooper City Hall: A 5 has one.

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03:15:11.550 --> 03:15:14.230

Cooper City Hall: a 6 has one. And again, yeah.

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03:15:17.440 --> 03:15:20.980

Cooper City Hall: And we we'll clean up all that language. I understand what the Commissioner is saying

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Cooper City Hall: pretty second here. Yeah, that's fine. Okay, it'll be my upon the option. It'll be.

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03:15:28.890 --> 03:15:30.510

Cooper City Hall: or anything more.

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03:15:30.690 --> 03:15:34.780

Cooper City Hall: Yup, just to remove the end or to change that or okay, Commissioner, catchment

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03:15:35.350 --> 03:15:47.410

Cooper City Hall: any further discussion. Well, that's why you said. Originally you had nothing. You were the first. No, I had a question for him on and or so. If this is something that has been deemed

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03:15:47.660 --> 03:15:48.240

Cooper City Hall: okay

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03:15:49.740 --> 03:15:52.550

Cooper City Hall: inappropriate, but legal language right?

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03:15:52.700 --> 03:16:07.090

Cooper City Hall: Why is this that. Why? Is it? Because he's on several, you know. There, there's language that's currently in the code that embraces that reference, so we will clean. And as we go through ordinances, we find that throughout the code I know the Commissioner Shatter has raised that in the past we will continue to make a point of cleaning that up.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't know if that answers your question, I mean Well, I just was wondering why it's there. I understand that you're going to continue to clean it up. But if it's coming before us, no one of

them. Yeah, One of them is the other one or a typo will. Okay, Thank you, Commissioner. Okay, Thank you. We'll open it up for discussion for public hearing anyone here watching to speak on that item.

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03:16:27.200 --> 03:16:37.680

Cooper City Hall: Anyone on virtual close public hearing. Call it both Commissioner Malosei, Commissioner Catsman. Yes, Commissioner Shrouder. Yes, Commissioner Green. Yes, Mayor Ross yes.

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03:16:37.720 --> 03:17:04.240

Cooper City Hall: moving on to regular resolutions. 15 resolution 23 days one and Jacob. Thank you, Mayor Commission. The item is Resolution, the city of Cooper City, Florida, Amending resolution Number 0 5 5, one as further amended by further amending the administrative procedures and policies for the conduct of city Commission business providing for an 1130 end time to regular city commission meetings provided for the placement of items on the agenda and the order of seniority by members of the City Commission provided for conflicts, severability, and providing for an effective date.

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Cooper City Hall: Do I have a motion.

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Cooper City Hall: Hearing no motion, it dies.

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Cooper City Hall: I heard nothing. Motion, Motion to approve for discussion.

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Cooper City Hall: motion to approve for discussion. Second by Commissioner catchment rich in green.

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03:17:20.480 --> 03:17:26.390

Cooper City Hall: Thank you, Mayor Ross. There's a number of things that we that we needed to talk about.

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03:17:26.420 --> 03:17:38.420

Cooper City Hall: I don't know where you want to start, because there's one to there. There's 5 bullets here. You want to go right in order Duties of the executive assistant issuing a proclamations. You want to go one by one. That's fine with me it don't matter whatever you like.

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03:17:38.440 --> 03:17:47.170

Cooper City Hall: duties and responsibilities of the executive assistant. I have seen the duties and responsibilities of the executive assistant, and I want to say

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03:17:47.220 --> 03:17:50.660

Cooper City Hall: publicly, and I know she's not here.

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03:17:52.090 --> 03:17:58.180

Cooper City Hall: I was trying to get back on them. No, no, no, I I want to say that I want to say publicly.

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03:17:59.850 --> 03:18:07.630

Cooper City Hall: I appreciate. and in I am grateful for the current executive assistant that we have

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Cooper City Hall: Currently, Miss Moran

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Cooper City Hall: and and Joe. I have said this to you privately, and I'm going to say it

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Cooper City Hall: publicly for everybody here. I don't want to lose the current executive assistant that we have, because she has done a phenomenal job

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Cooper City Hall: with everything from day one. Her professionalism, the the manner in which she logs everything that comes before the commission

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03:18:36.070 --> 03:18:38.160

Cooper City Hall: she goes above and beyond.

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03:18:38.430 --> 03:18:45.490

Cooper City Hall: and my humble opinion she's going above and beyond what is, I think.

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Cooper City Hall: it is feasible

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03:18:47.090 --> 03:18:54.180

Cooper City Hall: to that end. I would love to see her. Stay, i'm gonna say, Marcia, please don't go if you're if you're watching

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Cooper City Hall: along with that. I truly believe that

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Cooper City Hall: with responsibilities and duties that

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03:19:03.540 --> 03:19:09.660

Cooper City Hall: that she is responsible for. I truly believe that she

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Cooper City Hall: and or if she did, or if she doesn't want to stay.

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03:19:14.330 --> 03:19:18.920

Cooper City Hall: then there should be, and there should be an additional

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03:19:19.080 --> 03:19:28.070

Cooper City Hall: person working alongside of that individual. She is responsible for 5 individuals. All of us have varying

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03:19:28.740 --> 03:19:30.060

Cooper City Hall: needs

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Cooper City Hall: that she is responsible for.

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03:19:33.500 --> 03:19:34.930

Cooper City Hall: and

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03:19:35.040 --> 03:19:42.860

Cooper City Hall: I don't know there have been a number of occasions when I've come in here, and i'm like, Why are you still here? Well, this has to get done with this

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03:19:43.860 --> 03:19:48.080

Cooper City Hall: she's doing it to a detriment to her, to to her, to herself

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03:19:48.200 --> 03:19:51.800

Cooper City Hall: and I don't and I don't believe that's in, and I don't believe that's right. So

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03:19:52.260 --> 03:20:09.100

Cooper City Hall: that's where i'm at with the Executive Assistant Mayor proclamations. I don't have an issues with the issuing of the proclamations. As you know we have the the Commission to to determine that we were gonna have one of the we have a time when we're issuing all of the declarations. A special

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03:20:09.300 --> 03:20:11.230

Cooper City Hall: meeting time for that.

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Cooper City Hall: I think that has worked

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03:20:13.810 --> 03:20:26.940

Cooper City Hall: for the Commission. If we can can continue to stick to that and just have everything. If we're going to have a a a time in which we're going to be acknowledging. Issuing proclamations. It should be doing it should be at that.

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Cooper City Hall: You know that ceremonial service.

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03:20:29.530 --> 03:20:35.230

Cooper City Hall: the 1130 in time, the Regular Commission City Commission. I truly believe that

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03:20:35.560 --> 03:20:38.330

Cooper City Hall: we should be able to stop

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03:20:38.550 --> 03:20:42.950

Cooper City Hall: at 1130. I look at a city our size.

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03:20:44.170 --> 03:20:47.850

Cooper City Hall: I don't believe that we should, that we should be going

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03:20:47.890 --> 03:20:50.600

Cooper City Hall: beyond 1130,

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03:20:50.740 --> 03:20:53.790

Cooper City Hall: and if we are going beyond 1130,

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03:20:53.840 --> 03:21:00.270

Cooper City Hall: then perhaps we need to limit the number of items that are being placed on the agenda. If we're going to have

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03:21:00.290 --> 03:21:15.150

Cooper City Hall: 35, and I know that we have had 2530, 35 items on the agenda. I just truly believe that that's way too many and we are going to. We. We're going to be here longer than what we

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03:21:15.340 --> 03:21:23.790

Cooper City Hall: need to be. And then we're also asking for the residents right, who may have whose issue? Whose item may be item number 34

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03:21:23.900 --> 03:21:26.800

Cooper City Hall: right. We're we're asking them

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03:21:26.830 --> 03:21:34.030

Cooper City Hall: to to to stay so that their item can be heard, and if there is not a cut off.

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03:21:34.170 --> 03:21:37.200

Cooper City Hall: if there's not a touch here and that we're going to be into the meetings

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03:21:38.300 --> 03:21:46.750

Cooper City Hall: that that potentially we're asking our residents. Okay, we're gonna have to wait around unless we move it up. You're gonna have to wait around. But then, if we move it up, we're gonna have to move something in this place.

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03:21:47.010 --> 03:22:03.270

Cooper City Hall: I think 1130 is more than enough time. If we can't start a meeting at 6, 30, and be done by 1130, then, you know, I think the commission we have to look at how we can become more efficient place in place placing a agenda items on.

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Cooper City Hall: If a. If an elected official wants to place items on the agenda, they have every right to do so. I think it should be limited to the number of items that you can, that each elected official that this body should determine. Okay, how many items can you place on on an agenda for a particular?

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03:22:23.120 --> 03:22:29.720

Cooper City Hall: The mission meeting? I think there there should be a number assigned to that based on the priority right. And then, finally.

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03:22:30.740 --> 03:22:32.800

Cooper City Hall: the day is sitting seating.

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Cooper City Hall: We have to vote on everything in this city.

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Cooper City Hall: and we should be able to vote on

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03:22:44.380 --> 03:22:57.730

Cooper City Hall: where we see where we sit. I hate the fact that I know that it's been historically by resolution. Is it, Mr. Horowitz. Yes, this this resolution. By this

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03:22:57.910 --> 03:23:02.570

Cooper City Hall: the resolution the Mayor determines the seeding arrangements.

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03:23:02.600 --> 03:23:12.280

Cooper City Hall: I don't believe that that should be a function of just solely the mayor. I believe that's a function of this governing body. And here is why I say that

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Cooper City Hall: historically is historically.

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Cooper City Hall: The perception is that if you are sitting. If you get moved to this seat, you are in time out

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03:23:29.470 --> 03:23:36.270

Cooper City Hall: historically. and based on. you know

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03:23:36.370 --> 03:23:46.860

Cooper City Hall: whatever, because i'm not. The Mayor and I don't determine that. But historically the perception, I'll say my perception, because I can't speak for any other person. My perception is that.

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03:23:47.250 --> 03:23:59.130

Cooper City Hall: as I have seen on this, and I've been the longest serving prior to commission. I know, Commissioner Melody, this is your, you know, actually, technically your fourth time around right? Because you got right.

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03:23:59.870 --> 03:24:07.230

Cooper City Hall: but as of right now I've been. I'm the longest serving on here, and I have seen historically, where people that have been relegated.

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03:24:07.600 --> 03:24:14.400

Cooper City Hall: and I embrace this area. I love it over here now. but people that have been relegated over here. The perception is that

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03:24:14.510 --> 03:24:17.470

Cooper City Hall: well, the mayor is putting them in time out.

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03:24:18.560 --> 03:24:19.520

Cooper City Hall: and

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03:24:20.790 --> 03:24:28.260

Cooper City Hall: I believe all of us up here are professionals. and all of us have have should have the right to determine

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03:24:28.470 --> 03:24:30.750

Cooper City Hall: what this day is.

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03:24:30.990 --> 03:24:50.180

Cooper City Hall: How this day is, is going to reflect our residents. If I have my brothers Mayor Ross, with all due respect, i'd have 2 elected officials on your right, 2 elected officials on your left, I would have our staff kind of spread out on the dais. So you have a colleague, so you have. So you have

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03:24:50.180 --> 03:24:51.200

Cooper City Hall: the body

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03:24:51.960 --> 03:25:07.860

Cooper City Hall: of elected officials. You're you're the chairman of the board. You're the chairman that runs it. And then you have those individuals to your right and to your left, which signifies that we're all in this together, and we are working this together as it looks now

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03:25:08.310 --> 03:25:09.150

Cooper City Hall: it's.

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03:25:09.260 --> 03:25:14.140

Cooper City Hall: and this is my perception as it looks. I'm the mayor and everybody else

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03:25:14.610 --> 03:25:19.030

Cooper City Hall: right. They they roll to my drumbeat.

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03:25:19.830 --> 03:25:24.430

Cooper City Hall: and I know that you have never said that, and i'm not going to ever put

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03:25:24.820 --> 03:25:28.410

Cooper City Hall: words in your mouth. But that's just my perception, and I believe that

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Cooper City Hall: if we're talking about we want to be harmonious.

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03:25:33.340 --> 03:25:37.000

Cooper City Hall: and we want to reflect this to our residents.

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Cooper City Hall: then it has to be. They have to know that. Okay, everybody, wherever they're sitting. The the this collegial body said, this is what we, what we believe is the best course of action. I know I've talked a whole lot. My apologies for that, but that's where

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03:25:52.030 --> 03:25:56.630

Cooper City Hall: That's where I'm at. I'm done. Thank you. Commission and Sherter

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03:25:58.350 --> 03:26:03.770

Cooper City Hall: starting in, I guess the same order would be preferable. Okay.

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03:26:03.970 --> 03:26:07.750

Cooper City Hall: one of order. The who was the the second of the motion

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03:26:08.060 --> 03:26:10.940

Cooper City Hall: here with me. I don't think we made a motion. No, we did.

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03:26:11.260 --> 03:26:15.040

Cooper City Hall: No. What's the discussion? Catch me my apologies. Thank you.

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03:26:16.220 --> 03:26:20.090

Cooper City Hall: Don't let you go first, alright, so

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03:26:21.120 --> 03:26:29.210

Cooper City Hall: mine are all over the place, I think. But I guess I can try to go. I'm. I'm not gonna talk about the exact right. Now. Proclamations, I don't know what we were talking about.

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03:26:29.480 --> 03:26:34.200

Cooper City Hall: There. is it? Does anyone know why we have issuing a proclamations on there?

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03:26:36.780 --> 03:26:40.210

Cooper City Hall: Okay? Well, i'm gonna skip that. I can send you away. because.

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03:26:40.510 --> 03:26:44.690

Cooper City Hall: according to Commissioner Melody, we're supposed to fill out a form.

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03:26:44.940 --> 03:26:49.500

Cooper City Hall: But nobody knew about this. I never heard about a form. You guys used to do this

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03:26:50.600 --> 03:27:03.380

Cooper City Hall: and present 3 forms of Id So if you did, you guys, you guys fill it out of the the person did it for you? No, it's. It's more than just the form. It's

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Cooper City Hall: part of the proclamations are what if we don't agree on the proclamation, so we can have a proclamation that we're in support of what's the one that we that we want to more information on the the Ap African American.

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03:27:25.620 --> 03:27:44.570

Cooper City Hall: That's not something that we're in support of. So it should be something that we should discuss beforehand. Yes, we are in support of this Don't just ultimately assume that this is there, and then same thing with proclamation. So I might want to give you, Commissioner Catsman, a proclamation, because I think your blue glasses are awesome.

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Cooper City Hall: but

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03:27:45.780 --> 03:28:06.170

Cooper City Hall: they don't. He can't say you move on. I'm just have you guys had issues with it? Has it been abused? No. But and then also. So if I say that I want to give you, I'm just gonna again use you as

an example. What if I want to give you a proclamation on your blue glasses. Then I should be giving you that proclamation. If I remember correctly, you put the learner girls.

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03:28:06.250 --> 03:28:26.210

Cooper City Hall: You gave them a recognition. But yet you do. We're not the one that gave it to them. So I mean, if you're going to actually do that, then you should also. So that's I think that needs to be clarified. I'll let you talk more about that. No, I just because I i'm trying to go through there. I have my own items. But yeah.

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Cooper City Hall: I agree. 1130, and I'm just gonna go on my own. So

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03:28:32.850 --> 03:28:33.980

Cooper City Hall: seating

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Cooper City Hall: I do think we are. We should evaluate the seeding process.

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03:28:40.690 --> 03:28:49.140

Cooper City Hall: I like Commissioner Green's idea of having. if it, if it works logistically with I mean, I presume the clerk would need to sit on the end.

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03:28:49.390 --> 03:28:58.570

Cooper City Hall: For technical reasons. I don't know about the manager of the attorney, but I do kind of like the idea of the Mayor setting center, and I think, and then having 2 commissioners on either side.

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03:28:58.730 --> 03:29:08.080

Cooper City Hall: maybe the attorneys that's on one side. The manager sits on the other side of the day is. and and I was thinking, you know, a more fair way of choosing the seats could be

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Cooper City Hall: allowing this, the most senior Commissioner to choose his oversee.

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Cooper City Hall: and then the next Senior Commissioner and etc., or just the Senior Commissioner, sit next to the Mayor on either side, and then the least seniors. It further down.

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03:29:23.840 --> 03:29:27.940

Cooper City Hall: I know other cities do it by seat, number or district number

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Cooper City Hall: things like that, but I think it. I I do think kind of like letting you.

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03:29:32.960 --> 03:29:43.930

Cooper City Hall: You know you guys get to speak first. You might as well get to pick your seat. and maybe you want to sit on that, and I don't know, but but it should be your choice. So that's my suggestion. On seating

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03:29:44.890 --> 03:29:53.050

Cooper City Hall: we have a lot of language referring to Collins in this resolution. Yeah, like people can call in, there's no like reference to

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03:29:54.440 --> 03:30:04.270

Cooper City Hall: zoom it, zoom, type, technology, or whatever the the overarching technology is. And I think we should clean that up, you know. I'm sure Mr. Harwood can find a way to

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Cooper City Hall: streamline that you know virtual

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Cooper City Hall: technology, and that there's a a concept that really came to be there any time of Covid, which is the State, refers to as communications media technology. And there's a whole mechanism under the administrative code that allows for use of that.

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03:30:20.400 --> 03:30:34.020

Cooper City Hall: I don't think there's going to be an issue with that. And, by the way, as as this discussion goes along, i'm. I'm taking notes. But my intention is not to make any amendments until they're collectively discussed and agreed upon by the Commission

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03:30:34.030 --> 03:30:36.940

Cooper City Hall: I'm. Going to assume his agreed upon. But we can

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Cooper City Hall: do it. However, I just wanted to bring that up. Since we're updating this, is it your intent to allow for the use of communications media technology. Well, so I think that's my next thing. Just the the verbiage as well. I mean, we have telephone in there. People don't use that word. They don't use telephones.

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03:30:54.170 --> 03:31:05.680

Cooper City Hall: Just switch the telephone word to the the new word which would include exactly, and then on that note we do have language in here that dictates that no member may attend

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Cooper City Hall: more than 3 by phone.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't know how we can enforce that.

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Cooper City Hall: That. You know the members are are are elected by the people, and if they decide to call in or zoom in or fax into any meeting

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Cooper City Hall: kind of up to the residents to say they agree with that or not? Or what? If the person is ill, or you know there's something else.

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Cooper City Hall: I just thought that was something to consider. I Don't. I'm not like.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, going to land on the sword for that one. But I just wanted to bring that up to the group and

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Cooper City Hall: on public comment. I we're kind of all over the place on the public comment. We have 4 min, for one thing. We have 3 min for another. Then we have 2 min at the end, and I I want to make sure our our community, their residence, and and

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Cooper City Hall: the public has an opportunity to voice their opinion on anything that we're doing. I just thought it. Maybe we there's a better way to like, say, 3 min across the board or 4 min across the board, whatever it is, and then in in why does it have to be public comment or agenda item? Can it just be public comment, agenda, item.

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Cooper City Hall: and

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Cooper City Hall: you know also I I would. I don't know if we need to put this in the ordinance or not, but I think we should have a policy on yielding or not yielding. You know it's typically.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. Been I. I think it might be better to say no yielding. You know you. You. You get your 3 min, you get your 4 min, and then you're done.

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Cooper City Hall: Those Those are my initial thoughts. I'd love to hear what my colleagues have to say, and i'm guessing we're gonna do more than one. Go around. and i'm sorry for turning my back to you.

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Maybe if we change the Seating Training

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Cooper City Hall: Commission. It's Router. Okay, the

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Cooper City Hall: first thing duties and responsibilities of Executive Assistant

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Cooper City Hall: i'm not. I don't know how that get on there. I thought we were going to discuss

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Cooper City Hall: the hiring of the executive, the executive assistant. Am I off on that?

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Cooper City Hall: I didn't think you want?

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Cooper City Hall: I think it's been put out.

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Cooper City Hall: What's that about?

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Cooper City Hall: But we're not someone.

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, apparently it came from you then i'm just saying nobody. I don't know what that meant. So i'm not prepared okay. all right, so i'll hold that on until you get to it.

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Cooper City Hall: Issuing of proclamations. I think it's fine. I understand the potential for abuse. If all of a sudden. you know one of us wants to give out a proclamation to Al Qaeda.

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Cooper City Hall: I would assume that the mayor wouldn't sign it, and then we would have another discussion on on this. But if you know, it's kind of worked, and you know, at some point, we have to be responsible for our own actions. But I do see what you're saying. If you got someone rogue and they start giving up proclamations to

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Cooper City Hall: you know all kinds of fringe groups. That's an issue.

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Cooper City Hall: And and I also do believe that if you are going to give out a proclamation that you should be the one that delivers it. I just I don't know that we need to codify that, though, like that's to me is like manners.

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Cooper City Hall: If that makes sense, or or you know.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I before you got off Proclamations Commission. The only thing I wanted to say on proclamations and in Commissioner Green kind of touched on it. I know you. You you feel kind of feel. The same way is that you know we do those at the at the recognition meetings, but

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Cooper City Hall: oftentimes proclamations are are month are designated a month, you know. Hard month, you know. whatever it may be. And so if you wait until the quarterly

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Cooper City Hall: event, you've really missed the the purpose of the proclamation. So a lot of times we we kind of have to put them on a regular agenda because it loses its meaning. I, I just. And so you can all discuss whether you want to continue, you know. Push them all. But you know we at times we do put them on.

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Cooper City Hall: because it's a designating a month generally. I mean, i'd love to push them all. But i'm not. I'm not.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, don't do that in assembly. But I think what we can do is if people are not here to accept it, then we don't have to read the yeah, for I definitely don't think of no one. If they don't show up, we shouldn't read it right. It should just be mounted them well. But and also what if?

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Cooper City Hall: And again, let's just use Al. Qaeda. What if you know September is out kind of month?

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Cooper City Hall: I'll tell you what happens. You put it on. and then.

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Cooper City Hall: whoever the Mayor is, I expect them to to not sign that one. Or if it's to the Nazis of North America.

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Cooper City Hall: and then we're gonna have a big pow out and have a big process. But you're totally right. I mean if it's somebody who

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Cooper City Hall: is, if it's going to something that you know

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Cooper City Hall: you can't legislate everything. But I understand that that may not be something that we agree on.

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Cooper City Hall: You know there's like, I mean. In reality you can have a a holiday a day I mean my My husband had a calendar.

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Cooper City Hall: I forgot when that every day had a had a different holiday, which was ridiculous. But they are out there. So

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Cooper City Hall: And what if there is something ridiculous that we don't agree on. But yet then we have to exercise self-control, probably. What for Con could be March. And okay, we're adding bureaucracy. You're right. We're running bureaucracy, or or are we taking it away because we're saying we don't necessarily have to agree with every month.

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Cooper City Hall: or every proclamation, or what happens when the League again will go back to the ap classes, and that wasn't a proclamation. I don't remember what that was a resolution. So what if the League wants us to

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Cooper City Hall: cast a resolution because we want to support them in the black History ap class? But yet none of us had the information on it, and there were at least 3 of us that were against it, not because we were against it, but so then the proclamation be should be signed by the individual Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: But it's a it, is it, then, representative of everyone? Because

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Cooper City Hall: I believe you're the you as the the the head on show you are the one that signs them not. You know they don't care about our signature. Oh, if he decides and sorry. Just i'm using you as an example. If he decides he wants to support

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Cooper City Hall: the League in. I have absolutely no idea red apples, because that's what the League is lobbying for.

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Cooper City Hall: But we are against that, or it's not something you have no bone in this. No, I understand. He signs the proclamation should not, should not be issued for political positions, but it's constant. We do it all the time, not for political position, not but with issues absolutely right. But is it an issue that we like? What is she? Do we issue a proclamation for they they did the the a. We didn't do a proclamation that it was a

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Cooper City Hall: It was a resolution.

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Cooper City Hall: resolutions, and proclamations. While this says it, there are 2 separate entities, but the theory is the same, and I'm just going to use you as an example, so he is going to potentially go with the Broward League of Cities, or the National League or the Florida League supports. I don't know, not having Home Rule.

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Cooper City Hall: Not that it's going to happen, but just as an example, if we, if that's not something that sits with us, so we don't have a. We don't have a dog in that fight. Why are we usually issuing a proclamation for something that might come back that wouldn't be a proclamation or resolution. You have to resolution you get to vote on.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, I just want to make sure that we're all going to yay, or nay, something, because I don't want. We have, you know, people in Tallahassee that can be frowned upon us if we support a or B. Okay. So maybe we put something in there that proclamations

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Cooper City Hall: should not be. Take

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Cooper City Hall: positions, policy positions. I don't know. I don't know. I think it's normally a recognition.

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Cooper City Hall: I mean it kind of says it kind of has a cover. What section? Something in 1 s. 1, 11, a 8,

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Cooper City Hall: 8 Pdf. 8, i'm sorry. Page 7 of the resolution Section 1.1 one sub, a

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Cooper City Hall: 1, 1, one presentation, recognition

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Cooper City Hall: it there.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. I just wanted to make sure that we voted on everything. and a lot of times we come here. and then

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Cooper City Hall: we go down to do a to do a presentation proclamation whatever.

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Cooper City Hall: There's no time to vote for that. We're doing it. You know what I'm saying. We're we're giving it. Okay, so in my personal experience, I've yet to experience. And i'm very cynical person, a proclamation issue that I

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Cooper City Hall: i'm not going to disagree with you. I just we're playing devil's advocate, and we're here to make sure that

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Cooper City Hall: we don't have issues. So i'm going to make sure that I cover everything. I don't think I even put this on there. What if there's a situation where and I and i'm gonna ask Mr. Horowitz what the protocol would be. Where, if a commissioner sees the you know, they they publish the agenda 10 days out.

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Cooper City Hall: It changes constantly.

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Cooper City Hall: So maybe a proclamation has to be on there 10 days out.

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Cooper City Hall: and if a commissioner says I don't want that proclamation on that agenda, they can pull it without asking for permission.

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Cooper City Hall: You know that you may be issued by whatever, without, in the necessity of the Commission action.

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Cooper City Hall: unless

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Cooper City Hall: objected by any member of

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Cooper City Hall: the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: and in that case it would require a vote.

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Cooper City Hall: That's fair. So, generally speaking, you're going to see the agenda 10 days out. It's going to say American heart month, and you're going to say that's totally fine. You find out about it, and then you can pull it like you can. Yeah. And then if but if it's Al Qaeda awareness, and you know somebody sees that they're going to say, most likely

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Cooper City Hall: say, I don't want that. And then you, then you have a vote.

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Cooper City Hall: Jacob. You can make some language like that. Yeah, I I can, if I may. What while we're on proclamations. The current resolution references a proclamation request form, which the manager had mentioned earlier. Again, my understanding is that process has not been used by the city for some time, with your permission to like to clean that up and eliminate the reference to that form.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I think that should just May. You know. Yeah, I think if they want to make a form, then that's on them. But I don't think we need to codify it. And and just just for what, what what my intention was, unless you all direct otherwise is.

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Cooper City Hall: After this discussion I like the opportunity to go back and work on some revisions to this resolution and bring back the item for adoption at the next commission meeting. Yes, thank you. So that's the proclamation. One the

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Cooper City Hall: 1130 time. I think that's fine, right, that says, unless with the as written here, we we added this language here

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Cooper City Hall: that it's gonna end by 1130, unless

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Cooper City Hall: the majority of the

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you know.

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Cooper City Hall: It used to be 15 min intervals.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: I want to switch to going in order of of

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Cooper City Hall: or she. So i'm. Okay, With that

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Cooper City Hall: the items. I'm: Sorry Commission, you're going in order to the resolution. Yeah, Thank you. Okay. So that's one. The items. I think that it should.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't think we should strike and salary Staff City staff. I I think the director should be able to put things on. I think of the finance director which per the job that everything does report to us on certain things.

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Cooper City Hall: I could see a commission advisor as to

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Cooper City Hall: advisor to the Commission on financial things or something. There's language in that. Just as a predicate. The the track changes that are currently reflected in the resolution are an outgrowth of the Commission's direction, that the manager, the clerk and I sit down and have a conversation and bring back some recommendations. These recommendations are an outgrowth of that conversation. I don't want to speak for the manager. But my understanding is.

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Cooper City Hall: the thought process was, if the manager can pull an item from the agenda that would represent the intentions or direction of any member of city staff.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I understand. But there's an obligation of the Finance director to make reports to us, and they can't do that if it was be blocked by the manager under this language, so that's why I think you know there was a reason why they had Salary City staff. Instead of that I would just say, directors.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, you know, change to leave the language, say, and the department directors.

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Cooper City Hall: I I I have a difficulty with that. Honestly, because now I have a department director going in contravention, if you will.

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to the job Description of the finance director, they're required to be our advisor as to financial matters.
And what if, what if it was getting blocked by the manager

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Cooper City Hall: so they couldn't bring something up to to the Commission at a public thing that it, you know

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Cooper City Hall: it. It is a necessary thing.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't think it's gonna happen

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Cooper City Hall: when there is a an issue.

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Cooper City Hall: We are the ones that should be bringing it up. I I think you can. You can. This is more long lines of a situation where

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Cooper City Hall: the agenda it'd be hijacked by the directives. I mean. Come come on, let's be realistic. We're gonna have a rogue directors just throwing. I mean, that's not going to happen. I mean, you know you have to have a process, or it's their way of getting rid of a city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: because city managers that one of their way of getting rid of a manager, because they will be a Jenna. I don't know. I'm making him. Oh, well, I told city manager that. Whoa, yeah, there's something called

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Cooper City Hall: See why a cover your apple.

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Cooper City Hall: and and that's why they have things in writing that goes professionally between city, manager and director.

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Cooper City Hall: but not to not to the actual governing body. That's the issue. So this is the way it goes to the governing body.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. But for you, a manager in your former life or something. I I agree with Mayor Ross on this, and Commissioner Sherter because it

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Cooper City Hall: and you're in your 30 years up here. Have you seen that as an issue. Well, I hadn't been up here 30 years

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Cooper City Hall: in your decade. Have you seen it as an issue with directors or

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Cooper City Hall: submitting things?

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, Here's here's what here's what we are going. So the city manager says in the Agenda reviews with the staff or the department has. Here's what we are presenting to the commission this is going to be. These are the items that are be placed on the on the agenda

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Cooper City Hall: at any point, because we.

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Cooper City Hall: pursuant to the Charter any point we have the ability to

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Cooper City Hall: investigate, to ask questions

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Cooper City Hall: of the department heads right

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Cooper City Hall: and the department heads. If they feel that there is something that needs to be on the agenda where they feel that Well, you know the city managers. We're not gonna touch this, but i'm just bringing it to your your attention.

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Cooper City Hall: The elected official, I I believe, has an obligation and a responsibility to go to the city manager and say, hey, look! This is what has occurred. I need more information as to why this individual, and perhaps bringing that department head in along with the city manager say, okay, Why, Why is this? Why do we have an issue with.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, either putting this on the agenda or taking it off? I think it it. It should be a situation where

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Cooper City Hall: we're working. We're working along those lines. So you want to put in here that the Department director has the right to speak to us. I'm: okay, with that, and we can take that off. Well, the they already have a right to speak to us. No, we have a right to inquire if we know. So to Osmosis. If we realize that there was an issue we can ask, but we they, they don't have a right.

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Cooper City Hall: They come to us at all. So so in my 13 years of being here

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Cooper City Hall: of all department heads have always had the flexibility to talk to me about anything, and I, and as they should have a and you codify that.

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Cooper City Hall: and we codify that, and just put that just like the the ability to, so they know that they will be fired. They bring something up to us, but I understand that there is a chain of command

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Cooper City Hall: when you're working with when you're working in an organization like this.

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Cooper City Hall: There is a chain of command, and that's not. That's not Co. Codified. Most business professionals understand that if there is a CEO that's in place. They know that the chain of command is that they are going to work through that their department head.

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Cooper City Hall: at least in my organization

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Cooper City Hall: we have to go through. We go through our chain of command, because when we go to the the head of the place

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Cooper City Hall: well have you talked to

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Cooper City Hall: your immediate supervisor. Have you? Have they had an opportunity to weigh in on this prior to you bringing and that's done for a reason. And so you know. At the end of the day the book stops with

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Cooper City Hall: the city manager. We can.

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Cooper City Hall: we do during an agenda review?

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Cooper City Hall: I think the the the I think the the on this is, or the perception

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Cooper City Hall: or the expectation. I'm sorry. The expectation that we have is that the department heads are going to be comfortable enough to to talk to the Commission in a proper setting about whatever it is

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Cooper City Hall: that they feel the city, the direction that the city should go in.

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Cooper City Hall: and that's all right. This is us. No, I I I agree with Commissioner Green. Did.

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Cooper City Hall: Department Director should be able to go straight to the commissioners will take this out.

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Cooper City Hall: Let's codify that. But there's no way you guys can do that, because that's a control issue. My, I don't know who goes to your general views, but I don't get all the directors at my general views, and I don't think the general views are codified. You, the people that come to the general views are the people who have items on the agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: But if they can't put an item on the agenda, and they can't talk to us.

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Cooper City Hall: Then how would we find out? But i'm not saying that we should them from talking to us? They all have. They would be the cause they could be fired because it doesn't allow them. We don't have a thing. I logically, even if if I have a bone, and I can use Joe. You, Joe. Sorry if I have a bone

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Cooper City Hall: to pick with Joe, and he's not doing something properly, and I want to bring it to your attention when I bring it to your attention. He's going to have an issue if he didn't want it brought to your attention, and he's going to make there no offense, but in theory he could make their life miserable.

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Cooper City Hall: I mean, think about it that way. They just talk to you on that download if you're ordered not to. I know department directors. If they were ordered not to, they would follow their orders. I know people who follow the rules, and if there's nothing that that prevents that.

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Cooper City Hall: Listen: I'm: okay, going with you guys method and let him talk to us. I love that.

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Cooper City Hall: But I don't know that's practical.

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Cooper City Hall: Can you imagine that, especially under Mr. Napoli, who is very big and controlling information, he would never allow that that's not. That's not correct the Commission, because if you. If you ever said in any of my set meetings

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from the day one I've always said I want to never been invited. I want to. I want to. Well, because i'm telling you what the guidance I give to them at the directors is that they I want them to have good open communications with with commissioners, and I encourage that you can ask any one of those directors

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Cooper City Hall: that that if they feel free to be to be able to talk to the Commissioners, and not absolutely. The only thing I say is that you can't take direction from a commissioner, but we know that's not even discussion. And so, so I I what I would, and I know you don't want my opinion. But if what I would recommend on this, because I can

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Cooper City Hall: I it? This has never been an issue. I've been here 3 years, and so I never been an issue. We took out the salary staff because that means everybody in the city. You you want to. You want to get through at 1130, I mean, if everybody on the city staff can can, feels that they can put things on the agenda, then salary. Well, that's just about everybody.

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Cooper City Hall: yeah. Salaries exempt employees. That's what salary means. So that that's a that's a large of people that that are. But we're right. We're talking about a re. No, I understand so. But I would not say directors. I would say that the people that you're specifically talking about those that have an obligation to, you know, to report to the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: because I I could see it going in the other direction of, if you may have I mean, I never experienced it. Don't expect to experience it, but you may have a a world director that thinks he can, you know. Just keep your She can just keep adding things to the for no reason. It really is not possible, because that would mean

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Cooper City Hall: that the rogue director would have to be supported by a majority of the Commission, because this is a a document that is controlled by the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: So if you had a rogue director, you would terminate that director

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Cooper City Hall: right? Yeah. But you would if you had a rogue director. That was yeah. We have to approve it if you had, if you had a rogue director that was undermining, undermining the city of the city managers authority and their responsibility, what better way to do it is to go to the Commission and say, hey, I can't get this on the agenda. But you, as the elected official, you can get that on the agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: You know that for discussion. No, no; but you but what we're talking. Oh, no, we don't what nobody proposed. We're we're discussing, allowing it to stay, as is, which is never been an issue, but actually tightening the language up instead of saying salaried.

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Cooper City Hall: saying, Directors

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Cooper City Hall: and i'd argue that there's probably another person who should be able to outside of directors, probably procurement manager, because that's not a director, but that the way our code is is somewhat written. They have somewhat independent authority.

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Cooper City Hall: right? The procurement manager. What are you gonna call purchasing agent?

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Cooper City Hall: That's a major checks and mountains? The purchasing agent should be able to report if they if somebody wanted them to go with this contract.

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Cooper City Hall: But let's not go down rabbit holes. Okay, let's not go down rabbit holes it instead of salary staff directors. That's my

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Cooper City Hall: mayor. Make sure. Just on that note I I I agree with Commissioner shrouded because I

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Cooper City Hall: here here's the thing. If a if a director is of using the situation, they're very quickly going to be there are going to be repercussions.

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Cooper City Hall: either. You know they're going to be reprimanded by the manager for bringing up in a and issues, or the especially if the Commission is sitting there saying, Why are you here? Why are you wasting our time. It's gonna quickly

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Cooper City Hall: results in that director, being. you know.

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Cooper City Hall: achieving negative results for themselves. So I think it's going to self-control, I mean, if I, if a. If a director feels the need to come to the Commission for something, it's probably something big.

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Cooper City Hall: or it's, you know. purchasing.

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Cooper City Hall: You know a truck. You know we have on here purchasing a truck for the department. If it, instead of saying, what does it say on here.

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Cooper City Hall: you, it says, utilities

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Cooper City Hall: so utilities for for not for the truck, but mega flux fee is from utilities. Well, the the the reality is, most of these items come from the direct. I mean, I don't. I don't gin up these items. We sit. We sit here so tomorrow we're gonna go through this agenda, and we're gonna do all the action I have to this agenda. And then the next part of the meeting is what is coming up on the next agenda, and the director saying, I know I've got this. I've got this, and I've got this.

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Cooper City Hall: I never say no, we're not going to put that on. I will say maybe we're going to put it on the next agenda, because we don't have time to get it through, or we need. But you know very. I Don't. I've never said we're not going to put an item on an agenda when a director, because the director generally needs to have his items passed to to for operational purposes. So there's really

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Cooper City Hall: not an issue. But I just I I my my only concern, and and I and I understand your your point is

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Cooper City Hall: looking at it from the manager's perspective. I I you're looking obviously from yours. But if you do have that road to get it

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Cooper City Hall: director, who for some reason has favor with commercial and and is working that then that that could that could be, it would have to be, and that's different. That's a difficult situation for a manager to handle when you have someone who but a be playing. And i'm going to use this playing that game. But, Mr. Manager, if that was the case, I mean at least we any salaried staff could have been doing that for the past.

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Cooper City Hall: However, I agree, i'm. I'm. Saying it's never been a problem. You know what i'm saying so I think it's. I I think it's it's like you said it's it's honing it in. But allowing them for specific reasons to come in. It's going to work itself out. If you have a. If you have a rogue employee, you're very quickly going to. There's going to be an Hr. Issue.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, if they're if they're just adding on, you know I want to talk about.

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Cooper City Hall: But how so? How how is it going to be an Hr. In one of the things that I think we have to you

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Cooper City Hall: that you have to be mindful of?

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Cooper City Hall: You know we're talking about a rogue employee right to, the commissioner shouted.

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Cooper City Hall: You say? Well, that rogue employee needs 3.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, that rogue employee is probably going to be going to a number of people elected officials and saying, hey, this is what I believe should be on the ginger, or this is what I think things should be happening right

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Cooper City Hall: trying to get that support of 3 elected officials right? And if they ha and and if they have that.

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Cooper City Hall: and in, and the commission, or that in an individual is bringing that forward

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Cooper City Hall: unbeknownst to the city manager who is responsible for running the day to day operations. Right? Let's say that this is this: this employee

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Cooper City Hall: didn't consult with the city manager

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Cooper City Hall: felt like, you know what this is, what I believe that the city should do.

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Cooper City Hall: and I don't believe that I have. I don't. I don't have to go to the city manager

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Cooper City Hall: and i'm going to bring this before the commission, so that the Commission can play can can place it on the item. And then what? That's why I don't think that that community oral communication is the right way they should have to do it transparently

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Cooper City Hall: in in the form of adding an agenda. Item. It's very simple. I'm gonna put this on. The boss comes and say, hey, we're not going to hear that, and you're either going to do it or you don't do it right.

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Cooper City Hall: and if you do it, anyway, the boss gonna come and say, I would like to terminate this person. Well, why do you determine it? Because I told him No. And you know what we're going to term

him. But if it was something that was serious, like disclosing something, we would say, No, you should have told us yourself.

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Cooper City Hall: I I but there, there's a protocol that you're missing, and that is, if there's a director that wants to go rogue and put something on. We're talking about things that are realistic. But

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Cooper City Hall: the director will, because he won't, be able to do it. assuming that they're not on there.

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Cooper City Hall: So he's got to come to the commission.

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Cooper City Hall: and and Joe's already said it's open line of communication. Forget that even for a moment.

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Cooper City Hall: Commission a a, a road director, comes and talks to any one of us. If, as Commissioner Catherine says, it's important enough.

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Cooper City Hall: and we are going to put it on, however. But then go ahead and allow them to do it. They're airing dirty laundry when all what has to be done is

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Cooper City Hall: when we have that information from any director I know, I turn around and say, let me find out, and I give Joe a phone call. Okay. So then why Don't? We say

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Cooper City Hall: that the directors can request an item to be put on via the manager or commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: Exactly what you said. Let's go and codify. They can come to us. They would go to you saying, Ryan, that's that's more of a mess. But i'm okay with your guys example. But that's that's a joke. You have to have the wherewithal

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Cooper City Hall: to figure out the politics of what they're trying. I I do, of course. Yeah, it's just like when the police get a tip right they go. Oh, is this person mad? For this reason. What? Yeah, You've got it right?

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Cooper City Hall: So I'm: I'm: okay. But let's go ahead for the law abiding employees. Let's go ahead and codify the fact that they have the ability to come to a commissioner. But here's a but a commissioner, commissioner, directors on employees. Yeah. Could be directors right? Commissioner shrouded.

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Cooper City Hall: I hear I hear what you're saying right.

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Cooper City Hall: and I believe that the charter says that

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Cooper City Hall: the the elected body we have the right to interview the staff. We can ask questions of the staff we have that we have that liberty to do that

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Cooper City Hall: right. It also says in the Charter, it talks about the individuals that

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Cooper City Hall: are designated pursuant to the charter that has a an obligation or responsibility to report to the Commission, I, the city manager, and I the city

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Cooper City Hall: attorney. Right? I'm not following you, saying.

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Cooper City Hall: pursuant to the charter, the charter makes it very clear who the who works for the who directly works for the commission. It's the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's the city attorney. Correct? No, no, charter doesn't say the internal auditor just to or it's. What does the charter say

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Cooper City Hall: the the the Charter provides for 2 direct reports to the City Commission. There's the city manager and the city attorney by ordinance. This commission has established the Commission auditor position as a direct report to the Commission as well. Okay, when he says direct 40 is talking about reporting to us as as far as we get to direct them.

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Cooper City Hall: Not Well, we're we're giving information correct, I say direct what I mean. I mean it. It's a position that is hired by and subject to, the this commission's will right, and so that so the department heads

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Cooper City Hall: is, is, becomes, as a recommendation

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Cooper City Hall: from the city manager to the elected body.

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Cooper City Hall: The city manager is responsible for that function.

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Cooper City Hall: So if the city manager is, is responsible for that function in terms of bringing qualified individuals for department hit positions or up

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Cooper City Hall: just positions in general.

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Cooper City Hall: The book stops with the city manager, so if the book stops with the city manager, if they are responsible for that, then they should have the ability to determine if there, if one of their staff members, if they have something, and I, I keep hearing it over and over. If this there is No. During the set meetings during the gender reviews

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Cooper City Hall: it's encouraged by the city manager. Hey, look! You have the you have the ability to to speak to the elected officials that authority. They are operating under the authority of that city manager who is the CEO of the operations.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, so we so but put it in writing that they have that right.

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Cooper City Hall: You want to put in in writing. This is what

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Cooper City Hall: you're saying.

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Cooper City Hall: According to Mr. Napoli's policy, that there's an open door where there's an open door policy. Do we want to put that in writing? And it's not always Mr. It's only just an accidentally for another

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Cooper City Hall: 14 days, somewhere 17 days. So what if? What if that would be an absolute disaster codifying that the reality is, there is a process for them to come to us via the agenda thing. It's very it. It it's not going to be abused. It hasn't been abused, and if it's abused

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Cooper City Hall: we'll change it.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. But once you fix something, it's not. Yeah. But you you're trying to fix something that's not broken. But once you put something that you codify it now, now that

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Cooper City Hall: it's it's what's caught it's it. It currently allows any salary employee. I'm: No, no, no, no, it does. Yes, I'm saying, let's cut it narrow that down to Just so. We were cutting that out.

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Cooper City Hall: That was the manager's recommendation that we cut that out little power grab, and we're going to give back a little bit. Not all of it right. It's smooth. I've done the same thing.

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Cooper City Hall: and so let's set a salary. Let's just do directors.

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Cooper City Hall: I think it's fair compromise. Right, Mr. Manager. Hold on, Hold on.

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Cooper City Hall: yeah, right.

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Cooper City Hall: all right. So what you're saying is in salary staff.

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Cooper City Hall: That's what it currently says

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Cooper City Hall: by providing a written request. This is to we're talking about

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Cooper City Hall: items to be placed on the City Commission. So if you're saying that, and Department has, by providing a written request to the city clerk, i'm saying, Changed and salary, city staff to and department directors.

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Cooper City Hall: so they can. So currently they can do that Any salary branding, not just any set, any salary. So you want to lim limit it to department heads.

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Cooper City Hall: but they don't, they don't have to go through the city manager. Now they're going to go through the manager. They're going to go to the clerk, and the manager is going to look at the they're with me, Commissioner. We're saying now that the directors can go directly to the clerk. Say, put this on. They've always been able to do that

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Cooper City Hall: now it both the

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Cooper City Hall: protocol and chain of command, now for the past 3 years. Look at look at this. It does not change. It currently allows a salary employee. So so, so, Commissioner. So let's codify that. Then let's say, items

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Cooper City Hall: may be placed on the City Commission agenda by the mayor, members of the Commission, the city manager, city attorney.

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Cooper City Hall: the by, by providing

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Cooper City Hall: a written request to the city clerk. Additionally. department heads may provide

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Cooper City Hall: through a written request to the city of the city clerk and approved by the city manager to place items on the agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: I understand your position. I understand the Mayor's position. I do not agree with you

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Cooper City Hall: for the question. But but why?

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Cooper City Hall: Because that therefore blocks their ability to do it, because the manager could say, I don't approve, but there's still. Well, there's but there's a chain of command, and they they are the city the manager. It can do is train a command? No, it has everything to do with the chain of it. It's your bypassing it. You are submitting something to the clerk who's in charge of the agenda. What does that mean by passing? You're going around You're getting in the back door. That which you can't get through.

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No, he he's gonna he he has to, he approves them. It comes through munic code, or whatever the agenda thing he approves them.

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Cooper City Hall: It's not bypassing. It's not like he wakes up one day, and all of a sudden the items on there it's got to be done 10 days in advance, so he so it comes through. So it comes to this process right.

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Cooper City Hall: The city manager sees it, and he says that that doesn't go on the agenda yup! And and they they still persist, and they push that to be put on there right, he says. In you have, he says. Now that that's check me, you do that to your boss. It' be a dang. He says that doesn't that doesn't happen.

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Cooper City Hall: and you're going to persist, and you and then and that employee persists, and so that that that that employee just like developers, the lobbyists that come into the city. They know that it takes at least 3 votes.

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Cooper City Hall: There is the 3 support on this day is they need they? They can say, okay. He he mixed it.

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Cooper City Hall: or the next city manager. They mixed it. Guess what? I'm still gonna get it on the agenda because i'm gonna find 3 P. 3 elected officials that i'm gonna they should have cast me

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Cooper City Hall: to me, brother. So then, right if that's the case. They don't need one. They could do it themselves, and they could do that one time. And even if I disagree with Joe, if he had a rogue director do that

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Cooper City Hall: I would absolutely support him, and terminating that person if it wasn't that important of an item.

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Cooper City Hall: and they decided to pick a fight and defy their boss over something that important, I absolutely would, would agree to fire them absolutely. We we. It is our job to be responsible elected officials. We must

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Cooper City Hall: be able to sort through things like that. What if you have a not, what if you have angst against the city manager? If 3 of you have against. Then I guess you get a new city.

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Cooper City Hall: So if you have a staff member, come in, go, rogue against the city manager, and this is not. Please know this has nothing to do with you. And Mr. Now this is a hypothetical. This is what we need, a hypothetical. So so if a director says, I want to put on.

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Cooper City Hall: you know the manager is abusing employees that you know verbally abusing employees all right. The manager is going to block that from going on the agenda, most likely.

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Cooper City Hall: So then

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Cooper City Hall: I say

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Cooper City Hall: no, i'm putting it on the agenda. It's my right by resolution.

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Cooper City Hall: I show up here.

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Cooper City Hall: and I put myself on the line, and I speak at that podium until the Commission and the city attorney and the clerk and the manager.

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Cooper City Hall: You're abusing us.

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Cooper City Hall: I mean the the Commission is going to evaluate that. And at the end of the day, on that particular issue it's going to be either major repercussions for the manager, or may major repercussions, and it's 3 of us. No; and if 3 of us felt that it was important enough to override the management. Then the manager got it wrong, but that should have been me notified if you all had this great internal audit

who set up this wonderful hotline, and so they going to be calling the hotline. Thank you. I rest. Listen! Listen! Imagine utilities. Director

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Cooper City Hall: wants to tell us that there's a lead in the water. Right? We' something outrageous, right? No manager, no, no, no, no, no!

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Cooper City Hall: That person is going to take. If they take a major step. and the and at least the majority of us think it was important enough to override the manager when the manager was wrong. He should have told us that information. What about he or she? They nowhere, not not codified. So then, your hotline means nothing.

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Cooper City Hall: The hotline is is something totally different. No; but the if they report it to the hotline that it goes to the Hr.

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Cooper City Hall: Department. So no I got You guys are just. This has not been an issue before. I understand why the manager struck it. I would do the same thing if I was the manager. He understands why I don't want to strike it, we we get it, and a compromise is to leave it to directors. Not all salary employees. That's a water down compromise.

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Cooper City Hall: Right? So let's all agree on that I agree on the one, and if it's an issue, then 3 of us can change it next your your and and i'm going to say this. Watch out what you wish for. You may get it. It's currently like that, Mayor. It it is not the directors.

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Cooper City Hall: it is. It's any salary. I know what directors assist system directors, practical. I accountants here. I agree with you. That's how it's written in practicality. The directors know to go through their bones. They'll continue to do that because they got to do a 10 days. I give the opportunity you have. I'm saying it's because

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it's crossed out. Leave it that way. Keep it simple.

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Cooper City Hall: because again, we're and and Commissioner Green was the one who just hit, and we need to limit things. The number of items on the agenda. With this we're going to get. Let's please stop wasting time on an issue that has not it? We didn't. We didn't bring this up last time it was slit in there. I get it. I'm with you. I'd have done the same thing.

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Cooper City Hall: We're gonna water it down, anyway. Why don't we just move on. Why would be difficult, guys. I I don't think, would be in difficult

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Cooper City Hall: that that's my point. So you're making it one.

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Cooper City Hall: This wasn't discussed by us. I'm looking at at this proposed thing, and it has. We never brought it over. Review it, and that's why we're discussing it now. I Don't. Personally, I don't see the need.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Melosie. do you agree with Commissioner Patsman and I, so we could end this conversation

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Cooper City Hall: that you want to limit it to department heads and not everyone else.

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Cooper City Hall: Yes, i'm. Okay with it. So do we have a consensus to move past. We agree to disagree. Mr. May. We agree to disagree. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: next one. But mark it down. And I said, No, okay. Go ahead. Deadline. Same here. Thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: Deadline. Okay, I believe I don't like the 5 Pm. Thing. because I have another job. So what I usually do is I wait for the agenda to come out, and I have to tell the end of that data to add my stuff. The I think the the we're required 48 h notice

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Cooper City Hall: this is plenty of notice. It could be done

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Cooper City Hall: right here, they added in 5 Pm. Because what happened is usually on Tuesday night, Ryan sends in all his all his things. Guess who meets Tuesday in the app. Actually in the morning. Change your change of time. Oh, the Wednesday Brian can't do it. Change your schedule to do this, or you're retired.

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Cooper City Hall: but it's a 5 Pm. Anyway, you you don't need before 5 Pm. Do you? I mean you before 5 Pm. So that's my point. Sorry I just said what times you meet usually.

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Cooper City Hall: and I am

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Cooper City Hall: so so it it doesn't matter.

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Cooper City Hall: You meet on Wednesday or Tuesday.

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Cooper City Hall: so right if they if they keep it on Tuesday at 5. Isn't that what it is they change. I go when I have my intended review.

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Cooper City Hall: and then they have 7 h to change exactly what I went over. We still have time, because you do it at 10 am. So you want to be 5 h instead of 7. No, 7 h is already. I have more than 7 past your agenda. I have like right now 13 or 14 points, so he changes it. Now I've got to come back in for another agenda. Either way it gets changed there. We don't do it by 10 am.

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Cooper City Hall: Right. What we're saying is, if your agenda review is at 10 am. On Tuesday right? And the agenda and the deadline to place items is 5 Pm. On Tuesday

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Cooper City Hall: on the new I on the new wording you're still. It's still too late, I know.

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Cooper City Hall: So i'd be there. I'm waiting for everyone. I'm telling you you'd have to make it Monday. What do you want? You want? You want it? Tuesday at 10 am. No, no. What Monday? No. Don't go. We're not taking any time. Yeah, he could do his meeting on Wednesday.

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Cooper City Hall: No.

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Cooper City Hall: everyone's in charge of my calendar. Check me. Everyone is going to compromise on this, but if you were to do it Monday by midnight

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Cooper City Hall: by midnight Monday.

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Cooper City Hall: which is Tuesday night. That's what I do. That's plenty of time at least all day. Wednesday all day, Thursday all day, Friday all day. Monday. That's good for business days. What's in a week? So I don't care if it is not about Joe, the city manager, going to have an agenda review

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Cooper City Hall: on the same day. I don't know that

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Cooper City Hall: it's kind of up to us when we his boss, we let him know when they are okay.

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Cooper City Hall: I me to tell you. chain this one is geared towards me. There's one geared towards you on moving seats. My, my vote on that is contingent upon this. That's what we call horse trading. All right.

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Cooper City Hall: I hear you loud and clear.

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Cooper City Hall: So so we leave it as is, and I think that the Mayor. Okay. So you have the right to sign the seats. Okay. So yeah, Well, you, it takes 3, and I don't hear 3. So this is we're talking about my My yeah, it is him right now

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Cooper City Hall: you went before me. So, Commissioner, what? What exactly are you asking for? Okay. So right now, what happens sometimes is on by Friday afternoon 5 Pm. I'd have this day a week before

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Cooper City Hall: I go, and if things didn't make it the what's the what's the current policy. It just says Tuesday, which gives me to 1159 Tuesday. So that's the current yeah so you have until Tuesday to put something on the agenda, 1,159,

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Cooper City Hall: because what it says is 7 days by

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Cooper City Hall: That's what's currently there? Yes, Miss Allen, is that what's currently in place for

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Cooper City Hall: the City Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: It is

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Cooper City Hall: No, no. I just want to hear from you, if I may just just the the the resolution criminally. 2 sentences, because we had some discussion about this when the manager, the clerk, and I met on on this item: the resolution currently provides that the agenda shall be completed by the clerk's office and distributed to members of the Commission no later than the Friday

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right? And days prior to the meeting. Okay, that's right. Okay. Items placed on the agenda by members of the Commission

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Cooper City Hall: maybe provided to the city clerk for basement on the agenda. No later, no excuse me.

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Cooper City Hall: no later than the 7 7 days prior to the Commission meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: So, in other words, and this was a discussion we had. Was there an interest in the Commission on the harmonizing those 2 dates, because the clerk is required to publish the agenda to the Commission. 10 days prior to the Commission meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: Members of the Commission can place items on the agenda up to 7 days prior to the Commission. which is

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Cooper City Hall: crazy. No, it's not. It should be equal to the 10 days. No, it's not because you wait to see the agenda come out, and then something that you thought should be on the agenda didn't come out, and you Can' your your clock? What the next agenda is? No, no, no! When you get what you want on there, that's how it works. But when other people don't.

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Cooper City Hall: Listen, you guys, what you want, you guys don't follow the 10 day thing. This is trying to changes more times than than you know, so so you could pick whatever date you want. I will go psychotic if anything goes on it. After the 10 days which happened in every single meeting

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Cooper City Hall: wholeheartedly. It's a hard rule. Hard number. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: No, I think it should be 7 days. You guys are that doesn't a few hours that doesn't correspond with the 10 days. It's not supposed to, because what happens is, I say, hey, Mr. Manager, we need addresses on all we're going to address this, and I think it's going to come up, and then also that wait for the genetic amount it didn't come out on it. Now i'm stuck

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Cooper City Hall: one of the

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Cooper City Hall: so when the agenda comes out when the when the agenda, when the agenda comes out 10 days before we have access to that correct.

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Cooper City Hall: So at that point we can say we we with 10 days out, we we see. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: Our item is not on there.

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Cooper City Hall: So the Commission, after the after the agenda is published. Well, the Commission you know what we understand we want. We're gonna

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Cooper City Hall: you. You're gonna have an additional day or an additional 2 days to put to put something on the So that's what we have now. Yeah, 2 business days. So what's the problem with Greg is trying to take away a few hours on my one day.

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Cooper City Hall: but we currently have, but we currently have to. Yeah, so I usually do it by Tuesday night, right? So i'll i'm at my office. It's Tuesday night I look and I go. Okay. I got to, you know whatever, and then I send my stuff.

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Cooper City Hall: And then all of a sudden they didn't like my stuff one day, so they got You didn't send it by 5 Pm. Though.

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Cooper City Hall: or what this reads? No didn't it doesn't have a time period. What do you do on Monday nights? Commissioner Charlotte? I'm not going to do money now. Mission I here. This is day because I got it on Friday before they left. Yeah, but if you got a 10 days, if you got the agenda no, any day, 10 days, and we had it that Friday before. So how did you? How did you not have it? 10 days before the meeting?

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Cooper City Hall: And then I and then you say I want to put something on the agenda

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Cooper City Hall: and the and and the the practice is okay. We understand that the commission they work. They're very busy, right?

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Cooper City Hall: They They have the agenda 10 days out.

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Cooper City Hall: You're gonna get an additional 2 day a day or 2 by Cob whatever to add something to the agenda. Is that what we're talking about

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Cooper City Hall: Friday evening before the clerk leaves, we get the agenda

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Cooper City Hall: we currently have until the following Tuesday to add anything that Wasn't added. So that's the current policy. Yeah, he wants to shave some hours off of that Tuesday to make it 5 Pm. On Tuesday versus No. It's 30, actually

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Cooper City Hall: 5 Pm. On Monday, because Tuesday I have the agenda review. But I will go ahead and change. Okay. So Tuesday. Where? Where did you come up with Monday? That's not even here

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Cooper City Hall: what would

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Cooper City Hall: right so go ahead. So, Mr. Charlotte, you want to see at midnight? No, I want to stay the same.

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Cooper City Hall: which is at 1150 that the day of Tuesday, whatever the day of Tuesday is standard Eastern time. Let's compromise and make it 11,

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Cooper City Hall: so it's currently midnight.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, it's just any day during that Tuesday which gives you a lot of good news as to what it is that we're trying to accomplish here. It's it's already to. If it's currently Tuesday. At whatever the time I don't understand what the issue is me Either I don't. They showed up all of a sudden. We never talked about this, and it showed up now on this this wasn't one of the things we we discussed.

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Cooper City Hall: So is there something that is it creating more work for the staff when it comes in later.

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Cooper City Hall: Is that what it's doing is creating? It's it's it's not the the the intent, when we when we when we talk about this, this Wasn't directed. It's you, Commissioner. It is because i'm the only one who sends him after 5. Pm: yeah. So I'm: sorry to open that. And I have to say, Commissioner.

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Cooper City Hall: I did have some part in this recommendation only because this is really not a legal issue. But I was asked. Given. You know my experience, my firm's representation of other cities. How this works. It is a little uncommon for members of the Commission or staff to have an opportunity to add items to the agenda as a matter of routine

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Cooper City Hall: after the agenda is finalized, there is nothing unlawful about it. It's been the custom and practice in the city for a long time. I don't have any legal issue with it. but I think that the recommendation was to have a firm deadline for both staff and members of the Commission to finalize an agenda. So there's a period in time where we know there is a final agenda. Of course there are exceptions. You forced to meet arises 1159, and it doesn't make a difference from from my perspective. When that deadline is.

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Cooper City Hall: I think, the clerk's office and the manager. We're simply looking for a hard deadline for all agenda items.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, okay. Bye, By Wednesday, Wednesday By now, you just said Tuesday. Now you're saying Well, no, no, no, excuse me. I would like to leave it. Tuesday, 1139,

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Cooper City Hall: or Tuesday. I would like to leave it as is Tuesday.

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Cooper City Hall: Is that what it currently is?

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Cooper City Hall: That's the hard deadline for the commission. Yeah, for the Commission. That's the hard that Tuesday at noon? No, it just does Tuesday, which means Tuesday anytime.

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Cooper City Hall: and i'll tell you why. Because so I I try to tap is gone, and so the expectation is that staff is going to, so they're going to come it. So they're doing it on the morning when they get in. Yeah, but that's I don't believe that's reasonable. Co. B. 5 Pm. I don't understand what the close of business 5 Pm. You Why? Because for me I work on this stuff after hours, so

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Cooper City Hall: I get the agenda a lot of times after 5 on Friday. So that just gives me if you switch it to that. That gives me. One day I have heard Commissioner Shrouder

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Cooper City Hall: and I love you. You may not believe that. but I do love you.

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Cooper City Hall: and I have heard you say on this day is

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Cooper City Hall: that you've been out, You said earlier. You said earlier this evening

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Cooper City Hall: I was out at 3 am. Right with staff

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Cooper City Hall: hunting that seeing all of the ubers get all 32 people get dropped off right when I work after hours.

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Cooper City Hall: If you had, if you if God bless you for it. if you have the ability to do that at 3 am. With this, with working with the with the staff.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't understand why you don't have the ability to just get this in by Cob: Close a business at 5 Pm. On Tuesday, because I I do it after hours. I work. Yeah, but that's yeah, but you want you, but it's what you want, and and I don't believe that mayors what he wants. He wants is a jennifer, and that's what we're talking about. It's. I just don't honestly like the the staff, and I don't want to.

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Cooper City Hall: It was Your day technically ends at 5. Pm. I mean. I'm sure you might work a little late on occasion. But

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Cooper City Hall: so if it shows up at 5 Pm.

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Cooper City Hall: Or midnight, is there a difference? Because that really what's gonna happen in is somebody from the clerk's office, or or Miss Allen

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Cooper City Hall: is going to look at the agenda first thing Wednesday morning, finalize it and then push it back out, I presume. Am I right?

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Cooper City Hall: When will that be? You're right? There's no difference if I send it at 459. It's not getting done. You're gonna wait till Thursday till it's. But no Wednesday. No, no, no, no, we're we're. She will get it Wednesday morning, especially when she comes in.

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Cooper City Hall: Now my question is, how long will it take her to push it out?

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Cooper City Hall: I want to know when i'm going to be able to meet because it could be Thursday, Wednesday at 50'clock. She'll push it out, and so then I have Thursday, Friday, Monday, and and part of Tuesday for a agenda Review.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, well, because I I gotta be honest. She's put on 20. How many the last time? No, no, the last time wasn't that many so can we let her answer, because i'm curious. Once the items are received by me, it all depends on how many items.

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Cooper City Hall: how many items, if the items need research, additional documentation added to them. So those are all factors that have to be considered how much work needs to be done for those specific items.

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Cooper City Hall: But likely, if I send it that 4 Pm. It's not going to be done to Wednesday.

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depending on the item.

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Cooper City Hall: But how could it you have to call me most of the time, anyway. So what's the difference if I send it at 459, or if I send it at 990'clock a night. Nothing. It's done the next morning

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Cooper City Hall: right? It makes no difference. Yeah, that's my time off, that's all you're doing is cutting my and that's when I I work after hours, but and doing it that way, you're shortening the period of time for anyone's agenda Review.

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Cooper City Hall: Here you go, not between 5 Pm. And midnight. No, not between that. It's dead staff time. It only matters to me that's when I get to Commissioner i'll go with it all right. Thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: Alright.

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Cooper City Hall: alright, so that was the placement of a okay, that one

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Cooper City Hall: the

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Cooper City Hall: just. I don't really care too much about this. But with the public meeting I think it should be 60 min. I don't like Commissioner cast me, said we. I don't think we should be talking about the 4 and the 3, and all that

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Cooper City Hall: it should be 60 min, and the chair sets that you know what I mean. We're gonna have a standard, but we shouldn't be codifying it, because if you've got a 1,000 people come in here.

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Cooper City Hall: you gotta sometimes say you're not going to get 4 min each, you know.

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Cooper City Hall: so I think it should be 60 min, and we don't need to.

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Cooper City Hall: and we shouldn't.

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Cooper City Hall: we should say I mean almost everybody who meets gives a certain amount of time. You got to cut it off. I don't think we should codify certain amount that they're that they're entitled to

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Cooper City Hall: things prepared. The problem is that some people will have things prepared to say, and then

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Cooper City Hall: if we, if they come here and they think that they're getting 4 min, and then they get 2 min.

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Cooper City Hall: then what they're saying. They may not, you know. Now they're not going to be able to get everything out, and I think of it this way.

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Cooper City Hall: and how many years have we all been up here? How many times has this been standing? Remotely? It's very rare, and if people are actually going to take the time out of their schedule to come here and speak.

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Cooper City Hall: Give them the 4 min, and if we're here late once or twice a year in theory, because of a of that of a of a subject that is is near and dear to people's hearts. You're right, but I I do believe that all those rationals you've discussed

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Cooper City Hall: is on

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Cooper City Hall: the share to exercise that judgment. I really do

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Cooper City Hall: where you you give him the chair. Prerogative. Oh, my God! I run the meeting, and I don't agree with like I don't agree with the Mayor kicking people out. I don't think you can kick people out the way he could you up, but I do believe it's his right to kick him out.

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Cooper City Hall: So if he wants to

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Cooper City Hall: look like you know the mean guy that's his prerogative. Look like the mean guy.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't really care that much about this thing, so I don't want to talk too much on this one. I want to go with whatever you guys want to do on that. But i'm just saying. you know, versus people whatever.

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Cooper City Hall: but they should know ahead of time. Kind of what the standard is. But then then we can't. We can't do that. If you're giving it prerogative, it's got to be a standard. We have to be flexible to an extent.

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Cooper City Hall: Then had it. He's not going to be able to know that 100 people are going to show up versus 20 people that are going to show up, because there have been times when we think it's going to be standing room only if you've been there, and then we see that there's only 20 people, 30 people in the room that's not going to deviate between the 4 min and the 2 when you have

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Cooper City Hall: gosh a stack of papers this big, and you know over a 100 people.

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Cooper City Hall: But on the flip side again, how how often does that happen?

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Cooper City Hall: And are you comfortable in in cutting people off.

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Cooper City Hall: which is effectively what you do if you're saying in when they think they're coming here before, and they're going to get to

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04:28:47.390 --> 04:28:51.730

Cooper City Hall: but right. But what if there are a 100 people that want to speak?

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Cooper City Hall: There's no way they're going to be able to do it in. I expect the mayor to exercise good judgment. If he does not. If he does not, then the majority of this commission can overrule him right then and there.

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Cooper City Hall: But if it's already set, and it's already set.

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Cooper City Hall: You don't have to worry about people. Well, because then we're looking at taking additional time to have something. I don't care that much. I can flip a point on this, you know. If it's important to you, we could leave it. I was just thinking, oh, all it's important to me on that matter is is consistent amount. Right? We have 4 3 2, yeah, it's all source, or it needs to be 4 across the board, but whatever it is, it needs to be the same along with the

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Cooper City Hall: I yield my time. I don't you it's. It needs to be across the board. I I I also don't think that we should. I will tell cross examination. That's a very weird thing

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Cooper City Hall: where you can question a person and require a response like that's

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Cooper City Hall: no, it's really a a response

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Cooper City Hall: to their questions. If they have a question of the commission. Yeah, it says, a person may come and direct.

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like a ask a question of

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04:30:03.420 --> 04:30:22.010

Cooper City Hall: right now when they say redirect meaning we're gonna instead of them asking us, we can turn around and redirect that question to the city manage during the open public meeting portion. Any individual may use there a lot of time to ask a question to the Commissioner or to a commission member concerning any matter that's pertinent.

1939

04:30:22.800 --> 04:30:25.530

Cooper City Hall: That's good. An examination

1940

04:30:27.210 --> 04:30:27.810

Cooper City Hall: of

1941

04:30:27.950 --> 04:30:31.530

Cooper City Hall: of us by Mr. You know.

1942

04:30:31.790 --> 04:30:38.000

Cooper City Hall: John. No. Tell me why you did that that's what that allows. And most Government doesn't allow

1943

04:30:38.250 --> 04:30:45.700

Cooper City Hall: a back and forth extent. And obviously, if you're asking for no back and forth, is that what you're saying, I don't believe it. Should. It should

1944

04:30:45.880 --> 04:30:47.460

Cooper City Hall: affirmatively give

1945

04:30:47.590 --> 04:31:00.350

Cooper City Hall: the right to demand answers. That's a weird thing. Somebody can come in here with a crazy, you know. Now, in practice we're going to respond to reasonable things, we and and Commissioner, this means changed about 4 years ago.

1946

04:31:01.130 --> 04:31:11.070

Cooper City Hall: and you will be what you're saying is, go back to what we had, and I don't have a problem With that.

1947

04:31:11.090 --> 04:31:16.120

Cooper City Hall: We had a gentleman come in here with all kinds of demands, and what I thought was not rational

1948

04:31:16.470 --> 04:31:21.090

Cooper City Hall: under this. They're able to them. Why did you? Why did you take bribes?

1949

04:31:22.540 --> 04:31:35.460

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I'm being is giving him a crazy hypothetical, but this would have him a right to do that. Yes, it does. It says you can direct the question that's not disparaging. That's it. I want to know why you took a bribe

1950

04:31:35.530 --> 04:31:39.810

Cooper City Hall: that to me as an attorney I would say that is

1951

04:31:40.100 --> 04:31:46.280

Cooper City Hall: a question to the Commission or a commission member concerning the matter that is put into the city. And so that's permanent.

1952

04:31:46.610 --> 04:31:50.030

Cooper City Hall: That's too, that it's Melody. Why did you take a bribe?

1953

04:31:50.490 --> 04:31:55.590

Cooper City Hall: Okay. But what happens if you have a resident that is sitting there

1954

04:31:55.640 --> 04:32:02.290

Cooper City Hall: and asking you questions, and then you have additional information that you would like to get.

1955

04:32:02.500 --> 04:32:18.440

Cooper City Hall: Then you need a back and forth, and that's we have that we're. Instead of saying that we should just say that you know we may, we may respond. For here question which is directed to what do you call it? Maybe responded by, you know well couldn't it also be referred to the man

1956

04:32:19.660 --> 04:32:22.650

Cooper City Hall: I don't care about that. Let's move on whatever you guys want to do on it.

1957

04:32:25.330 --> 04:32:28.370

Cooper City Hall: Where's the the the sitting thing?

1958

04:32:29.500 --> 04:32:40.680

Cooper City Hall: Just if we we want it from May it may based on this discussion. We're not going to make any change to that section. No, we I i'm. I haven't spoken yet, and I definitely want to make change.

1959

04:32:40.710 --> 04:32:45.480

Cooper City Hall: I'm in agreement with mention, and i'd ask that you also take away the and or Jacob

1960

04:32:46.090 --> 04:32:47.520

Cooper City Hall: you telling me.

1961

04:32:47.540 --> 04:32:50.130

Cooper City Hall: And then where's the seating thing?

1962

04:32:50.450 --> 04:32:52.400

Cooper City Hall: It's in here. Hold on

1963

04:32:55.690 --> 04:33:00.150

Cooper City Hall: so. Section 1.1 3, Commissioner.

1964

04:33:02.410 --> 04:33:03.220

Cooper City Hall: Right

1965

04:33:04.410 --> 04:33:05.349

Cooper City Hall: deadline.

1966

04:33:05.730 --> 04:33:10.099

Cooper City Hall: 1.13 1 1 3

1967

04:33:13.090 --> 04:33:16.860

Cooper City Hall: out here. Hey, Jate. See.

1968

04:33:19.710 --> 04:33:26.060

Cooper City Hall: you know, I think that's that's the custom, and we should stick with that, you know, and if it's abused we can override it. But

1969

04:33:26.140 --> 04:33:30.349

Cooper City Hall: you know the one thing about sharing a meeting and running it is.

1970

04:33:30.660 --> 04:33:42.310

Cooper City Hall: I think it does matter where people sit. There's certain personalities like, for example, if you put me in the corner. Naturally, I'm going to be screaming the whole time. you know, over. you know. So

1971

04:33:42.430 --> 04:33:43.009

Cooper City Hall: okay.

1972

04:33:43.169 --> 04:33:47.509

you know it's I think that's what the customs been here for a lot of years.

1973

04:33:49.250 --> 04:33:51.720

Cooper City Hall: I I think we should. We should

1974

04:33:52.410 --> 04:33:53.939

Cooper City Hall: believe it that way

1975

04:33:54.330 --> 04:34:02.860

Cooper City Hall: with the fact that we can override this at any point. I disagree with it. What it? How long has it been that way? It it doesn't matter how long it's been it doesn't make it right.

1976

04:34:03.240 --> 04:34:11.779

Cooper City Hall: and it's it's been back and forth all night.

1977

04:34:11.779 --> 04:34:23.419

Cooper City Hall: Mayor, it's been back and forth. It's. It's actually consistent with everything that we thought letting everyone go. So everyone said again. It's you've had. You've had your shot, I understand, but everybody's half their shot.

1978

04:34:23.439 --> 04:34:24.520

Cooper City Hall: No, I haven't

1979

04:34:24.860 --> 04:34:32.560

Cooper City Hall: so in summary I think that the seating does play into the decorum and management of the meeting

1980

04:34:32.640 --> 04:34:38.279

Cooper City Hall: which we delegate to the chair. But

1981

04:34:40.189 --> 04:34:41.710

Cooper City Hall: i'm not going to lose sleep over.

1982

04:34:41.869 --> 04:34:45.140

Cooper City Hall: You know it's not that you. I just think that's the custom, and we should. You know

1983

04:34:45.450 --> 04:34:48.529

Cooper City Hall: we got it. There has to be some benefit to being the mayor.

1984

04:34:49.560 --> 04:34:55.230

Cooper City Hall: The mayor chairs, the the meetings.

1985

04:34:55.259 --> 04:34:58.470

Cooper City Hall: he chairs, the meetings, the mayor chairs, the meeting, but

1986

04:34:58.580 --> 04:35:10.759

Cooper City Hall: everybody up here has equal. If I, if I have an equal vote on everything that's decided in this city. then this should be one of it. If we're talking about how harmony.

1987

04:35:10.869 --> 04:35:26.500

Cooper City Hall: then this should. This has to be a part of that process, and we do and like, I said, and and we do. We do have the right as a as a as a body, to override this, because we we we operate by majority.

1988

04:35:26.540 --> 04:35:33.730

Cooper City Hall: but I think the custom has been the mayor, and and and then the chart of the mayor runs the meetings, and I and I I do believe the seating

1989

04:35:34.430 --> 04:35:39.140

Cooper City Hall: helps run the meeting. I mean, I think that that's an intricate part of running a meeting.

1990

04:35:39.419 --> 04:35:42.470

Cooper City Hall: You're gonna have different personalities, different people like, I said.

1991

04:35:42.550 --> 04:35:47.700

Cooper City Hall: If the mayor was set there when I set there, I can promise you the whole thing or you

1992

04:35:48.150 --> 04:35:57.259

Cooper City Hall: we'd be screaming. It's just our nature. We talk a lot. I've been stuck in that corner of this because it's easy to avoid someone in that corner. That's not right, either.

1993

04:35:57.470 --> 04:36:01.200

Cooper City Hall: So are you going to have seats that that change constantly?

1994

04:36:01.660 --> 04:36:24.320

Cooper City Hall: Because that's also well, you can't. You can't be avoided when you are. you're you're right, but if there's a miscarriage of justice that could be corrected by a majority vote, so what so? Define miscarriage of justice? Well, i'm saying, if if something wasn't right like Commissioner Muller. He says it's not right to stick somebody to avoid it. This commission, through a majority vote can override

1995

04:36:24.320 --> 04:36:30.150

Cooper City Hall: that hasn't happened until just recently, because he never heard anyone complaining. I didn't know this was an issue

1996

04:36:30.830 --> 04:36:32.259

Cooper City Hall: You never ask

1997

04:36:32.439 --> 04:36:38.610

Cooper City Hall: you. You never asked, nor did the merit ever ask. Hey, Collegial.

1998

04:36:38.610 --> 04:37:01.130

Cooper City Hall: I don't have to. I understand that. And so now we're talking about that. And so I don't believe that you should have the right to determine. If you and I are equal, then you shouldn't have the right to determine where I sit. Here on the day is the difficulty is, you're focusing on the wrong thing. No, no, no; the difficulty is, you have focused on the wrong thing.

1999

04:37:01.200 --> 04:37:03.830

Cooper City Hall: You change the seating arrangement

2000

04:37:03.830 --> 04:37:21.300

Cooper City Hall: because I can, because I had the prerogative, because your resolution permits you right, and you always imagine the mute. Well, you haven't just you never explained you never! You never! Once in the 13 years that I've been up here you have never once, when you have changed the seeding arrangement. You have never said

2001

04:37:21.689 --> 04:37:24.050

Cooper City Hall: to this collegial body, hey?

2002

04:37:24.250 --> 04:37:32.820

Cooper City Hall: I'm making a change, a seeding arrangement, seating change. And here is why i'm doing it. Now. I know that you have the prerogative. You don't have to do that

2003

04:37:33.029 --> 04:37:36.919

Cooper City Hall: but me, Ross, with all due respect. If you had said.

2004

04:37:37.020 --> 04:37:40.020

Cooper City Hall: Hey, this is why i'm doing this.

2005

04:37:40.300 --> 04:37:47.880

Cooper City Hall: Okay, at least you've mentioned you. You provided, an

2006

04:37:48.000 --> 04:38:02.630

Cooper City Hall: I think it would help to understand that it's part of I mean, what did you do? You said it for punitive reasons, or for flow reasons for for a harmony for flow. I did it many and and so I think I should build a better commissioner for

2007

04:38:02.840 --> 04:38:14.820

Cooper City Hall: very quickly what happened between you and another commissioner, and i'm sorry I thought I was talking. But please continue.

2008

04:38:15.340 --> 04:38:22.330

Cooper City Hall: You, of all people, forget what transpired when you could not get along with the person seated next to you.

2009

04:38:22.570 --> 04:38:30.119

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner. I thought I was talking again, but no, just to lower the tempo. I think that the

2010

04:38:30.650 --> 04:38:39.840

Cooper City Hall: the mayor as chair should do that. But I do think that you should give us some insight. As to the reason I don't know we need to codify that, because it does help to understand.

2011

04:38:40.380 --> 04:38:47.980

Cooper City Hall: you know, if you say, hey, Commissioner Green, you're over there because you're the most senior, and you know what you're doing. It's one thing, but you're over there because I don't like you. That's not right.

2012

04:38:48.070 --> 04:38:56.869

Cooper City Hall: That's not right to do it if you don't like someone for punitive reasons. But if there is a method to the madness. It makes sense for the chair to have control of the

2013

04:38:59.270 --> 04:39:03.029

Cooper City Hall: If you want an explanation, I mean No, no, no.

2014

04:39:04.150 --> 04:39:07.490

Cooper City Hall: I understand where you'd want an explanation

2015

04:39:07.529 --> 04:39:17.759

Cooper City Hall: if there's no discussion on it, and just a mere understanding. I don't have a problem with that, because I do it, for there's a specific method as to why.

2016

04:39:17.919 --> 04:39:24.720

Cooper City Hall: So if you want the change, still prerogative of the mayor, but with an explanation, be glad to do that

2017

04:39:24.939 --> 04:39:30.470

Cooper City Hall: otherwise. Resolution says and has been. how many, how many years is in effect now?

2018

04:39:31.509 --> 04:39:37.720

Cooper City Hall: 2,012. This provision, I don't know. The resolution was initially adopted in 2,012, I believe. Work till now.

2019

04:39:38.230 --> 04:39:48.020

Cooper City Hall: Excuse me, Mayor, 2,005. Thank you for maybe you should say at the Mayor of the discretion to determine the seating location of Members Commission on the on the Commission dais

2020

04:39:49.350 --> 04:39:51.560

Cooper City Hall: for the best.

2021

04:39:51.610 --> 04:39:56.360

Cooper City Hall: You know you know the call, whatever. You know what i'm trying to say like, find that

2022

04:39:56.480 --> 04:40:15.690

Cooper City Hall: I I still like my suggestion, though you know, with respect I like yours too, just to to allow either to have it based on. The mayor sits in the middle and have seniority out. But the problem with that candidly is, you've never run the meeting as mayor and I converse with the attorney

2023

04:40:15.690 --> 04:40:18.220

Cooper City Hall: during the meeting a number of times.

2024

04:40:19.220 --> 04:40:32.160

Cooper City Hall: So that goes in. So you so you lose the ability to do Confer with the with the city attorney, Mayor Ross. I do the same thing. I'm just I have to do. I happen to be sitting over here, right?

2025

04:40:32.160 --> 04:40:47.540

Cooper City Hall: I i'm doing the same, not running the meeting. I I I completely understand that, and that's why we have there's a point of information. There's a point of order. If if there is something that procedurally that you are, that you are not doing as the mayor and legally.

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04:40:47.740 --> 04:40:52.360

Cooper City Hall: I don't believe that Mr. Horror was had, would have a difficulty in saying.

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04:40:52.590 --> 04:41:07.000

Cooper City Hall: Mayor us Procedurally, this is what we have to do: open plug public public meeting, but it is a little more disruptive than right. Yeah, no. And I can. I can understand that. I will say that in a lot of other cities do it. The way that I mentioned.

2028

04:41:07.450 --> 04:41:08.130

Cooper City Hall: You know.

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04:41:08.160 --> 04:41:11.260

Cooper City Hall: as we, as we know, a lot of other cities have.

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04:41:11.490 --> 04:41:18.300

Cooper City Hall: you know, assigned seats based on district number or whatever it is where it's not the prerogative of anybody. It's just the way it is.

2031

04:41:18.530 --> 04:41:19.490

Cooper City Hall: So i'm just

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04:41:20.110 --> 04:41:28.610

Cooper City Hall: throwing that out for discussion. and I can appreciate that. But when you have different personalities, you have to look at what works best.

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04:41:30.150 --> 04:41:36.320

Cooper City Hall: That's where I come in, and running a meeting. Every other organization that I am the chair of

2034

04:41:36.550 --> 04:41:39.180

Cooper City Hall: I. I indicate who

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04:41:39.350 --> 04:41:41.530

Cooper City Hall: is on my either side.

2036

04:41:41.670 --> 04:41:51.380

Cooper City Hall: Why? Because we run the meeting. That's how best I can do for the residents. It works for me. Okay. that's all.

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04:41:51.830 --> 04:42:06.960

Cooper City Hall: With all due respect it may work for you, but it doesn't work for everybody else, and with all due respect, Mayor Ross, you are not the you are not the only single vote that determines what goes on in the city. Right, Commissioner. The difficulty I have is when I hear

2038

04:42:08.610 --> 04:42:16.670

Cooper City Hall: where i'm sorry i'll wait for you. No, no, no, no! Take a take a 5 min. Yes.

2039

04:42:17.570 --> 04:42:29.370

Cooper City Hall: we haven't had a recess yeah, like 5 min recess. Is that any food for us? I wish i'd run the me. I think it's a chair you should be. I'll let you pick the seating chart if you order dinner every time

2040

04:42:29.980 --> 04:42:32.660

Cooper City Hall: she like Mcdonald's.

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04:42:35.900 --> 04:42:36.720

Cooper City Hall: I want the red.

2042

04:42:40.820 --> 04:42:41.720

Cooper City Hall: No.

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04:42:46.880 --> 04:42:47.440

okay.

2044

04:42:48.860 --> 04:42:49.590

Cooper City Hall: okay.

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04:43:22.070 --> 04:43:23.220

Let me check it.

2046

04:43:23.920 --> 04:43:25.840

Cooper City Hall: He told me he was sending all to everybody.

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04:43:26.080 --> 04:43:26.970

Cooper City Hall: you know.

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04:43:27.090 --> 04:43:27.700

Okay.

2049

04:43:28.680 --> 04:43:30.450

Cooper City Hall: even internal.

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04:43:31.000 --> 04:43:31.810

Cooper City Hall: by making

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04:43:37.390 --> 04:43:38.000

you get

2052

04:43:43.130 --> 04:43:43.880

Cooper City Hall: taking out.

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04:43:46.900 --> 04:43:47.470

Okay.

2054

04:43:58.500 --> 04:44:00.110

Cooper City Hall: I can.

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04:44:00.350 --> 04:44:01.440

Why, any names are you

2056

04:44:01.790 --> 04:44:05.260

Cooper City Hall: that you? When i'm? Sure, yeah, I went straight to the

2057

04:44:07.130 --> 04:44:08.440

Cooper City Hall: I don't. I feel like.

2058

04:44:09.550 --> 04:44:11.360

Cooper City Hall: I mean totally yeah.

2059

04:44:12.450 --> 04:44:14.380

we can. I mean

2060

04:44:15.120 --> 04:44:15.930

Cooper City Hall: one.

2061

04:44:29.390 --> 04:44:33.110

Cooper City Hall: Or that was Thursday, I think. No, no. I think it's the point of

2062

04:44:36.880 --> 04:44:40.260

you should have gotten me. Yeah. Okay.

2063

04:44:43.880 --> 04:44:46.490

Cooper City Hall: So they sent you the Ila. Now

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04:44:48.390 --> 04:44:50.110

it's a deal with it. The devil give me.

2065

04:44:50.460 --> 04:44:52.050

Cooper City Hall: Well, he's tomorrow

2066

04:44:52.740 --> 04:44:55.920

Cooper City Hall: that you know. Hi! Medium!

2067

04:44:55.970 --> 04:44:57.110

Something like that.

2068

04:44:58.480 --> 04:45:00.900

Cooper City Hall: I can't even be that, too. I'm in sunburns

2069

04:45:01.590 --> 04:45:02.450

Cooper City Hall: The next thing.

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04:45:02.700 --> 04:45:05.080

Cooper City Hall: Then the question is, what the hell do I have here?

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04:45:06.260 --> 04:45:07.120

Cooper City Hall: I don't know.

2072

04:45:07.940 --> 04:45:08.540

Okay.

2073

04:45:09.350 --> 04:45:10.310

Cooper City Hall: Tomorrow

2074

04:45:12.500 --> 04:45:18.070

Cooper City Hall: I think I have. That's why we that's exactly it. Yeah.

2075

04:45:18.130 --> 04:45:24.920

Cooper City Hall: at 2, 30. We get all the ones. So 11. Yeah, you know what? Maybe between 11 and 1030.

2076

04:45:25.150 --> 04:45:25.720

Cooper City Hall: Okay.

2077

04:45:28.950 --> 04:45:32.730

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, it's on.

2078

04:45:34.700 --> 04:45:36.770

Cooper City Hall: I'm at the nationally. Good signal.

2079

04:45:39.990 --> 04:45:43.920

Cooper City Hall: even me to. Then I text them back.

2080

04:45:44.060 --> 04:45:47.410

Cooper City Hall: and and if he's correct.

2081

04:45:48.140 --> 04:45:50.830

they do with like 3 different phones. So they have.

2082

04:45:52.060 --> 04:45:55.690

Cooper City Hall: and people that i'm very. You can't give up their phones here

2083

04:45:56.860 --> 04:45:58.100

Cooper City Hall: totally now.

2084

04:45:58.700 --> 04:46:02.660

Cooper City Hall: I couldn't even. What was it couldn't order an over

2085

04:46:03.750 --> 04:46:05.290

Cooper City Hall: how to save it today?

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04:46:06.300 --> 04:46:07.140

Cooper City Hall: I'm like

2087

04:46:07.430 --> 04:46:09.440

Cooper City Hall: you have no idea.

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04:46:09.820 --> 04:46:12.090

Cooper City Hall: How would you? Yeah.

2089

04:46:13.540 --> 04:46:16.350

Cooper City Hall: Oh, absolutely. Oh, my God! I couldn't imagine.

2090

04:46:18.360 --> 04:46:20.990

Cooper City Hall: And I' at 110'clock

2091

04:46:21.090 --> 04:46:26.090

Cooper City Hall: I done. You can go today. we, though.

2092

04:46:27.220 --> 04:46:29.380

Cooper City Hall: really it. No.

2093

04:46:30.480 --> 04:46:31.510

Cooper City Hall: I don't know what's on?

2094

04:46:34.220 --> 04:46:35.310

Cooper City Hall: 4 to 5.

2095

04:46:36.440 --> 04:46:38.300

Cooper City Hall: I don't want to.

2096

04:46:39.820 --> 04:46:44.830

Cooper City Hall: Same thing is not going on, and i'm like this is not one I can provide them.

2097

04:46:48.270 --> 04:46:50.920

Cooper City Hall: No. get me hold on to.

2098

04:46:51.980 --> 04:46:53.030

Cooper City Hall: Okay.

2099

04:46:59.740 --> 04:47:04.470

Cooper City Hall: All right, now. So yeah, tomorrow it's gonna be a held today.

2100

04:47:05.970 --> 04:47:09.440

Cooper City Hall: And and I what

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04:47:10.260 --> 04:47:10.960

you wonder what?

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04:47:30.260 --> 04:47:30.860

Cooper City Hall: Yeah.

2103

04:48:41.780 --> 04:48:42.800

Cooper City Hall: Yeah.

2104

04:48:49.320 --> 04:48:50.210

Cooper City Hall: i'm right

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04:48:51.580 --> 04:48:52.970

Cooper City Hall: just to let you know

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04:48:57.510 --> 04:49:00.700

Cooper City Hall: you're building you out. You're bing to you.

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04:49:02.190 --> 04:49:02.760

Cooper City Hall: Okay.

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04:49:05.360 --> 04:49:06.370

Cooper City Hall: this morning.

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04:49:07.480 --> 04:49:11.520

Cooper City Hall: you know we didn't. We haven't had one. That'd be

2110

04:49:14.430 --> 04:49:15.410

Cooper City Hall: okay.

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04:49:35.340 --> 04:49:38.360

Cooper City Hall: Let's reconvene.

2112

04:49:39.830 --> 04:49:40.430

Cooper City Hall: Right?

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04:49:40.820 --> 04:49:42.630

Cooper City Hall: We've got to be

2114

04:49:42.790 --> 04:49:46.830

Cooper City Hall: So I said, Are you trying to?

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04:49:53.260 --> 04:49:54.200

Cooper City Hall: Okay, yeah.

2116

04:49:55.770 --> 04:49:58.630

Cooper City Hall: what I was saying and I think it's important

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04:50:00.360 --> 04:50:03.150

Cooper City Hall: is that? And I heard

2118

04:50:03.500 --> 04:50:09.310

Cooper City Hall: was, I don't want to be in the corner. I don't want to be in this seat. Well, I tell you what.

2119

04:50:09.590 --> 04:50:20.200

Cooper City Hall: as long as I don't prohibit you from speaking, and there are 5 chairs up here. Then that's the prerogative of the mayor of who will be sitting where.

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04:50:20.480 --> 04:50:34.070

Cooper City Hall: if, as I indicated, and I have no difficulty, because there is a method to my madness. There is never an abuse of power. If you want the explanation, include that in there when the seats are changed, that the mayor has to explain why.

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04:50:34.210 --> 04:50:37.600

Cooper City Hall: But it's not up for discussion. It's the prerogative that's given

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04:50:39.450 --> 04:50:43.540

Cooper City Hall: that, and that's the only thing i'm indicating about that

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Cooper City Hall: on that particular issue, because it was obviously a timely thing.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Sherida, you had other items.

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04:50:51.030 --> 04:50:53.320

Cooper City Hall: but that was

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04:50:53.370 --> 04:50:56.070

Cooper City Hall: that May Ross, May I just say one thing.

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and this is

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04:50:59.280 --> 04:51:02.730

Cooper City Hall: this is for you, and for the rest of the Commission and the staff

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04:51:02.830 --> 04:51:12.310

Cooper City Hall: and the members that are still here in those that may be watching. Just want to apologize to you and to this commission

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04:51:12.470 --> 04:51:14.480

Cooper City Hall: for my outbursts.

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04:51:17.850 --> 04:51:22.540

Cooper City Hall: Please forgive me. No, no, no, it's. This is me, not you. I hear you.

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04:51:26.190 --> 04:51:31.320

Cooper City Hall: I recognize the authority that you have as the chairman of the board of this commission.

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04:51:33.440 --> 04:51:38.630

Cooper City Hall: and I apologize to you. I apologize to you. my fellow commissioners.

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04:51:40.740 --> 04:51:47.200

Cooper City Hall: and to the residents always want to make sure that i'm setting the proper and right example

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04:51:47.320 --> 04:51:49.000

Cooper City Hall: for everybody.

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04:51:49.110 --> 04:51:50.900

Cooper City Hall: And so

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04:51:51.700 --> 04:51:54.670

Cooper City Hall: you know. Ask for your forgiveness and

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04:51:54.870 --> 04:52:04.590

Cooper City Hall: thank you for running the meeting. Commissioner. You have my forgiveness. It is, and you know me better. It's not necessary, but it is appreciated. Thank you very much for having said that

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04:52:05.280 --> 04:52:11.410

Cooper City Hall: Commissioner Sharon. Anything else? I think that's it. Okay. commission.

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04:52:14.120 --> 04:52:21.770

Cooper City Hall: I mean, we already went around. I don't know if I need to. And Commissioner Melody, you want to. As well correct. I'm sorry. Go ahead.

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04:52:24.520 --> 04:52:26.680

Cooper City Hall: Let's go. Item by item.

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04:52:30.240 --> 04:52:36.350

Cooper City Hall: one in reference to your the bullet points that are on here, the duties and responsibilities of the Executive assistant.

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04:52:37.700 --> 04:52:45.970

Cooper City Hall: I'm sure that everybody read the reports about time management that everybody had handed in, and we were sent that email a while ago.

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04:52:46.190 --> 04:52:48.210

Cooper City Hall: I don't know if anyone looked at it, but

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well, I appreciate the fact that the mayor is

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04:52:52.410 --> 04:52:55.590

Cooper City Hall: the face of the city.

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04:52:57.810 --> 04:53:05.730

Cooper City Hall: In my opinion you you are monopolizing the assistant. and if you look at her

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04:53:06.420 --> 04:53:10.860

Cooper City Hall: reports, which I have in my briefcase, and I can pull out if I need to.

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04:53:11.060 --> 04:53:23.520

Cooper City Hall: 70 to 80 of the time is things that are for you, and I know on several occasions I have refrained from asking her to do things because she's going to be here until 70'clock at night.

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04:53:23.760 --> 04:53:30.670

Cooper City Hall: if she's so busy working on things for one person. So I think with a new assistant, we need to

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04:53:31.040 --> 04:53:32.340

Cooper City Hall: lesson

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04:53:32.560 --> 04:53:43.290

Cooper City Hall: the burden. If you're traveling for National League cities see if they can make the arrangements, or for Florida League of Cities see if they can make the arrangements. They have assistance. I know

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04:53:43.870 --> 04:53:54.650

Cooper City Hall: I spoke to other members that were executives on the Florida League. and they said when they traveled on Florida League they had Florida League people make

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04:53:54.720 --> 04:54:01.210

Cooper City Hall: the arrangements with. They traveled for broward days on Broward League. They had the broward people make arrangements, and they did

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04:54:01.350 --> 04:54:11.430

Cooper City Hall: so. The only thing I know is that when I feel guilty, asking the assistant to do something because she's inundated, and anyone that looks at the logs will see

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04:54:11.920 --> 04:54:22.240

Cooper City Hall: Mayor, mayor, mayor, Mayor, then 5 min for a commission member, but then everything else is mayor. Now I understand that there's times when there's a lot of travel.

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04:54:22.440 --> 04:54:27.970

Cooper City Hall: but it should not occupy the majority of the time. She is

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04:54:29.040 --> 04:54:42.280

Cooper City Hall: equally everyone's and I, you know, I said, if you're looking at 35 h, when you take out lunch, I mean then you're dividing it between all of us. Give yourself an extra hour from everyone.

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04:54:42.320 --> 04:55:00.670

Cooper City Hall: and then I think that's fair. The extra hour is indicative of the extra things that you do. But other than that. Then maybe you should do some of the stuff on your own, and including she literally drove down to Miami with you, so that you could get a pass to bypass

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04:55:00.800 --> 04:55:04.150

Cooper City Hall: the lines when you travel through security.

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04:55:04.450 --> 04:55:13.280

Cooper City Hall: And that was how many hours that was like 3 or 4 h that it's on her report. And so

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04:55:14.280 --> 04:55:21.820

Cooper City Hall: our assistant went down to Miami to walk you through a process so that you didn't have to wait online at the airport.

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04:55:22.320 --> 04:55:31.090

Cooper City Hall: and you're shaking your head. But she did, and it's in the report. Oh, i'm not saying she did so. I mean

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04:55:31.320 --> 04:55:44.320

Cooper City Hall: when, if we even if we travel on city business to the extra 20 min to half an hour can take to go through a normal security line. It's not going to make or break anyone. But yet our assistant travel to Dade County

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04:55:44.430 --> 04:55:50.700

Cooper City Hall: with you, to walk you through a process because she used to work at the airport and had an in.

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04:55:51.330 --> 04:55:56.310

Cooper City Hall: So I mean that in and of itself is I don't even know if that's even allowed

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04:55:57.140 --> 04:56:03.300

Cooper City Hall: didn't ask for it. She suggested it. She did it on her own. My thought was that she was taking time

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04:56:03.410 --> 04:56:04.630

Cooper City Hall: on her own.

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04:56:04.750 --> 04:56:08.600

Cooper City Hall: It's on it's on the report

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04:56:08.970 --> 04:56:19.540

Cooper City Hall: that may be a misunderstanding between her and I, but it was an offer, and I indicated, and and she'll tell you a number of times did not necessary. I can get down there.

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04:56:19.690 --> 04:56:23.260

Cooper City Hall: Matter of fact, I was trying to make it for Fort Lauderdale. Miami was

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04:56:23.600 --> 04:56:27.250

Cooper City Hall: literally further away. but earlier in time

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04:56:27.560 --> 04:56:38.310

Cooper City Hall: with the travel I needed it absolutely. Did she do anything unethical in getting me? No, I hadn't I I wasn't suggesting that in any way, shape or form.

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04:56:38.540 --> 04:56:46.460

Cooper City Hall: But i'm saying that our assistant then you know, took 3 h at it. It was at least 3. I was again.

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04:56:46.460 --> 04:57:04.080

Cooper City Hall: I'm not saying that she budgeted your time, but i'm saying one person is monopolizing it. Then that's we have another assistant that's going to be coming to fruition here, and so this is should be something that should be worked out among us among how many hours each person each person

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04:57:04.080 --> 04:57:19.480

Cooper City Hall: should use, or should not use, because one person, you know you figure it out. We're all 20 here. So if we're all equal other than you get to hold the big scissors, and apparently you might get to move commission seats, and you facilitate the meetings.

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04:57:20.120 --> 04:57:23.710

Cooper City Hall: Time should be spent accordingly. and

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04:57:23.990 --> 04:57:40.000

Cooper City Hall: there's some things that need to be done for commission, agreeing things that need to be done for every commissioner up here. But when Commissioner Green said earlier that she sees her, and she's here late, it's because she's working on things for more, one person

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04:57:40.180 --> 04:57:41.260

Cooper City Hall: more.

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04:57:41.270 --> 04:57:46.910

Cooper City Hall: then everyone else, and then, when everyone else puts anything in that, sending her into

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04:57:47.170 --> 04:57:48.940

Cooper City Hall: an additional time.

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04:57:49.500 --> 04:57:58.880

Cooper City Hall: what's done is done, she's leaving. But whoever is coming on board needs to be equal to everyone, because it is not

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04:57:58.940 --> 04:58:00.760

Cooper City Hall: the assistant of

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04:58:01.290 --> 04:58:08.920

Cooper City Hall: just the mayor. It is the assistant of the Mayor and commission the Commission office. The what did she sign her resignation with? Can I still your letter?

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04:58:08.980 --> 04:58:12.920

Cooper City Hall: The executive assistant to the elected officials? Is

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04:58:13.090 --> 04:58:16.540

Cooper City Hall: her job title on her resignation letter, so

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04:58:17.010 --> 04:58:28.470

Cooper City Hall: that's not. I get 30. You get 40, it's. and I understand there's going to be a lot of times when you have more need for her.

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04:58:28.730 --> 04:58:41.590

Cooper City Hall: But it should not be to the point of where our or any assistant, that where our assistants are staying late to accommodate everyone's everyone's services that that need to be performed.

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04:58:43.100 --> 04:58:46.370

Cooper City Hall: That's one. And you got comments about that.

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04:58:47.430 --> 04:58:55.530

Cooper City Hall: you know I I do think we should mention that and the 49 pages of time sheets. Not one of them is my name on there.

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04:58:55.800 --> 04:58:58.990

Cooper City Hall: I'll get myself my own act right for that.

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04:59:00.810 --> 04:59:06.650

Cooper City Hall: So I mean again. I tried not to use her, because whenever I did, I felt guilty, and I know that's me.

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04:59:07.210 --> 04:59:16.490

Cooper City Hall: But if she's already staying here past her allotted time, she's not getting paid for it then the more I so I would just do it myself.

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04:59:17.040 --> 04:59:19.690

Cooper City Hall: So I think that's something that needs to

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04:59:19.710 --> 04:59:35.650

Cooper City Hall: be addressed with the new person that's coming on board. They need to be able to. I mean, they're not going to say no, because if they say no, they're going to have a fear that they're going to be let go from their job.

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04:59:35.830 --> 04:59:55.250

Cooper City Hall: Yes, I know i'm right, because it's the city manager who has it correct the city, and we all know that. But it doesn't mean that people haven't been pressured to have people have not pressured the city manager to have other people fired for other purposes, because it's happened in the past. So.

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04:59:55.250 --> 05:00:06.260

Cooper City Hall: while we may not have the authority. we can pressure the city manager. 2 acquiesce to what we want, whether it is right or wrong.

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05:00:06.410 --> 05:00:11.270

Cooper City Hall: and it has been done in the past, so nothing to say that it will not potentially be done in the future.

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05:00:11.700 --> 05:00:19.790

Cooper City Hall: But we have a an employee that has the potential to be taken advantage of, and I think that's wrong. So that's the first issue

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05:00:20.060 --> 05:00:24.310

Cooper City Hall: that I have in reference to issuing of proclamations.

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05:00:24.410 --> 05:00:36.950

Cooper City Hall: I had said it before, and as long as we're going to vote or something can be pulled. then I'm: okay, with that placement of agenda items. So while we were talking about.

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05:00:37.110 --> 05:00:44.380

Cooper City Hall: so we were blue in the face staff, placing agenda items on the agenda and having the right and etc.

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05:00:45.330 --> 05:01:00.330

Cooper City Hall: If we go just by order of seniority, commissioner, Catchment and myself can potentially not be able to place items on an agenda because we could have a time. And then, if people want to, just like

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05:01:00.470 --> 05:01:11.580

Cooper City Hall: you were talking about or not, you, but just like someone was. I believe it was you talking about? People can monopolize an agenda. You can monopolize a meeting.

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05:01:11.660 --> 05:01:18.480

Cooper City Hall: Yes, but that's what I want to make sure that it has that if it goes, because

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05:01:19.800 --> 05:01:26.270

Cooper City Hall: Green Ross shrouder Katzmann melody. And then again again again and again.

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05:01:26.300 --> 05:01:38.600

Cooper City Hall: I'm fine with that as long as it's as it's constant like that I don't think it should be. If you have 7 items, you get your 7 items, and then we don't. I just want to make sure that we're all going to have

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05:01:39.120 --> 05:01:40.280

Cooper City Hall: have something

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05:01:40.380 --> 05:01:49.100

Cooper City Hall: in reference to seating on the day I am 110 against it. I think it's a power trip, I think last week was a power trip.

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05:01:49.260 --> 05:02:01.800

Cooper City Hall: Maybe your prerogative. It might be something that you were allowed to do it. Doesn't mean that I have to agree with it, and I can tell you while you brought up you may not remember. No, I remember, because I was the one that had to deal with it. But

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05:02:01.880 --> 05:02:07.950

Cooper City Hall: then I was stuck in the corner, and I was conveniently ignored half the time

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05:02:08.080 --> 05:02:18.890

Cooper City Hall: i'm conveniently ignored, and i'm right next to you. You forget that. I excuse me. I'd like to say something. You go through everyone, and then when I go to say something, I get stopped.

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05:02:19.050 --> 05:02:25.300

Cooper City Hall: But then hello, remember me, but that's not going to happen when i'm in the corner, or I'm going to have to be

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05:02:25.310 --> 05:02:39.480

Cooper City Hall: raising my voice, which is not something that I want to do, because then that will be used against me, because that's what happened in the past, so I can only go by what I've seen, what has happened and what has transpired.

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05:02:40.010 --> 05:02:48.210

Cooper City Hall: So if you want all of us to choose our seats. I guess i'm. Okay with that. But I will say sorry.

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05:02:48.280 --> 05:02:53.600

Cooper City Hall: but since I have been sitting next to Commissioner shrouded, you have not lost your temper once.

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05:02:53.880 --> 05:03:12.310

Cooper City Hall: That's right. You've been close, and I've shown you my breathe bracelet. I take full credit for that. No good luck. I've shown you my squishies. These are squishy in case anyone's thinking anything other than what they are you and you rain it in, and that's that's my words, not yours.

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05:03:12.350 --> 05:03:14.980

Cooper City Hall: So it works.

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05:03:16.150 --> 05:03:18.280

Cooper City Hall: We don't vote alike, but

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05:03:18.410 --> 05:03:25.270

Cooper City Hall: we keep each other calm, so that's a win-win for everyone getting along, and

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05:03:25.290 --> 05:03:27.790

Cooper City Hall: everyone behaving

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05:03:28.370 --> 05:03:31.630

Cooper City Hall: harmoniously in reference to

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05:03:31.710 --> 05:03:43.570

Cooper City Hall: whether or not you like me next to you or you like him. Next to you, or whomever next to you. I understand you wanting the city attorney next to you, because you do confer with him on a regular basis. But

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05:03:43.660 --> 05:03:51.390

Cooper City Hall: it. So again we're 20, and while the resolution may say that you have seating that's up for discussion now.

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05:03:51.620 --> 05:03:57.510

Cooper City Hall: so if we decide that it's not that way, because it can be used in a bullish manner.

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05:03:57.560 --> 05:04:01.050

Cooper City Hall: Then let's take that power and give it to ourselves.

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05:04:01.170 --> 05:04:18.560

Cooper City Hall: and that way we don't have to worry about it ever being used in a bullish matter, because no one can tell someone how they feel. And while I can say that Jeff Green is sorry I'm just going to use you, Jeff. I can say that Jeff Green is fine in the corner. I can't tell Jeff Green that he feels fine.

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05:04:18.720 --> 05:04:26.200

Cooper City Hall: You putting me somewhere doesn't mean that I i'm comfortable in that seat if we all discuss it.

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05:04:26.340 --> 05:04:35.410

Cooper City Hall: and we all say, oh, i'm going to choose for a second, third, or we're going to stay the way we are That gives us all control. That gives us all power

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05:04:35.540 --> 05:04:42.310

Cooper City Hall: on ourselves, which is what we need, because we are 20, and we are equal in our vote.

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05:04:42.700 --> 05:04:47.680

Cooper City Hall: and we need to exercise that when we are here I understand

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05:04:47.930 --> 05:05:12.180

Cooper City Hall: the harmonious. But if one person thinks one, while one person may think that something is not in harmony, others may think it is so, since we all get a vote, and since we are all equal up here in our voting power, and this is not a strong mayor. This is a strong city manager government. I feel that we need to vote for ourselves

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05:05:12.240 --> 05:05:13.960

Cooper City Hall: and where we are sitting.

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05:05:15.520 --> 05:05:26.790

Cooper City Hall: and isn't it amazing how there is back and forth, but not here. We love it. I know, Commissioner, I I've already said my piece. I agree with that. I've said I've said that

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05:05:27.170 --> 05:05:30.830

Cooper City Hall: at Nauseum I agree with that. Thank you.

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05:05:31.880 --> 05:05:34.970

Cooper City Hall: So I already.

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05:05:37.350 --> 05:05:46.680

Cooper City Hall: You're going to fix the take up. You're going to fix the things that I said in my meeting in reference to grammar and punctuation.

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05:05:47.410 --> 05:05:57.020

Cooper City Hall: Okay, then, actually, they weren't, and actually one is an a. So we might have been on the same page, even though I did not know the legality behind it.

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05:05:59.210 --> 05:06:02.590

Cooper City Hall: So in reference to we've already done the positions.

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05:06:03.840 --> 05:06:09.030

Cooper City Hall: Also. I have had my agenda briefing on Fridays.

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05:06:09.670 --> 05:06:14.920

Cooper City Hall: and then on Tuesdays I've come in. and things have been different.

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05:06:15.050 --> 05:06:25.250

Cooper City Hall: Material has been added. So how is that happening? I have come in. I sit down with staff. and I go over my agenda.

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05:06:25.520 --> 05:06:45.460

Cooper City Hall: and then I make notes on my agenda in reference to items I want to pull or whatnot, and then all of a sudden item Number 11 B is now 10, because things are moved, things are switched, things are omitted, or extra backup has been placed, and I've even seen you, Mr. Mayor.

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05:06:45.460 --> 05:06:57.550

Cooper City Hall: come, and they give you your book, and your book does not necessarily correlate to what we are voting on. So that's going to be an issue as well, and i'd like to just make sure that whatever I have.

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05:06:58.570 --> 05:07:05.610

Cooper City Hall: if i'm going over it with staff, and I've read it because I like paper. and and I know that that's old fashioned.

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05:07:05.820 --> 05:07:15.690

Cooper City Hall: and i'm not as talented as commissioner shrouded with. He can make notes on the computer and finds them readily. When I do it on a computer. I have to scan, and it takes longer.

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05:07:15.710 --> 05:07:23.880

Cooper City Hall: and I know sometimes i'm long winded. So if I if I write it down and I use my little posties all they may not be environmentally friendly.

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05:07:24.000 --> 05:07:26.460

Cooper City Hall: They are friendly in reference to time.

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05:07:26.570 --> 05:07:41.250

Cooper City Hall: but I don't want items to be moved and added, because there are times when he's had to show me on his computer. Oh, this is the backup! And it was changed, and there were times when you've had backup added, and you had no idea, because you've read the backup.

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05:07:41.250 --> 05:07:57.220

Cooper City Hall: And then something's added, and nothing was sent out saying, this has been added. It's happened so often that I would think I was getting gaslighted right well where I request on Fridays that the bait, stamp, or or but a serial number on the agenda.

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05:07:57.230 --> 05:08:03.400

Cooper City Hall: so I can compare. And what I don't know if our agenda software allows for it, I know, like at the County Commission

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05:08:03.730 --> 05:08:08.000

Cooper City Hall: they're able to produce summarize changes.

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05:08:08.500 --> 05:08:24.460

Cooper City Hall: you know. I don't know if our software allows for that. But it it gets confusing when you're like, hey? I thought that was right. But just to clarify. Are you saying that items are added after the deadline that's in here, or just backup items, all of them like the event? You had something on with the investment policy.

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05:08:24.460 --> 05:08:36.040

Cooper City Hall: I didn't know that, but I pulled that, but I came to the meeting ready to talk about it, and didn't know it came off. And then at when we had our agenda, when I had my agenda review, we had our PET

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05:08:36.250 --> 05:08:56.200

Cooper City Hall: proclamation, but yet I find out tonight that the PET was pulled. So now poor little Sparky over here, whatever his name was, is No, and I understand that it was in in the the reason of saving time. But so now a a PET is pulled who is actually very cute, and it will go on the website. But

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05:08:56.550 --> 05:09:17.140

Cooper City Hall: that happened between Friday and Tuesday. No, Commissioner, they it was never on the agenda we were. We were directed at the last commission meeting to have no announcements or proclamations. It was never on the agenda that was never on the weekend. Go faster, or something. Is that 30 s 6? But but it was not on the agenda. Well, it wasn't the animal one. I think it was in general, right?

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05:09:19.030 --> 05:09:20.680

Cooper City Hall: We already went over that.

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05:09:21.190 --> 05:09:29.200

Cooper City Hall: Okay. So now we're going. Let's go back to your item that you were not happy with in reference to placing

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05:09:29.210 --> 05:09:35.960

Cooper City Hall: items on the agenda. So yes, we get an email from Kedra. and she says, hey, the agenda is up on the website.

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05:09:36.140 --> 05:09:39.150

Cooper City Hall: and you're you're always spot on with that.

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05:09:39.330 --> 05:09:52.450

Cooper City Hall: Thank you. But again, if things are going to change. we need to say, hey. look at this item, or come by and pick up that paperwork. Because this is changed. I don't get that.

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05:09:52.710 --> 05:09:57.450

Cooper City Hall: and apparently neither does Commissioner shrouder, and he's not being being gasolated.

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05:09:59.130 --> 05:10:03.500

Cooper City Hall: I have no problem with the time you should be able to review

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05:10:03.570 --> 05:10:07.220

Cooper City Hall: and look, and I understand that you know

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05:10:07.950 --> 05:10:09.040

Cooper City Hall: things happen.

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05:10:10.560 --> 05:10:19.750

Cooper City Hall: I have an issue with rules that are not across the board. Everybody is like I'm consistent. I'm transparent, but yet there's not.

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05:10:19.920 --> 05:10:20.660

Cooper City Hall: and

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05:10:20.720 --> 05:10:27.260

Cooper City Hall: I get I don't mean this in a bad way, said on my my Monica said with love, you are much shorter with me.

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05:10:27.490 --> 05:10:37.420

Cooper City Hall: not height-wise than You are with several of my colleagues. and just like earlier, we were doing a nice back and forth. And then, all of a sudden, No.

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05:10:37.750 --> 05:10:40.390

Cooper City Hall: no! Back and forth it can't be like that

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05:10:40.410 --> 05:10:58.160

Cooper City Hall: we don't get. I don't get to like I can call him and say, how is your children? But I can't call him and say, how do you feel about public participation in a meeting? Because that's something we vote on. We need to be able to talk and interject. And as long as we're not arguing.

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Cooper City Hall: and as long as we're not

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Cooper City Hall: raising our voices and threatening each other, which we have not done Once, even when we disagreed passionately about things. Then we should be able to speak with one another, and sometimes

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05:11:13.490 --> 05:11:22.080

Cooper City Hall: there's he's going to say something, and that's going to cause me to have a question, and i'm going to ask that question. I can't do that

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Cooper City Hall: other than here. and the same goes with staff.

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Cooper City Hall: and sometimes with residents.

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Cooper City Hall: And i'm also when i'm talking about residents. I also want to say that

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Cooper City Hall: there are times when we've had very late meetings, and there's been one resident in the audience or 2 residents in the audience, and they they want to talk about whatever item 1,920,

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Cooper City Hall: and we can't have that back and forth with them. and i'm gonna say if they're here until 1130 at night, 11 at night. They're the only people here. a back and forth is not going to hurt us

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Cooper City Hall: if we are consistent with that.

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Cooper City Hall: everybody needs to be treated the same way. And again with the time. If we're going to give 4 min. I'm. I'm fine with that. But it needs to be consistent whether there's a 100 people in the audience or 5 people in the audience, because people come here with their items prepared. Most people don't talk off the cuff.

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05:12:25.040 --> 05:12:31.200

Cooper City Hall: and if they have a 4 min dissertation. and now they're they only have 2 min.

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Cooper City Hall: Their point is not going to potentially come across the way they want it to.

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Cooper City Hall: We are here for our residents. We were elected by our residents. We need to give our residents their time to speak.

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Cooper City Hall: Changing it is, I think, wrong.

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Cooper City Hall: If we're going to let people yield time during one instance, then we need to let people yield time across the board

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Cooper City Hall: or Don't.

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Cooper City Hall: It can go either way, but it needs to be consistent. It needs to be either, or it cannot be, and I don't want to take power away from you. But it should not be at your discretion, because it, then there's no consistency.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's not right that sorry Jennifer Gross yields her time to

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Cooper City Hall: Bill Ellett

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Cooper City Hall: on Commission meeting January. But then, commission meeting February, she wants to yield her time to him again, and she's told no

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Cooper City Hall: all or none.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's, and I understand it's the chairs prerogative. But again, we, as a body, can decide if it is, or if it is not.

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Cooper City Hall: If we feel that we want to be consistent, we can make a policy decision to give people 4 min. We can make a policy decision to allow people to. You will yield time or to not yield time.

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Cooper City Hall: And if we want to make a policy decision to allow people to have a discussion for greater than 60 min, because again.

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Cooper City Hall: in all the years that I have been elected it's probably happened 10 times.

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Cooper City Hall: and I think that that is an exaggeration where we have had to go over because people are so passionate and as elected officials, I don't think there's one person in this room that can say the majority of people do not come out.

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05:14:31.260 --> 05:14:40.670

Cooper City Hall: They only come out when it is something that they feel is affecting their health, safety, and welfare, and they are very passionate about, and they are here.

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05:14:40.840 --> 05:14:45.790

Cooper City Hall: It is our job to listen to them. and to listen fully

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05:14:46.070 --> 05:14:55.970

Cooper City Hall: and to, and to listen to what they have to say, and to weigh what they have to say, because we are here representing them, their needs their wishes.

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05:14:56.720 --> 05:14:58.110

Cooper City Hall: and that's our job.

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Cooper City Hall: That's that.

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Cooper City Hall: Did that.

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Cooper City Hall: She must have been informed. I did. That. Rules across the board allow back and forth.

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05:15:09.670 --> 05:15:12.990

Cooper City Hall: and if an item is going to be removed.

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Cooper City Hall: it should be only if and i'm pretty sure this is okay, if it's the person. So if you put on there that you want to.

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Cooper City Hall: We have an extended report on water bottles, and then you decide you don't want that you remove that no one else is allowed to remove that item. Am I correct?

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, checking

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05:15:33.890 --> 05:15:46.600

Cooper City Hall: census to? So if there's going to be any procedural changes to our meeting, I think it needs to be done with consensus where we're voting on it, and then we are changing the resolution

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05:15:47.500 --> 05:15:49.210

Cooper City Hall: in reference to

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Cooper City Hall: I've seen

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Cooper City Hall: when items involve the chair. There were times when his complete demeanor changes understandable. But it happens. I think, if items involve the chair, the chair needs to pass the gavel

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Cooper City Hall: no different than if a chair wants to make a motion that gavel needs to be passed.

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Cooper City Hall: If

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Cooper City Hall: the the power is taken out of the person, that the the issue is directly involving.

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Cooper City Hall: then that person should not be able to facilitate at that time, because they can manipulate things to go in their favor. More

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Cooper City Hall: I I I agree, and it's been. It's been the practice of the commission. When the mayor has brought things put things on. He has passed.

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05:16:38.670 --> 05:16:48.930

Cooper City Hall: he's passed a gamble, and but I've also, since I've been here, seen it when it when he makes a emotion. Yes; but when things are involving him, he's, and he's shutting it down.

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Cooper City Hall: He is not allowing a normal back and forth, and whatnot and Commissioner Melody and I and I hear what you're saying, and maybe there's been times when we've forgotten to do that. But consistently.

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Cooper City Hall: it's been my experience when Mayor Ross has had things items on the that he has put on the agenda where he's making the motion to approve it, because I I

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Cooper City Hall: my knowledge. I've tried to make a point. I've always said point of order. You brought that issue. You're bringing it. You need to pass the gavel, so I've tried to make sure that in the future that it's consistent, because I've I've seen one or 2,

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05:17:25.570 --> 05:17:34.620

Cooper City Hall: and I don't to don't have those exact instances written down. I apologize for that, but where it was not, which is why I made. I put that in there

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Cooper City Hall: in reference to the summer schedules.

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Cooper City Hall: which is 1.1 0. Previously we've had one meeting in the summer

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Cooper City Hall: just due to giving Staff

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Cooper City Hall: a little bit of break, instead of giving them time to catch up on other things. The summer is usually a a lax month for us

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Cooper City Hall: or 2 months for us, because people are away, and not as many things come before us. So now it's down to we have one meeting, and then we're going to have a workshop and reference to the budget. We've accommodated the Budget workshops at other times, and I just didn't know if that's something we wanted to go back to or not

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05:18:18.950 --> 05:18:19.970

Cooper City Hall: going back.

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05:18:20.320 --> 05:18:29.170

Cooper City Hall: Going back to

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Cooper City Hall: so perceived Charter Wise. Mr. Horowitz and I don't have a problem with one meeting, for during the summer months, because we've we've had that before.

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Cooper City Hall: I thought that there were prior commissions, had said.

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Cooper City Hall: pursuant to the charter we we weren't able to do that. Miss Horace and I don't recall. Please please forgive me. I I can't remember, but I don't have a problem with going back to one meeting in the summer.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah. what our charter provides. Section 3.1, 2 for reference is that the Commission shall meet regularly not less than once each month at such times in place shall be specified by resolution. I think we should decide that as we come upon it, because

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Cooper City Hall: we also discuss sometimes doing one meeting in November, December, and January.

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Cooper City Hall: and you had the summer. It's called 6 months out of the year.

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Cooper City Hall: But if we have this now, if we have it like this, or then, somehow put it open.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, open for discussion, because it's again 1.1 0 page 7. If that'll help you.

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Cooper City Hall: basically you have to have the budget ones, so you essentially have it.

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Cooper City Hall: They had budget as well, but not necessarily during the summer or not necessarily at a schedule time. I just wanted to make sure, but what happened was Staff said

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Cooper City Hall: I wanted the budget ones even earlier, and they said it was too early right. So I think we just should feel the timeline

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Cooper City Hall: by that, Gracie.

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Cooper City Hall: Figure out how to phrase that

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Cooper City Hall: so that way it accommodates. If we have an agreement. I do have a question on that, because it's currently says the Commission shall conduct 2 regular meetings per month during the months of June, July, and August isn't that what we do during all the other months

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Cooper City Hall: well, usually historically. prior to the last 4 years. during usually June and July or July and August. Usually it wasn't all 3. They would have one meeting instead of the second and fourth. They would have it on the third right, Tuesday of the month, and that was enough to handle all the city business, etc. But the budget ones were earlier. What happened here was if you had the 2,

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Cooper City Hall: and then the budget ones you got into like 3 and 4 meetings. So that's where we left it at 2, but at least one of them was in the budget one. but it doesn't make sense it, at least in my head. It doesn't make sense to have that sentence in there, because we have 2 regular meetings per month, anyways.

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Cooper City Hall: but we we will have 3, because we have a budget meeting. Oh, so this is making it, because I thought it was increasing it to a certain extent. That means we have to.

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Cooper City Hall: We're saying we have, I mean, I guess, just redundant to me. But and then a budget when when we fit it in. Not in this I just didn't know if we wanted to

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Cooper City Hall: have

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Cooper City Hall: if we wanted to. I thought this was to reduce us. and I and I wanted us to have flexibility. So you're so good it was. We rewording things. I would say. Something like the City Commission

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Cooper City Hall: may

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Cooper City Hall: may have less meetings

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Cooper City Hall: during the summer months.

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05:21:50.390 --> 05:21:54.380

Cooper City Hall: no less than one per month.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I don't forget to recite that you say the the May yeah, the or what do you say? The City Commission may adopt a revised. It's the discretion provides the schedule for the summer. Yeah.

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05:22:10.220 --> 05:22:11.480

Cooper City Hall: Yeah. So

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Cooper City Hall: So we already went over the proclamation

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Cooper City Hall: in reference to the and just because i'm going over everything keys to Cooper City. So i'll give you a historical data that's an item that's page Number 8. Item: bravo of 1.1 1

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Cooper City Hall: the the founder of our city. Morris Cooper, was buried with the only key that was ever given to our city.

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Cooper City Hall: and that was because it was an honor bestowed upon him because he made our city, and without him we wouldn't be

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Cooper City Hall: Super City, but yours is.

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, gosh! I mean he's been dead for a while. So it doesn't say i'm sure we could figure it out. But

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05:23:02.820 --> 05:23:12.820

Cooper City Hall: I've you know, and it has this. In in my opinion it has a significant value, because it's that one thing. And now, when we had.

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Cooper City Hall: what was the Israeli team that came here. The you remember what they were called the 5 on 5 team. They came, and they gave

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Cooper City Hall: a shirt and a pen, and then the mayor gave them a coin

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Cooper City Hall: city coin, which believe it or not. I I don't know, if you know, but in the military and in the they're very, very people do love them. But if we wanted to give something a little more than that.

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Cooper City Hall: but not a key like a nice black, or presentation or something in between.

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05:23:53.000 --> 05:24:17.110

Cooper City Hall: Because I understand why Mars Cooper did that, then the problem you have is you're presenting these things to people that are alive. And then what if that person does something? And while they're alive, that is not necessarily the best thing in the world. But yet oh, well, they presented them with the key to a city. So then you're like, oh, and you're eating You're eating pie, and you don't necessarily want to do that. But if we could come up with something. Change the locks

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Cooper City Hall: they they have, They say they listen, they do have. They do have here this thing and loot you not like this

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Cooper City Hall: the honor I didn't get to honorary citizens yet that Can I just ask that we take out the apostrophe and keys to the city piece of Cooper City and put in and or keys to Cooper City

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05:24:36.580 --> 05:24:56.060

Cooper City Hall: or Key card. But I mean I was thinking if we did a nice plaque or something. I mean we could give it a tree to the tree of Cooper City, because that is our symbol. We could think of something that would be significant to if if he wants to

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Cooper City Hall: do the honorary. I remember when we were in when the man came from London, he gave something really fun. I don't remember what it was, and you were like. I want one of those, and he had the pretty stole and what not. So there are things that we could do that would be more than a coin.

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Cooper City Hall: and it would have more of a presentational impact. Yeah. But do you think we need to codify that. Well, it's here. So if we have it. Yes.

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Cooper City Hall: and i'm just saying. you know I mean we're going over this piece by piece. So i'm i'm bringing that up

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Cooper City Hall: in reference to an honorary citizen. I don't know that we've ever done that.

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Cooper City Hall: and I don't necessarily know that I want to put anyone as an honorary citizen. I like the if you want to do a citizen of the month, the volunteer of the month.

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Cooper City Hall: But I don't really know what's the legal definition of of honorary citizen like? Is that just like you're giving someone a stole or a cape, or a pretty tree? It's

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05:26:07.410 --> 05:26:16.780

Cooper City Hall: legal citizens. So like if someone came from another country, No, no legal like residents of Cooper City, so like if someone came from another country.

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Cooper City Hall: we might make them an honorary Cooper City citizen. but that. But then something like that has the power to. If you do it a lot, then it loses

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Cooper City Hall: it, loses it's it's whatever you want to do. Well, I mean I'm just saying I just didn't we're gonna go over it, and we're going to to dissect this. Then I was going.

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Cooper City Hall: Why, you I was gonna try to say like, instead of a presidential matter of honor like a May, a raw smell a while, or something.

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Cooper City Hall: You know this picture on him.

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Cooper City Hall: You could see a big old, You know

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Cooper City Hall: that we're not giving him a German cross. That's what that's Well, we could. I mean a nice, a nice medal for Cooper City. I have no problem with that. I've seen those. It has a nice presentation. It's pretty.

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05:27:07.180 --> 05:27:15.850

Cooper City Hall: I have no problem with something like that. But I don't like necessarily an honorary citizen. I would do that in lieu of we're gonna give him an honorary PET to adopt.

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It's not as long as it gets them out of the shelters that they get a

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Cooper City Hall: Oh, that's that's not helping us very friends. I already said that I wanted the back and forth. I already said, you know, to that. Hello.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. I also have

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Cooper City Hall: Hmm. Yielding. You mentioned. So in reference to kicking people out so previously, and and

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Cooper City Hall: mission of Green. You should remember this. We had a

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Cooper City Hall: that we voted on that someone had to do a, B and C,

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Cooper City Hall: and then we, as a commission, voted. This was with me.

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Cooper City Hall: We, as a commission, voted to have someone removed. Not a 1 2 3 strike you out. You remember that vaguely. I know it was a long time ago

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Cooper City Hall: just to make. I know we hit that. I I don't recall exactly what it was.

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05:28:33.040 --> 05:28:34.540

Cooper City Hall: So

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Cooper City Hall: I understand that people are unruly, and people are not necessarily the nicest. and Don't necessarily say things in the nicest possible way.

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Cooper City Hall: So the club. But it's not necessarily, especially when you're dealing with a heated moment. Because again, when people come here and they're speaking. they're here because it's something that is affecting their well-being.

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05:29:01.630 --> 05:29:04.450

Cooper City Hall: I've always said that we

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Cooper City Hall: to have more emphasis over people's lives here

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Cooper City Hall: than they do in Tallahassee, or Washington because we are affecting their daily lives. and when the decisions that come out of the other places Don't necessarily impact them every single day.

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05:29:21.930 --> 05:29:32.830

Cooper City Hall: So if people come here because. and Airbnb is making their life miserable, and and they they can't get sleep because of the 8,000 ubers that lion witnessed

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Cooper City Hall: 32.

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Cooper City Hall: They're going to be passionate.

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Cooper City Hall: Not necessarily that they want to be unruly, but they're going to be passionate about it. And I. You can all understand that no one's perfect. We've all made mistakes

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Cooper City Hall: so I could see where people might want to say No, I disagree with that. Or oh.

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Cooper City Hall: and I understand that you, as your position. You want to keep everyone moving, having moving the meeting, etc.,

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Cooper City Hall: but it may not be a 1 2 3 strike you're out. It might be something that we, if we all vote on it. they have to. There we can potentially work a criterion here.

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05:30:15.810 --> 05:30:23.720

Cooper City Hall: They must be, whatever whatever we can figure that out, and then we're voting on, whether or not to remove people.

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Cooper City Hall: But but isn't it. I know that the city clerk, Miss Miss Allen, you had read the decorum

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Cooper City Hall: resolution earlier. Does it? I thought it's specified in there, or does it specify in there when we have someone unruly?

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Cooper City Hall: The process by which they can be removed. I I don't it doesn't say the process by which they can be removed, but it does say

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Cooper City Hall: how they're supposed to address us address the meeting, etc. And if I may thank you, Mayor, Commissioner, Section 1.6, I believe, is what Commissioner Melody is referring to. It's the provision of the administrative procedures resolution that speaks to decorum

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Cooper City Hall: what it says just very briefly, and i'll read it into the record. Is it Members of the Commission staff, members, citizens, and others, are required to use civil and appropriate language when addressing the Commission or anyone present at the meeting must refrain from using profanity, cursing or exhibiting aggressive or threading behavior.

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Cooper City Hall: All comments should be generally directed to the presiding officer, and not to individual members of the Commission, except as to questions which are authorized pursuant to the prior section.

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Cooper City Hall: no personal verbal attacks towards any individual by either the commission, staff, citizens, or others, shall be allowed during any meeting of the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: any person's making impertinent or slanderous remarks or personal attacks, or who become boisterous while addressing the Commission, or who otherwise violated the court, and Rus rules set forth here in shall be barred from further audience for the Commission by the mayor, or by request of any member of the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: unless permission to continue, or again address the Commission be granted by a majority vote of the Commission members present.

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Cooper City Hall: I think that covers it. We just have to practice it.

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Cooper City Hall: Is it something that we, as a body, vote on?

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Cooper City Hall: Well, what it says is, the mayor kicks him out. If we don't agree we can. We can restore them.

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Cooper City Hall: No, it says that they won't be allowed back. Yeah, kicked out of the audience. What if you don't agree that they should be kicked out.

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05:32:27.040 --> 05:32:34.680

Cooper City Hall: I guess the same thing.

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Cooper City Hall: So if the mayor were to expel somebody from the Commission meeting, for whatever reason he saw fit, and a majority of the Commission disagreed. The Commission could exercise that prerogative through a majority vote.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, then, i'll leave that alone.

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Cooper City Hall: So then, and let's go back to the

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Cooper City Hall: Israeli 5 V. 5 team. So they came. I was here with Commissioner Green

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Cooper City Hall: and the Mayor, and they came, and they presented a jersey

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Cooper City Hall: and a PIN to the city. Very nice. The mayor gave them a nice coin. I think something else, and I don't recall what but 2 min After the the pictures were done.

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Cooper City Hall: the mayor left with the Jersey and the pen

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Cooper City Hall: which was presented to the city.

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Cooper City Hall: and actually, when it was presented, I said to Commissioner Green, I won't that look pretty in a nice frame for everyone to see that a nice shadow box frame.

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Cooper City Hall: So I have a problem

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Cooper City Hall: with

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Cooper City Hall: you, taking something that was meant for the city.

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Cooper City Hall: and I, actually the city manager, had asked for you to bring it back, and it was a small. By the way.

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Cooper City Hall: the city manager, I'd asked for you to bring it back, and you said, and I quote that you would take it under advisement.

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05:33:53.240 --> 05:34:01.720

Cooper City Hall: But again that was something that was presented to the city. I sat here and heard it commission. A green sat here and heard it, but yet in a blink of an eye.

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Cooper City Hall: You took off, you were gone, and it was in your possession, and not in our possession or this. When I say hour, I mean the city's possession when and now that you've you've attacked me, that is not in any way shape I need to confirm Joe. Did I not tell you, and give that

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Cooper City Hall: back to you, so that the city should have it. And who did, I say, should wind up with it?

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Cooper City Hall: Education Advisory board to put in the the museum. So when I say, keep something, I know where it is. Excuse me.

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Cooper City Hall: I know where it is that no one else should take it. I know what I'm going to do with it, and it's properly done. So Don't ever question my ethics of what i'm doing with it, because no, I don't need to know the pen. I don't need another shirt. I will take it under advisement as far as

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Cooper City Hall: who will wind up with that, just as you're saying. Oh, well, I wanted to open it. No, no, no, no! It was given to the mayor, and I will determine on behalf of the city where that goes, and that was going to the Historical Society.

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Cooper City Hall: So thank you for your advisement. But when you get to be Mayor you'll get to choose that. so we can trust Marcia to do everything. But we can't trust her to hold a Jersey.

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Cooper City Hall: There were too many people in here around there at that time, and I had to leave because I Marsha, knew it. It was a 215, and I stayed way later, and I had an an appointment that I was late to. So please do not question that

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05:35:41.860 --> 05:35:43.520

Cooper City Hall: good. Oh, and

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05:35:43.950 --> 05:35:46.690

Cooper City Hall: when we are doing, commissioner's concerns.

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05:35:47.480 --> 05:35:59.160

Cooper City Hall: I understand that there is an order. But then. and I understand that you, being the mer, get to go last. But if you're making a comment, there should be a time for us to reply to that comment.

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05:35:59.280 --> 05:36:18.440

Cooper City Hall: And that'll be the next time, because when we all have Commissioner concerns again, being mayor has certain prerogatives, it sounds like you want to be run for it next time, but until then, please allow me to do my job, and that is running a meeting, and that requires the seating as well. And Commissioner

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05:36:18.440 --> 05:36:20.100

Cooper City Hall: Green. Thank you for

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Cooper City Hall: what you said. It meant a lot.

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Cooper City Hall: Commissioner shrouder. Thank you for understanding why the prerogative is necessary. I understand, Commissioner Catsman, where you're coming from.

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Cooper City Hall: You want

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Cooper City Hall: it just equality and harmony.

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Cooper City Hall: and and I get that. But sometimes, as mayor, you have to make the tough decisions

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Cooper City Hall: and and the decisions are done for the resident experience. No power grab it's done because I understand

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05:36:51.460 --> 05:37:00.840

Cooper City Hall: the personalities and what works, and what does it? So I thank you for that. Having said that now let me go through the items.

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And, Jacob.

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Cooper City Hall: I think it would be easier for you to let me know the changes in essence that you have, and then i'll tell you what I

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Cooper City Hall: we'll agree with what I don't, and it'll go quicker.

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Cooper City Hall: We go down the order of the resolution there. In section 1.1 essentially it would be the revision as proposed.

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Cooper City Hall: Regular meetings. The City Commission will end at 1130 less extended by motion, approved by majority of the Commission. So we'll keep that, as is

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Cooper City Hall: item, 1.2. We've revised the Salary City City staff to be any department director, and that I agree with you mentioned that you're out on. We've kept the final sentence of that section to be as drafted. We're each item placed by member of the Commission to all today, and order a seniority. Now bear with me for a moment 1 one issue, and I I think it was commissioned to catch me

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Cooper City Hall: who may have brought it up, and maybe not. Maybe it was Commissioner green that

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Cooper City Hall: there should be a limit on the agenda that they should. Oh, it is Commissioner Green. Sorry

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Cooper City Hall: you don't get credit for mentioning.

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Cooper City Hall: and and candidly I think, limiting the agenda items

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Cooper City Hall: to

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Cooper City Hall: I'm. Arguing 3 items per Commissioner

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Cooper City Hall: is somewhat

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Cooper City Hall: viable doable there.

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Cooper City Hall: and makes us prioritize each of our

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Cooper City Hall: agenda items that we want on there. I do bear with me for a moment.

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05:38:32.130 --> 05:38:50.020

Cooper City Hall: I I I know, and and and Commissioner, you put on seriously 20 to 30 items on one agenda. I don't recall that I do. Is that the one that maybe is that the one you skipped all those items? So no, no, that it. Yeah, you move the other items to the front, and then you guys walked out on me. Yeah, I remember that

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05:38:50.770 --> 05:38:54.610

Cooper City Hall: it could be literally that

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Cooper City Hall: the agenda is hijack, and I don't think anyone here wants to hijack an engine. But we last time this was brought up we agreed that that would be solved by the fact. The meeting ends at 1130,

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Cooper City Hall: so we can extend.

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Cooper City Hall: But then that would mean we wanted to. So it can't be hijacked unless it's by what I'm saying is the it. But if it's on the agenda, it's going to be addressed. No, the no. It says it, unless it's an advertised. Item. That's those are the only ones that have to be addressed. So if we have 200 items on there, we in at 1130,

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Cooper City Hall: I would be in favor of limiting the number of items.

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Cooper City Hall: I think it's. I don't believe, if i'm required by law to come here to speak to you guys, I don't care what what the what we make a rule here. I don't believe you guys can prevent me

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Cooper City Hall: from doing that. Otherwise you're telling me I have to violate the law. I have to come here to speak.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't have a choice. I gotta let the residents know what i'm going to speak about.

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05:39:59.270 --> 05:40:10.260

Cooper City Hall: and we've set a reasonable time. 1130. I you know. That's reasonable. But, Commissioner shrouder, I believe that while you we we all have a responsibility, a legal responsibility to

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Cooper City Hall: govern the affairs of the city. I believe that we don't have to do that in one commission, setting I having 20 items on the agenda

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Cooper City Hall: up to me.

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Cooper City Hall: That's

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Cooper City Hall: it. Doesn't have to be on every item doesn't have to be on a particular

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Cooper City Hall: agenda. I don't understand why the why we can't

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Cooper City Hall: as elected officials prioritize the things that we believe need to be on the agenda on it on any particular agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: and move forward and getting it done as opposed to putting a number, a number of items on the agenda, where the expectation that because, as as this, as this board has said, You know, at 1130

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Cooper City Hall: by majority. Vote the Board can extend it to here all of the agenda items, and I don't believe that that's fair

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Cooper City Hall: to the residents

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Cooper City Hall: who are here. I don't think that I don't think that we should be as a result of us wanting to put everything on the agenda. I don't think it's fair to them that our expectation of them is that okay? You're going to stay up. You're gonna if there's something that's that's impacting you.

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Cooper City Hall: You're gonna have to stay up, and you're we're gonna have to go through all of these items

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Cooper City Hall: for whatever reason.

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Cooper City Hall: But but that doesn't have to happen, because now we adopted the alternating one. It's not like one person can shift all the other stuff down. That's number one. So let me ask one thing, so that might to understand

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Cooper City Hall: that if all of us have 3, I

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Cooper City Hall: and we go, they each had one, and I had 20.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, so so that's fine. So let's do that after the one item that each of us had.

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Cooper City Hall: Now you have 19 additional 19 additional, and if we it gets to 1130, hey! That's i'm out of time, but that's hijacking it's not hijacking. It's not hijacking. If, if somehow in a crazy way, something ended at the bottom that need to go above these 19 items.

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Cooper City Hall: This Commission has the ability to prioritize it by moving it to the top, which is what can happen.

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Cooper City Hall: What what is fair to the to the residents is to allow them access ahead of time, or or you know notice of what we intend to speak about.

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Cooper City Hall: So if I want to put it on there.

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Cooper City Hall: And you guys want to leave the meeting, you can. I'm allowed when we, when we have a meeting. We don't have to have a quorum to have a noticed

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05:42:48.320 --> 05:42:49.280

Cooper City Hall: meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: I can decide to sit here till 4 am. And talk with Commissioner Molosi about all these items. You guys go home, go to bed, but it but it satisfies the legal requirement

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Cooper City Hall: to have an open, You know a discussion in the sunshine, so people could stay up and watch. If they don't want to stay and watch, they can tune back in and see. But if I want to have a talk with her. I have to have the ability under State law to notice it to the residents and sit here and talk with her.

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Cooper City Hall: You guys don't have to stay. We we would obviously wouldn't be able to vote on anything.

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Cooper City Hall: but you know it's just. I. I don't see how the State of Florida could tell me, Ryan, you cannot bring up a concern

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Cooper City Hall: to Greg, Lisa, Jeremy, or Jeff, without letting the public know.

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Cooper City Hall: But the Commission is going to say, hey, your captain, what you can let the public know. I mean, hey? The meeting is at 1130. Everybody goes home. Besides, the people want to stay the cameras rolling. They stay, they watch it's recorded

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Cooper City Hall: it

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Cooper City Hall: as as long as notices provided minutes are taken and the public has a right of access, and you've complied with the sunshine long, and and you gotta remember this is just. you know, you guys already. The one time I put a lot of items on that. I thought we were concerned. You skip them, You move the items to the front.

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05:44:05.700 --> 05:44:07.080

Cooper City Hall: and then you guys went home on me.

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05:44:08.160 --> 05:44:16.720

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I remember it, and I know it because you, too, conspired to do it, and you almost couldn't keep your straight face when you guys conspired to do it on me.

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Cooper City Hall: and it's sent me over the edge. I remember that I don't conspire

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05:44:20.910 --> 05:44:30.500

Cooper City Hall: well you both for your your your commitment. You have a monologue after that for for you

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05:44:30.610 --> 05:44:32.640

Cooper City Hall: there have been times when

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Cooper City Hall: 2 elected officials weren't here. There were items on there were items that were not on the agenda that

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Cooper City Hall: commission the commission at the time

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Cooper City Hall: took the took the precedence that they were going to. We're going to get this through when there were either there were there weren't items on the agenda. So if we're going to talk about, they misled you. I know you're talking about, Commissioner. I mean he had the item of compensation employees list down the agenda

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05:45:02.230 --> 05:45:21.090

Cooper City Hall: just because I spoke about it at a later time. It wasn't that it wasn't. Okay, Here, here, here's here. Here's the the point that I'm trying to make there. I was not. I was not prepared for that discussion, because it was not placed on the item. It was not placed on the agenda as an agenda item that we were going to be voting on.

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Cooper City Hall: regardless of what Commissioner Puccini may have done or may have said in previous meetings. it doesn't negate the fact that it was not on the agenda. It wasn't an item that was, do like, Well, let me.

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Cooper City Hall: Mr. Napoli. Mr. Horowitz, Miss Allen, was it was that were those items placed on the agenda and backup, provided to the Commission Prior to that commission what you got to bifurcated.

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Cooper City Hall: You're talking about a raise. No, no, no, i'm actually competition was on that as an item on the agenda, as I recall th. There was an item on the agenda regarding compensation. Like city staff.

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Cooper City Hall: I made the comment on the record that evening that there was not an item on the agenda as it related to a cola. It cost a living adjustment for city employees. Okay, Commissioner, shrouded at the time, disagreed.

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Cooper City Hall: articulated the fact that he felt Commissioner Pulcini's item covered the city in the context of notice, and the Commission acted based on that representation, the the Commission being adding a deputy was not on. I will give you that that was not on there, and they voted me down on that

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Cooper City Hall: who voted you down the Commission right at the Commission. I wouldn't hear anything right, right. No one else agree with me on that. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: But in in fairness you remember that time you called in, and they tricked you

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Cooper City Hall: before I was on the commission you call. I don't know you don't notice you Commissioner shouter it's all gained mission right, Mr. I'm not. I don't want to go to that item. We we're we're talking about items being placed on the agenda, and so to Commissioner Melody's point, and everybody's point up here.

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Cooper City Hall: If we're going to do something, then we need to be consistent across the board in terms of and the and we need to be able to say as a collegial body. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: we're gonna have X amount. The the the Commission is going to be able to have X amount of items on the agenda. Right? I i'm finding a It's i'm finding it hard to believe that

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Cooper City Hall: we don't want to have a conversation about

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, limiting the number of items that are placed on an agenda or on any agenda. I don't

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Cooper City Hall: because 2 things, one your fact of you, you saying, hey? I I I for something that wasn't on the agenda contradict you. Now, saying you want to limit things. I can put on the agenda. Okay, like really contradicts it. But the real issue here is some of us put more items on the agenda than others.

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Cooper City Hall: This is obviously directed at me.

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Cooper City Hall: No, no, this is not No, no, this is not. Oh, it's not directed at you or him. Because you guys don't have that issue. I have the issue.

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Cooper City Hall: So if you're the only member of the Commission that has an issue and no no hold on.

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Cooper City Hall: I he. Okay. So now, what i'm having now what is concerning is

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Cooper City Hall: if one member of the Commission doesn't get everything that they want, or half of what they want. Now, the whole system

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Cooper City Hall: there's something wrong with the process.

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Cooper City Hall: If we're going if we're if we have

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Cooper City Hall: a process or parameters in place, by which.

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Cooper City Hall: when people come in here, they're going to be governed by. But we don't have, but we don't have the ability amongst ourselves to say.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, i'm going to as an elected body.

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Cooper City Hall: We're going to have so many items that we're going to be able to that

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Cooper City Hall: place on the agenda

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Cooper City Hall: for the sake of ensuring that we're going to get out of here by 1130.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't understand what the difficulty is in saying. Okay? Well, we'll each get

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Cooper City Hall: whatever, 3 4 5, whatever the number you I what was the reality? Suggest? I don't need to put. If I have a manager who does exactly what I want, I don't need to put any items on the agenda. So if I want to fire director without putting on the Jen. Then then that's fine. I don't need that habit. So if you guys happen to get what you want. I don't do what I want that to suggest

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Cooper City Hall: it already. Has that

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Cooper City Hall: so, Commissioner

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Cooper City Hall: Weeds are allowed for argument shake, and i'm looking at 3.

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Cooper City Hall: Item agenda items for 5 of us. It's 15 items doable.

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05:49:39.490 --> 05:49:41.910

Cooper City Hall: Now assume for a moment

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Cooper City Hall: that we each put in

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Cooper City Hall: 5 items. Okay. now.

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Cooper City Hall: and I say each, you're capable of putting in 5, but you're limited to 3. So you're gonna prioritize 1 2 3, now Jeff only puts in 2. I only put in 2,

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Cooper City Hall: then by alternating, if there are more, and you would then the 3 of you have 5. Then we put that on until we have the aggregate number of 15.

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05:50:10.180 --> 05:50:19.710

Cooper City Hall: No, no question not fair. Why? Why do you and Jeff not put items on now? I have actually I have actually looked in and and requested

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05:50:20.100 --> 05:50:22.930

Cooper City Hall: items. Why do you and Jeff not put any items on the agenda?

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Cooper City Hall: It's 2. It's 2 ways. I do, indeed. You guys have you guys put the least amount. It's okay under 2 ways. One, maybe because you've been here the longest in a lot of your priorities. You've accomplished over time or 2. You relationship with the master. You get things done without having to put the things on the agenda that that's the only 2 rational things in my mind it. It's a so to your point. Commissioner. Shrouded

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Cooper City Hall: Number One. We we have been here longer than you have number 2.

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Cooper City Hall: I understand the importance of working with the city manager and the city staff as a part as a commission.

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Cooper City Hall: My.

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Cooper City Hall: my my responsibility is as as this body is to provide

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Cooper City Hall: the city manager and his staff with Here are the goals and objectives

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Cooper City Hall: you need to. You need to execute it. So if they are doing, If the city manager and the staff are doing what they're supposed to be doing

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Cooper City Hall: when they come back when they put. When items have come back to this commission where it says, Administration based on the recommendation, this a. B C and D

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Cooper City Hall: right?

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Cooper City Hall: That is, as a result of consultation with the Commission Member with the Commission to determine. Okay, here are the items that you all have said are important. We're bringing it back. So there's not a need for me to have to

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Cooper City Hall: to to now. Okay? Well, there's not there. There's not there. There's not there's not a need for me to put those I don't know where your's go on as administration. Mine go on is right, and I know back. That happens. But I can tell you why. Maybe the administration

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Cooper City Hall: and there's there's one other point. Also you have. You have other commissioners who put a lot of garbage on, and then they are okay. How did you get to? How did you get a direct to fire without going on. How did that happen?

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Cooper City Hall: How did you have the termination of a director without it going in before the City commission.

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Cooper City Hall: I I I can't. I can't get. I can't get my laptop approved without going from what? To the your mission. Okay, you you did. But that's not true by most to approve. I had to bring you. I had it was a commission. It was on the agenda. Right, Jacob.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, thank you. So that's why I, my, I just to go on the agenda. You could fire directors. I can't get the computer. So I have 2 2 things. So we as a commission. I'm kind of asking the attorney. I think I know the answer. We can

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Cooper City Hall: whole table or pull an item with a majority vote right

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Cooper City Hall: any agenda. I don't, even if somebody so if if Commissioner Shrouder adds an item to the agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: can we. as a majority, vote. move to remove an item from his item

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Cooper City Hall: at the Commission meeting. Correct? Yes, so that's that's a check to it. Then at least the community sees what he's trying to say.

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Cooper City Hall: and you know, if he has 20 items.

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Cooper City Hall: and they're all really important, and the residents are going to be up in arms because we pulled his items.

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Cooper City Hall: and I think he he can use some discretion

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Cooper City Hall: on. Well, I appreciate that, Commissioner. I appreciate what you have said

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Cooper City Hall: right. But you you just got up here right? And even while you've been up here, and I appreciate you've been very collegial, right? And you've been very supportive of every member of the Commission right? And so.

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Cooper City Hall: while we do have the authority as a body to say, if I put 19 items on the agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: this body can say, yeah, Commissioner Green. we're not going to do that historically. We have never. We haven't done that.

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Cooper City Hall: J. Generally that has not been a matter of practice.

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Cooper City Hall: or the current commission or prior commissions. And so what what you're asking us to contemplate is, if that happens

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Cooper City Hall: now this body is going to say, Wait a minute. You you can't do that. And I just don't believe

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Cooper City Hall: that

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Cooper City Hall: members of this of this commission.

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Cooper City Hall: We're gonna do that

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Cooper City Hall: right, and and and I wouldn't want for us to be placed in that position as opposed to. I need to govern myself and say, okay, i'm going to limit the number of items that i'm going to be placed on the agenda. So I don't

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Cooper City Hall: put the commission in a

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Cooper City Hall: position where they're going to decide some of the items that I want that that I think are important to be on there. They're going to decide.

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Cooper City Hall: It's coming off. And now now you're creating a situation Where? What day, Jeremy. Well, then, Commissioner Katsman, you know

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Cooper City Hall: what gives. That's all. I'm thinking I I hear what you're saying. I'm sorry. Go ahead. No, I hear what you're saying, and I and that's a valid point. I'm just, you know. I'm looking at it as somewhat of a check if he puts on 20 items on the agenda.

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Cooper City Hall: and they're really valid. We're we should be staying here and voting to states it till 3. Am. That brings me to the next item, and and I know i'm going a little out of turn. So I apologize, but

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Cooper City Hall: giving each one of us. as we have right now unfathered amount of time to speak.

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Cooper City Hall: so it's everyone

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Cooper City Hall: as an unfettered amount to to speak, and I haven't once stopped anyone on the initial, and we go around again. Well, we used to do something that worked.

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Cooper City Hall: and that is, you think, to work. We change it because we didn't think it worked, we we and and and then we realized afterwards. No, it might have realized. I think it. It works well. I'm you. Seeing that the difficulty i'm running the meeting, and I need that we can change the ultimately end. And so there, there's a goal, and that is either I limit the number of items on the agenda or limit the amount of time that you speak.

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Cooper City Hall: So everyone has their own style. Yeah, and but you're but you're boxing it in.

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Cooper City Hall: You want to talk about the if you look at the work logs of the executive assistant, not a single one is my name on it. This thing, one you're on there like the hundreds of times, because but that's your style. I get it your user I don't because it's just we have our own. You know what I mean. It's i'm not saying you're right and i'm wrong, but it's the same thing if I want to put items on the agenda, and we got time to do it.

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Cooper City Hall: If it's frivolous, the group will say, No, I I I again I agree. I'll go along with that. But then I am looking to say you can't have unfettered time.

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Cooper City Hall: How much time do we get with them? Each 5 times you could talk to her a month

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Cooper City Hall: shouldn't micromanage. The one person who knows how to handle the wrong time. You're right. So let's micromanage the commissioners.

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Cooper City Hall: No, we what we're doing is trying to be fair and run an efficient meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: That's what i'm trying to do. That's my goal. so that the resonance here everything they don't have to stay up to 1130 at night to do that. I have to limit the agenda items or the limit. In the amount of time you speak. We could start the meeting earlier.

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Cooper City Hall: Start the meeting earlier. It's not right to the people that have to work a 9 to 5 job and then drive here and and go to a meeting we already have.

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Cooper City Hall: I mean I i'm granted it's 1130 at night, but you already have horrible participation. A lot of people feel like they're not being heard.

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Cooper City Hall: A lot of people have issues. Now you're going to start the meeting earlier which some cities have them during the day. Which to me, I I wonder how you can even do that, and say that your representative of your constituents.

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Cooper City Hall: since since I've been elected in in November, we really had

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Cooper City Hall: 2 meetings that were insane

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Cooper City Hall: time-wise, and one of them wasn't us, it, was public comment. Well, 2 of them were not us. They were public comment.

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Cooper City Hall: so you can't really. And and again take those out because those are not the norm. Those are highly irregular. And again in in

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Cooper City Hall: in over 12 years of being elected. Maybe that's happened 10 times. So that is May, and maybe a little bit more. But really it doesn't happen that often, so

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Cooper City Hall: we

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Cooper City Hall: we have no issue with that. None of us up your saying that if you start earlier, all those people aren't going to same thing on the late

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Cooper City Hall: if we're here until midnight, the people. Aren't going to be here on the flip side. They can zoom so they can be in their jammies and watch the meeting in bed with headphones. If they want to, and then comment at the end, or because we are on

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Cooper City Hall: virtual, they can watch the meeting at another time, unless it's something on the agenda that they must talk on. But I agree with you. We need. If we are limited in our time

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Cooper City Hall: to speak. we cannot

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Cooper City Hall: governed effectively. We are not allowed to speak on the phone. We are not allowed to quality bond other than here or in a workshop setting

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Cooper City Hall: years ago.

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Cooper City Hall: Are you now saying that the 4 min

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Cooper City Hall: that each commissioner was given, and then we were able to go around

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Cooper City Hall: that that wasn't that wasn't sufficient.

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Cooper City Hall: Because if I recall.

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Cooper City Hall: That's how we used to have the meetings we used to have. Each elected official had the opportunity to say they have 4 min, 4 min, 4 min, 3. It was 3, but at at some point I thought we changed it before we did as well. We had changes to 4, but it was You had a each elected official had at least 2 opportunities to convince or to share

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with the colleagues. And then.

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Cooper City Hall: if the if the Commission said okay, motion to. Oh, no, we want to continue to have that conversation, Mayor Ross has said, and i'm going to come to your defense, he said. Okay, we're going to go around again with with the with, the with the majority of the time it did. But there are times when

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Cooper City Hall: one person wanted to go more because they wanted to emphasize their point or what happened here. They were shut down, and here's the thing it's been my just my very limited experience. No, No, no, no, no, no limited experience and

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Cooper City Hall: sharing the meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: What I have, what my experience has been is when people have commented, and they've had up

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Cooper City Hall: more than enough opportunity to make their point

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Cooper City Hall: as the chair running the meeting. If I see that if i'm hearing that there hasn't been

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Cooper City Hall: any change in terms. Then as as a chair. Okay, is there any

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Cooper City Hall: any additional information that Hasn't been shared?

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Cooper City Hall: Call the vote?

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Cooper City Hall: Because that's because.

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Cooper City Hall: and that's also something that we didn't have then, and that was going to be my point. When you were done. We were not allowed dialogue, and when we did it was it was rare, and that is one and 2. There were

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Cooper City Hall: members that were very contentious and very good at filibustering.

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Cooper City Hall: and we don't have that here. You do have some contention on items. We don't have that here now. I don't think you not. Since I've been up here I don't think you have people that are purposely trying to filibuster. I think there are people that are trying to

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Cooper City Hall: get as much information out and understand things. Yes, they are maybe trying to sway.

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Cooper City Hall: But that's what we're here to do, because we're all different. So what we're trying to get if i'm if i'm voting on on this house, and i'm trying to get to other people to agree with me on this house. I might talk longer to try and get you to agree with me and and have our interactions. I agree with you, Commissioner Melosi. But as

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Cooper City Hall: the the individual that's sharing the meeting. they have to they They are there.

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Cooper City Hall: hearing all of the information, everything that's being said, and if they see just my limited experience, if they, if I have, see if I have noticed where the conversations.

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Cooper City Hall: it's the same. The people are saying the same exact thing. They may be saying something differently, but it's the same thing. I have to say, okay, wait a minute.

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Cooper City Hall: There, there Hasn't been a change in thinking called the vote, but any one of us. So even if the chair, even if for some reason, you didn't realize that I was continually saying that this house is gray and white with with red trim on it, and I said it for 20 min non-stop. But for some reason

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Cooper City Hall: you didn't hear that. But anyone else did. Anyone else can say, Call the question all the vote and doesn't that immediately. Yes, over right. Just set up the base immediately. That's it. One person. So we do that. So so, moving forward

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Cooper City Hall: What? What i'm hearing is moving forward.

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Cooper City Hall: I I don't have to be the chair if i'm here in conversation, and the conversation is just going in a circle we're just circling, circling the wag. Mayor call the well, I can say that. Yes, and I'm. I'm thrilled with this conversation, but at the same time

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Cooper City Hall: it's all 4 of you speaking, and then I get to speak, Call about?

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Cooper City Hall: No, no, no, no! And of course we could vote to not. We can vote to, not to continue to be too

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Cooper City Hall: So now i'm the one who's last. I'm the one who Hasn't finished up yet. Choose to go last. No, no, I said, maybe you go first, so so i'm the one now that

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Cooper City Hall: if a mo a motion is made.

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Cooper City Hall: and you all say, No, we're not extending.

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Cooper City Hall: I go home with no comments, but we've not done that. And actually.

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Cooper City Hall: in the past, when we've said, call the vote. I remember several occasions where you said I've not had my term my time, and then you had your time, and then you and then we voted

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Cooper City Hall: that way. You are not cut off because you deserve your time. I believe you me, I have no difficulty in in anyone and myself included, and I will start to monitor, and I will advise you this

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Cooper City Hall: if you are out there

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Cooper City Hall: huffing and selling, etc., saying the same thing as you did the first go around, or even the same time that you're speaking, and you're repetitious. I'm going to call you on it now. You already do that, though. So it's an issue. You haven't seen you haven't seen it, but I will now.

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Cooper City Hall: so no problem with that. Go ahead. Where are we? Okay, Mayor? There will be no change to Section 1.3. There'd be no change to section, 1.4, section, 1.5 1 1 one. You mean 1.3, you mean. No, no, no, there's no change to the but as drafted. Correct.

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Cooper City Hall: not as drafted. No, there'd be no change to the draft as it exists today. We wouldn't here as the current one as the current one exist. That's correct. No, no revisions. Okay. Getting a little nervous there.

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Cooper City Hall: And excuse me 1.5 sub b. It'd be at the beginning of each regular commission meeting. That's the clean up item, you're with me. Let's go back to a. B

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Cooper City Hall: for a moment, and

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Cooper City Hall: I believe there's a policy.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm. I'm listening, and I

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Cooper City Hall: look back on it and say, yielding is not the way to have a meeting run period. and so yielding should not be done.

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Cooper City Hall: And that's what I think policy the Commission should be. I think it should be in there.

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Cooper City Hall: I agree with you on that. I think I think everybody should get a chance to speak, but then yield. You can give somebody an hour.

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Cooper City Hall: but then back, and no one has an issue with that. But it's got to be across the board.

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Cooper City Hall: Bear with me for a moment. Yes, correct, Don't. I haven't except

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Cooper City Hall: you, Molosi. You give the example. The one person here tell, or if you got 2 or 3 people here, you know we got to be reason. We have to trust the Mayor to be reasonable, you know.

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Cooper City Hall: like if there's 700 people here. You can't do it. But if it's like, yeah, it was done when there was several 100 people here, and it was not done when there were 4. You're right, and that shouldn't happen, and that's what. So it's got it. I realize it. And i'm saying, okay, we you'll do more. You okay, whether there's 700 or 4. No, yeah. Okay. So no yielding and less approved by the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: Obviously, we're not the right to in there. We can always override it, but it needs to be. We don't want to codify that. You don't have what you I mean. We want to caught it, but I have no difficulty with that. I really don't. and and I think that's good, because then the people understand that they can't yield. They cannot come here, so it's really more for them than us.

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Cooper City Hall: Correct. And then we have.

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Cooper City Hall: And again I i'm all for the back and forth questions, etc. But.

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Cooper City Hall: Mr. Shard, you said it's cross-examination. I get that.

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Cooper City Hall: So

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Cooper City Hall: what do we have on that? No; as of now there's no change to that provision. I think we need to address that

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Cooper City Hall: right? So it's what we're talking about. Excuse me

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Cooper City Hall: 1.5 sub b, that the I don't know a couple of lines down during the open public comment portion.

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Cooper City Hall: Any individual may use their allotted four-minute time to ask a question to the commission or to a commission member concerning any matter that's put into the City Commissioner, to whom the question is directed may then spend up the 3 min time responding to the question, or may redirect the question to the manager for an appropriate response.

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Cooper City Hall: Question direct to the commission we responded to as provided by the Mayor.

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Cooper City Hall: Necessary Commission commissioner, mayor, or city manager may advise the individual, he or she will respond within 48 h Once the answer is available

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Cooper City Hall: in my opinion

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Cooper City Hall: all of that should be gone, and as a matter of you know, you could do it as a matter of practice. But why? Why would we write that out?

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Cooper City Hall: Do we have the minutes somewhere else, like how many minutes people get to speak right above it? Does you know the 4 min is about prior sentence? Yes.

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Cooper City Hall: So now we're saying that we don't want to put back and forth. We allow

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Cooper City Hall: I don't think we should say it one way or another. We have to have a consistency again, because there are times when there have been, and there are times when there's needed to have been. And then we're when we're not allowed, so it's it's either

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Cooper City Hall: as a as a matter of right. I don't think that you have a right like I could tell you I couldn't go down to the County Commission or the School Board, and demand answers to people right like that's not ever happens. Now.

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Cooper City Hall: if we're having a something where it's just intimate, and there's no one really here. We usually

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Cooper City Hall: it kind of it's allowed, so I don't think, as a matter of right that should be in there

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Cooper City Hall: correct, and I agree that that's what it should be, though it's been in addition to not again, not the 2 and same meetings.

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Cooper City Hall: But it's been times, and people are like, Well, what about this? We don't do back and forth.

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Cooper City Hall: But there are times when there are people that are coming here and have a genuine question, and that question might spark us to do something.

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Cooper City Hall: and we can't go back and it's, and it's well. The city manager will address you. The police chief will get your information, etc. But there are times when we need to get their information

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Cooper City Hall: there. This doesn't apply to us. No, it's it's. I think it's the right of the that, like the person coming here, is supposed to come and let us know their opinion while we're doing business, not come. Participate in the business

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Cooper City Hall: because you you just can't actually accomplish things if you're gonna and you know, come and go back and forth. It's like that's really you. Come. Address your government, let them know your concerns. But at the end of the day the me it's the Commission meeting for us to make that decision not to add

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Cooper City Hall: when they're confused about

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Cooper City Hall: the Gray and White House. I don't understand why the Gray and White House is like that, and we could end that person's confusion in 30 s, and we do, and I think we should continue. But I don't know that it needs to be across the board. What if the person doesn't understand why we had

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Cooper City Hall: installed extra stop signs here?

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Cooper City Hall: This is why Police chief, can you? That's kind of that. That judgment is kind of made, you know. If it's like something reasonable or quick thing. It's like, hey? You know we'll have the cat. I've always been on the mindset. If there's one person that takes the time to come here and ask the question, there are probably 10 at home that have the same question.

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06:11:16.860 --> 06:11:26.710

Cooper City Hall: They just have not taken the time to come here. and if you answer it, then you're helping people understand. and you're increasing the transparency

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Cooper City Hall: of everyone.

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Cooper City Hall: My friend, your predecessor, like to talk back to every single person.

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Cooper City Hall: and you end up sitting here, and then it's like you didn't say something to. And now one person's answering it, and I mean it really drags out. So if you guys want to get out by 1130,

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Cooper City Hall: I don't think there should be

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Cooper City Hall: a right, by resolution to have an inquisition with the City Commission and and and i'm going to go backwards for a moment in regards to again, you're indicating that we have an issue, and we can talk about it as long as we want.

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Cooper City Hall: unless you're repeating yourself Well, why don't we? We are no better than the residents. Well, they have more minutes. We should have No, no, it's the Commission meeting, not the Resident and Commission meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: It's totally different. We are we are more qualified. We are more. We are more qualified because we're doing this

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Cooper City Hall: literally on a on a bi-weekly. Our hands are tied there's aren't they can go and lobby each one of you for something agree. They don't have to come here. They don't know how to speak succinctly, because that's not what they do. My experience is most of them are smarter than us.

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Cooper City Hall: Not really. They write it out, and and that's what helps them. So my point is, we are doing this. I think we are the ones that need to be limited, and at least have the 4 min clock moving, so that you know.

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06:12:57.310 --> 06:13:02.170

Cooper City Hall: Gee! Maybe I really have spoken enough, or maybe i'll just do it another minute.

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Cooper City Hall: I think the clock needs to be running on us because we are no better than the residents

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Cooper City Hall: it it produces. I mean. We had a conversation tonight that

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Cooper City Hall: went round Robin a bunch of times, and I think it it. It ended up

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Cooper City Hall: evolving the discussion. So there are times where it's redundant, and then there are times where it's not, I think, limiting ourselves.

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Cooper City Hall: you know.

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Cooper City Hall: is a bit much, I mean, maybe it's robotic. It's weird, yeah. And then and then we can't talk back to each other because you're taking my thing. The first the first go around 4 min. State your issue, state your position. You done the next go-around. We discussed

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Cooper City Hall: you're saying something, and then you're saying something makes me say, oh, well, what about you? Don't have to wait 20 min to say that Exactly. But yeah, i'm interrupt everyone, but it's dialogue. So you know what, and i'm gonna i'm gonna say without a doubt. Maybe it's because i'm Italian. I do interrupt people, and I apologize to all my colleagues. Not done to be

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Cooper City Hall: disrupted. It's just

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Cooper City Hall: It's called natural dialogue. It's well, I I again. It's. What if I a. Again, if I offend anyone by doing it. It's not meant to to be disruptive. It's meant to to that's just

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06:14:28.710 --> 06:14:46.640

Cooper City Hall: my personality. And I natural dialogue. It's it's it's natural dialogue, and that's why in depositions. It happens non-stop, because it's natural, and and there are times when you're going to say a this is in a quarter of order. I think a. B one at a time.

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Cooper City Hall: He's talking. You're talking, he's talking, I get. I've got to run a meeting normally, when that maybe we're doing that just to ensure that I understand the 4 min. I wholeheartedly understand that. But there is a major difference between the residents and us, and the fact that

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Cooper City Hall: I cannot call any of you and say, what do you think about this yellow, squishy?

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Cooper City Hall: But the residents can call me, and we can have a 40 min conversation about Why, I think this yellow squishy is awesome.

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Cooper City Hall: But I can't talk to anyone up here.

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Cooper City Hall: and if I do, i'm in trouble. So unless Tallahassee is going to change that. Then I don't feel it's right to limit us because

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Cooper City Hall: i'm i'm not allowed. I'm not allowed to back and forth

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Cooper City Hall: and again, Commissioner Green. I

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Cooper City Hall: I think the the sun rises and sex on you. We're we're just gonna disagree on this item

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Cooper City Hall: because I can't have a conversation with anyone about anything. And then, if we're ever going to evolve. we need to be able to have a back and forth, and if we're limited to 4 min. I'm sorry I got to cut you off now, because you're we're repeating yourself. Oh, here's what's going to happen. I thought she was doing right. No, but so the Meros and Commissioner Melosie, I hear you, and there is a big You're absolutely right. I agree with you right

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Cooper City Hall: that they that the in some regards, the residents have us at a disadvantage in that they can talk to all of us right. But in this, in the same vein we also have an advantage because we have access

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Cooper City Hall: to the items that are being placed on the agenda. We have staff through a gender reviews that says, okay. Here is the item that's coming here is the recommendation. By Staff. We can have the input from the residents. We have that ability after we've after we've heard the residents. We have that ability to communicate

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Cooper City Hall: to the rest of us. Hey, look! I've had an opportunity to speak to our residents, and here are some of the concerns that they have, that I did, that I did not think of that. I want to make sure that the Commission is aware of.

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I. 8 min is a long time to do that.

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Cooper City Hall: I understand that if we have to have additional well, we need more than that. To the Mayor's point.

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Cooper City Hall: You got the clock running? You know that you have to you. You're gonna you. I take notes.

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Cooper City Hall: I write. I write down

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Cooper City Hall: what people, what commission people Commission members say you're in residence 20 min to say so. Did I. Res Res residents, say I write it down so that I can make sure that if i'm going to spit out. If there's something that you have said that i'm i'm like. Oh, wait a minute.

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06:17:37.060 --> 06:17:38.240

Cooper City Hall: she said, that

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Cooper City Hall: I have a rebuttal to that that maybe perhaps she hadn't she hadn't thought about, or maybe one of the residents having to share it with her. I'll bring that to her attention

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Cooper City Hall: at some point

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Cooper City Hall: at some point. If we're just going around and around and around, and nothing's changed. I I get it me ros you have a duty to run to keep

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Cooper City Hall: the Mo. Keep the meeting flowing. That's all I do. We're going around on this issue, and I don't know what we're getting You want to call the vote on this issue. There is there, we're we're we're we're we're discussing it. I'm, i'm even saying, let the clock run, i'm not saying that you're limited to that, but it gives you a darn good feeling

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Cooper City Hall: of where you should be at

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Cooper City Hall: you. You just love telling us rules on us. You get to talk. This is a chair whenever you want. No, I'll try to convince this. I've been feeling through time your way of, and do that. I wait.

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Cooper City Hall: That's what I do when I've waited tonight, too. Jacob. Where else are we?

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Cooper City Hall: There's a clean up item in subsection, c. There was a clean up item in subsection D. In D. There was some relatively recent case law with regards to requiring individuals to provide their name and address when they speak at a public meeting. So we added some language to, instead of requiring the completion of the written slip. We're having members of the public be asked to complete the written slip. When they sign in.

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Cooper City Hall: we added some language the end of Mayor. From time to time you may rearrange the order in which people submit their slips to speak, so we have the mayor attempting to call speakers to the podium in the order which they request to speak. However, provide some discretion in the event that you wanted to bundle speakers on a particular topic, as you've done from time to time.

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Cooper City Hall: There's no change to the decorum section. If you read into the record a few minutes ago, we made no change to the section. 1.7 pertaining to the political use of commission meetings.

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Cooper City Hall: no change to the parliamentary procedures which embrace Roberts rules.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm happy to strike the City attorney serving as the Parliamentarian. If any any member of the Commission wants to assume that role. I would. I would volunteer. I think we'll keep the attorney at you. We made no change to Section 1.9,

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Cooper City Hall: the summer schedule. We will add some language where the Commission and its discretion may amend the summer schedule. From time to time we did strike the reference to the meetings being held on the third Tuesday of summer months. That was old language that applied when there was one commission meeting, and over the summer months.

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Cooper City Hall: We will add in the section 1.1 one sub a. Regarding proclamations. We'll add a language that no proclamations will be used for political purposes that any member of the Commission they object to a proclamation, and requested to be put to a vote, and we'll strike. The reference to the exhibit a, which is a somewhat antiquated

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Cooper City Hall: in Section C. 1 point of information you said on the political purpose: Was it political purpose, or is it policy?

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Cooper City Hall: I don't think political with the with the with political, and that the Commission looks otherwise again. This will all come back to you in a final form at the next meeting to vote on

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Cooper City Hall: in subsection, c. Regarding honorary citizens. Can we change that to residents

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Cooper City Hall: residential honorary residence? Yeah, we we we will make that change, and and there was also discussion about either a plaque or some other commemoration. You know, medal of Honor. We will work with the manager and staff on some language to bring back for your consideration.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, on the other one, we said with the political, I think it should be political or policy positions. I don't think we should issue a proclamation on the policy position.

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Cooper City Hall: No, it would be resolution for a yeah. But we should prohibit a a policy proclamation, but I have no problem with that, because you can get it in through the resolution. That's how it should be done. Really, I just. I don't want to get into like a 40 min.

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Cooper City Hall: I might but just the the honorary resident. What if a person is a resident and we won't, honor them.

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Cooper City Hall: And and again, like I said, we, we'll work with the manager, but with some some recognition procedure which is not

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Cooper City Hall: that one is right. Yeah. And and and and this is says currently, the Commission may honor that would require the Commission to formally embrace that action, but it doesn't say that they

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Cooper City Hall: let me just

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Cooper City Hall: does that say that? Well, it says the Commission may honor the Commission, but I can't do anything with it, but we can. We can certainly clarify that to require some. Maybe you should say something like honorary, or or a resident or distinguished Resume something like that, you know. Yup, you could. You? You're trying to handle 2 things with one

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Cooper City Hall: you can on a separate find, a fancy name for people to live here for.

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Cooper City Hall: Section 1.1, 2, regarding comments by members of the Commission. We've made no change to that section. Section 1.13 regarding seating on the days we've made no change in that section.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, we did, did we? Because I know several people said no, that they didn't help. I beg to do for okay. Well, then, maybe you should call the vote on that, that you got some clarification there. As to the intent of the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: I just

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Cooper City Hall: I wanted to change. I want Well, I wanted to make it that we have an an opportunity

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Cooper City Hall: to determine that the the body of us. Yep. Now i'm getting tired. No, I apologize for I I apologize for

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Cooper City Hall: the manner in which that I I had addressed you and the Commission and the audience. I came back, and I said

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Cooper City Hall: at the end that

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Cooper City Hall: I agree with Commission melody in terms of the seating that we all should have the ability to determine that.

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06:23:22.820 --> 06:23:38.210

Cooper City Hall: and and I didn't, and I didn't, and I didn't hear what the other 3, because I had it. I went. I didn't hear the other 3. I I understood that you were indicating you know what, mayor. I respect the fact that you have that ability, that

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06:23:38.210 --> 06:23:46.480

Cooper City Hall: the discretionary authority I respect that, and I apologize. So I that's my understanding of

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06:23:46.740 --> 06:23:59.790

Cooper City Hall: you were going with that. No, sir. Okay. I was apologizing for the manner in which I but and I believe that if we were to do a roll back. I believe that at the end I said, hey, I just want to say that

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Cooper City Hall: I agree with Commissioner Melody in terms of what she had said at the very end.

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Cooper City Hall: Jeremy, excuse me, Commissioner Kasman.

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Cooper City Hall: go by, Jeremy, too. You So you brockery.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, Rod.

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Cooper City Hall: she's I. Still, I

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Cooper City Hall: I i'm okay with certain discretion. But I would like there to be more a more formalized seating arrangement that we that we

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Cooper City Hall: so I understand the need of the Mayor, for example, having certain people in certain spots.

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Cooper City Hall: I think maybe we can designate commission seats and then figure out.

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Cooper City Hall: you know, and let

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Cooper City Hall: the body decides commission. One commissions, each 1 2 3 4. That's it

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Cooper City Hall: shall be. you know, at the discretion of the Mayor, subject to the approval of the commission. I like it to be this way in that. Then we ratify that. I'm: okay, with that

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Cooper City Hall: fine.

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Cooper City Hall: because now it's 5 of us all where you want to, you know, like somebody's got a spearhead that I mean. A lot of meetings are run with like whoever sits down when they arrive, you know, so it's not necessarily

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Cooper City Hall: prohibitive to running the meeting. No, I'm just saying like it's a

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Cooper City Hall: you know. I've run boards before, or teams before, where people just sit in different spots, every meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: and just let me say, for the record

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Cooper City Hall: I absolutely enjoy being here. I like sitting here didn't sound like that little while ago. No, no, No, I was pat. No, I I I said historically what they represented what the perception was. You didn't hear me say that

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Cooper City Hall: I didn't after being here.

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Cooper City Hall: I I actually like being here. It it does not bother me to sit here. It doesn't bother me.

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Cooper City Hall: But I but to the point was I should have a right to say I I want to be. I want to sit right here.

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Cooper City Hall: But if if and and Commissioner, if you say that, and I have another commissioner saying that I have a problem.

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06:26:10.290 --> 06:26:21.840

Cooper City Hall: because now both you want the same sheet, I can't do it, and I can't run a meeting that way, but he's a senior. He can. That's where

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06:26:21.840 --> 06:26:35.000

Cooper City Hall: you know it it, or pull a number out of a half, or or you get the district, or or it used to be district. I'll just say it's going to be run for seats now. Right that's how it a terrific one through 4 we're done.

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Cooper City Hall: but we're going to have 1, 2, and a B. Okay.

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Cooper City Hall: because it's that we're not all getting re-elected in 2,024. So I agree they're not going to change the sheet. Numbers of of

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Cooper City Hall: right.

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Cooper City Hall: It's good to go. 1 2 3 4 as and i'm planning for the but i'm not going to be here. By that I don't either. No, oh, is that what it is I would imagine I mean.

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Cooper City Hall: and that no, I I think it should be either weed over there. Yeah, we decide which. You really, you know, either we decide or it's by seniority or the or the the mayor picks, and we gratify. I don't care, but

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Cooper City Hall: I like that i'm for so I don't want to be on the corner. 1 2 3 4 puts me over there. No, I I count the other way. No, he's putting me. He's putting baby in the corner. Because, yeah, I I mean, this is this is why the Mayor needs to run it. It decisions, silly decisions

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Cooper City Hall: did we make. You may think it's important of where you say it's not as long as you have the opportunity to speak. When

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Cooper City Hall: so you want. You want me to do it with your approval.

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Cooper City Hall: You you're not You're not deciding on the meeting. I have to run. That's my problem. So here said that they are okay with the Commission decided. If you, If you have seats one through 4, then it's not about you. It's about this seat.

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Cooper City Hall: It it's about whether or not the commission you had 3 people just now, and I didn't say a word.

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Cooper City Hall: Say that they were okay with the Commission deciding not the mayor, the Commission.

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Cooper City Hall: So again, this is how I say, when when you are for things or against certain things. You tend to run things differently. You want to run things the right way. But you're You're pressuring now

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Cooper City Hall: because it's not going necessarily in your face. No, no, no, no! I understood from commission shrouded that he wanted certain things i'm giving in. He's compromising I've compromised. I've seen Jeff compromise. I've seen Catsman Commission Catch me compromise.

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Cooper City Hall: Everyone needs to compromise. and I I have heard several members say that they would like the Commission to decide, so I guess it's.

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Cooper City Hall: Decide. Is it some people want the Commission to decide, or do people want the mayor to decide?

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Cooper City Hall: We could split the baby and say that the mayor does he just said he was the babies. Okay, that's why we're in Jay Rod. We could split the baby. Say the mayor can configure up here like we're Commission seats will be as opposed to, you know, Staff. And then within those commissions you can take by seniority.

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Cooper City Hall: Well, that's questionable, too, you know, like the commission seed. Here's a commission seat. Here's a commission seat. Yeah, like, you know, this is the configuration I want the Commissioner set here, and then what's the lawyer and the and the manager over there

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Cooper City Hall: and then there, you know, and then within those, because then it's not going to be personal. Well, then, it's these 4 commission seats because the lawyer needs to be there. The city manager right here in the middle. If he says he wants that, that's it. But it's not personal to us, because well, it is

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Cooper City Hall: no but you. One person can't be punished because he doesn't have control over it off the floor

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Cooper City Hall: where they're going.

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Cooper City Hall: He picks the the format and then us forward. Pick.

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Cooper City Hall: We're we're going to sit within that form advice, and you're already

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Cooper City Hall: okay. So if I said that I wanted to stay here

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Cooper City Hall: and you get to pick off of the available commission. Okay. So if he puts the city manager here and then I and and then I go between Tedra and he places. I'm: okay, I don't have a problem with this. So he places those 3 a senior. You get the so I I I don't have. I don't have a problem with that.

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06:30:36.130 --> 06:30:37.350

Cooper City Hall: It doesn't it.

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06:30:38.150 --> 06:30:56.080

Cooper City Hall: At least i'm. I'm feeling like, okay. Well, you know I have some. I have some say so on where I get to see where I get to sit, that's all. And and if the and if this. And if this group, if you all say no, we're going to leave it as is. The Mayor is going to decide that. Then the majority, that's what it is. But i'm just i'm saying again.

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Cooper City Hall: or this group can decide to leave the seats, as is right now i'm the one who set the seats. What if we let's not forget that?

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Cooper City Hall: And if I set them, I can change them. It's the same thing as our appointment. This is this is exactly the exact argument. Then you analogize it. We all I I i'm sorry Commission, Sharda. We all agreed for the appointments that it should be, hey? When you want to change it, you change it. It's your appointment period.

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Cooper City Hall: This is what I've done, and this is since 2,005

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Cooper City Hall: way before me.

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Cooper City Hall: The mayor had the prerogative. There is a rationale behind it. so i'm sorry i'm talking again. You're interrupting. How many times

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Cooper City Hall: can I ask you nicely. and everybody before I start using the gamble

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06:31:49.530 --> 06:31:51.960

Cooper City Hall: after they're done. Speaking

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06:31:53.030 --> 06:31:55.370

Cooper City Hall: necessarily true.

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06:31:56.780 --> 06:32:00.320

Cooper City Hall: fill a bus during it is not appreciated.

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06:32:02.750 --> 06:32:04.050

Cooper City Hall: What i'm saying

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06:32:05.310 --> 06:32:06.540

Cooper City Hall: once again.

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06:32:06.860 --> 06:32:24.750

Cooper City Hall: and I I I commission you sure. Are. You want to compromise that way? It's fine with me. I don't I don't doesn't matter to me. I just don't want to be in the corner. I just want Jacob to be. I like my seat. I don't care. I just want Jacob. I just have something to write down so that we can read it next time it comes up.

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Cooper City Hall: That's all you want to pick the configuration, and then the Us. The other to figure out where we're going to sit within the configuration that I have that option to have the other option of it's 1 2 3 4. Those are the seats.

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06:32:38.460 --> 06:33:04.510

Cooper City Hall: But you don't know where for is it could be down there, or it could be over here, I for here i'm fine with that, if it's for Zoom now, for's there because he's mad at me because I want. I don't want him to pick the seeds, but you have to look at it from the point of view of the people you're 1 2 3 4. That's how you add it. It actually probably makes more sense for you to pick the configuration. If it does that where we're going to see. But no problem.

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06:33:05.410 --> 06:33:14.220

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, I'll be here. At least he'll be there, and he likes it here. There's no it makes no sense that we're going to man. He can also what we're saying that's a

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Cooper City Hall: the labor of this. What what Commissioner shrouded is.

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Cooper City Hall: if if the mayor says.

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Cooper City Hall: here's where I want the clerk. Here's where I want the manager. Here's where I want the attorney. Here's where I want the 4 commissioners. and then amongst the Commissioners. The Commissioners decide where they sit. And you kind of get first Tibs because you're the boss

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Cooper City Hall: Seniority wise.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay, that's fine. That's that's fine. I would. And and I do this on behalf of every other commissioner other than Mr. Blowsy. And I say this just with love.

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Cooper City Hall: Now the question becomes, how do you define seniority?

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Cooper City Hall: Because she has served 12 plus years.

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Cooper City Hall: the charter, the charter to find seniority?

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Cooper City Hall: We know how it's defined, not, it's well; but when when 2 individuals are elected at the same time, it speaks to the highest vote, percentage in the most recent election.

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Cooper City Hall: what I'm saying is seniority is always continuous service, you know. I used to work for the to make sure that I choose last. No, no, no, no, no, no, No, no! If you go under his, I want it. You're going to be, and the back me. No, it would be a choosing before him. If it's, I mean, we'd vote in

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06:34:32.730 --> 06:34:47.820

Cooper City Hall: quote unquote seniority. We speak, and, senior, so I need to again transparency, so that there's no question I mean, that's to me. That's in it. And listen. I'm not like. How about this? You picked the configuration, and us for can figure out how we're going to sit within that.

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Cooper City Hall: But that's not.

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06:34:51.380 --> 06:35:00.230

Cooper City Hall: You're apparently not happy with I. I i'm not. I think I I think, what you originally indicated. Commissioner shrouded

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Cooper City Hall: was better, and that is, I will go ahead. I will

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Cooper City Hall: seed it

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Cooper City Hall: subject to the approval.

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06:35:08.280 --> 06:35:10.910

Cooper City Hall: and we could do each approval individually.

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06:35:11.730 --> 06:35:25.670

Cooper City Hall: But yes, you had 4, that my my difficulty of of this is this is exactly the problem. If we go around and we and and Jeff is out there, and and he says no, and we vote on it, and everyone agrees.

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06:35:25.930 --> 06:35:45.610

Cooper City Hall: The problem is, who's going there, but it wasn't that wasn't the issue. The issue was 4 of us just agreed that you pick where and it's the first 4 are. No, you pick where those where Tedra City manager, attorney, and your cell phone, and then the 4 of us.

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06:35:45.610 --> 06:35:54.990

Cooper City Hall: We'll pick the remaining seats where we want it on it. No, we should. We were going to take where we want to hold on so what I may. Understanding is

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Cooper City Hall: i'm sorry who gets to choose first

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06:35:59.530 --> 06:36:08.610

Cooper City Hall: of what she we don't care about that we do, because it's not. You guys. It's for the future.

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Cooper City Hall: That's my suggestion. It doesn't mean, I speak for one of us. But yeah, if you have any difficulty with seniors.

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06:36:19.650 --> 06:36:25.410

Cooper City Hall: he's the senior. So you have any difficulty with your

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Cooper City Hall: okay

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Cooper City Hall: intent to bring it up. Mr. Melosi, do you have a difficulty with the seniority?

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Cooper City Hall: But I I i'm a filibuster, but no one else is right. Is that how that works? If that wasn't filibustering? No, that was getting it clear that was filibustering.

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06:36:44.850 --> 06:36:52.180

Cooper City Hall: so do I get the lay down here. If you want, i'll know your the city might be there, and then babies out of the corner.

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06:36:52.670 --> 06:36:53.580

Cooper City Hall: Okay.

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06:36:53.590 --> 06:37:08.080

Cooper City Hall: he's big. He's going to pick 4 seats that are Commissioner seats, and you get to pick which seat you want others for you. You guys, the configuration we pick our. So if the commissioners have this in back there.

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06:37:08.260 --> 06:37:18.250

Cooper City Hall: But you guys pick it based on your seniority. That's who goes for a second 34, that's all. Okay. Or we raised to the chair. I like that. I'll teach you.

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06:37:18.620 --> 06:37:33.060

Cooper City Hall: I'll knock you down in in 2 2.0. We've cleaned up this section. All references to telephone will refer to communications media technology, which is a defined term under State law. We'll add the definition to this provision as well.

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06:37:33.440 --> 06:37:58.470

Cooper City Hall: We did strike the reference to not allowing remote participation in closed door sessions with the commission you may recall during the Covid situation we did have this arise several times in the context of a shade session. So we revised that to provide for consistency, those were the changes that we made based on this discussion and the Commission's direction, we will bring back a revised a resolution for the commission's formal consideration at the next meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: Thank you. And on the Executive Assistant. I think it. It. It's a

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Cooper City Hall: build

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Cooper City Hall: duties that are essential

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Cooper City Hall: in so far as how the time is assessed

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Cooper City Hall: there is no doubt I take more time. I accept that because of my role, and more important, i'm not saying that I said my pro.

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Cooper City Hall: so I leave it to the individual as I have. I've left it to Masha

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Cooper City Hall: to complete the work. I don't tell her, and I don't micromanage her

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Cooper City Hall: who goes for a second or third, or i'm more important, I give her the things that need to be done.

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Cooper City Hall: that's all.

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And I've never been told. Mayor.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. Stop giving me stuff. No, she has told me she's inundated. I said them prioritize, and I never indicate

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Cooper City Hall: me. First.

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Cooper City Hall: I said to her, You prioritize. She needs to do that. She knows what needs to get done. I don't know what the 4 of you have given her, because again I can't talk with you.

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Cooper City Hall: and she's not telling me that's fine. It's up to her. You can actually talk with us about what we I I avoid all appearances of impropriety.

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06:39:17.060 --> 06:39:24.160

Cooper City Hall: No, it is specifically, if you give her items to work on to be placed on the agenda. We're going to vote on it.

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06:39:24.350 --> 06:39:25.880

Cooper City Hall: I don't want to know.

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Cooper City Hall: and I think that's it.

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06:39:31.350 --> 06:39:32.720

Cooper City Hall: Okay, Thank you.

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Let's move on

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Cooper City Hall: city manages. Report.

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06:39:46.370 --> 06:39:59.580

Cooper City Hall: Mr. Mayor Commissioners. So we're about ready to get our autism designation. We did the training. We still have a few more folks who have to take the training, but we are about to get our autism designation.

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06:39:59.740 --> 06:40:02.400

Cooper City Hall: We have autism, awareness day at the

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Cooper City Hall: fire station on the fifteenth, but we'll get the designation on the second meeting in April, so April 20 fifth, we should get our autism. Our city autism designate awareness designation.

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Cooper City Hall: I'm pretty pretty significant accomplishment for the city

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Cooper City Hall: leave, or just the second in the in the area behind Weston, who got it a couple of weeks ago. and and to that, and I I don't mean to interrupt you. But honestly, I want to thank Commissioner

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06:40:29.800 --> 06:40:36.960

Cooper City Hall: Batsman for bringing that up and for being the catalyst. I'm sorry I missed that. Oh, thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: appreciate it.

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Cooper City Hall: And I would like to think, Stacy, and who who led that effort and the rest of the staff who could participate. We had some great sessions. I think this will benefit the the cities considerably.

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Cooper City Hall: We still have a busy schedule

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Cooper City Hall: this week, I guess. Now we can say starting tomorrow. We're gonna have the candidates in

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Cooper City Hall: tomorrow. Thursday. One Pm: we're going to do a city tour.

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Cooper City Hall: They will take all of them around to the various highlights of the city, and at 3 30, when I do a staff. I'm. Reception here in the Chambers.

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Cooper City Hall: and then at 5 30 we have our reception with the residents.

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Cooper City Hall: Here again, here in the Chambers, Friday morning, starting at 9 o'clock, we'll start the one on ones with the individual one on one with the Commissioners at 11, one. Pm. We're going to have the meeting on a public meeting where you'll have the public interviews

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Cooper City Hall: that should end around 3 45, and about around 4 Pm. We should start restart that meeting for the actual selection

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Cooper City Hall: and that's. All I have, Mr. Me any questions to the city manager. Yes. you want to go. Okay. We received a letter today

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Cooper City Hall: from waste management about the Rfp.

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Cooper City Hall: You and I spoke about this months ago, and it was being worked on by staff. Now it's to the point. I'm trying to pull it up on my as well like paper. Better sorry

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06:42:20.120 --> 06:42:27.420

Cooper City Hall: Now it's to the point of where waste management is sending us a letter saying that they don't know if we're going to have enough time

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Cooper City Hall: to have an Rfp.

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Cooper City Hall: Go through all the procedures of that Rfp. With back and forth questions, etc., interviews and whatnot, and then get done in time to get a new company

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Cooper City Hall: up and running, not a new company, but a different company, because that company would need to potentially order trucks or to personnel, etc.,

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Cooper City Hall: and we have, I believe, for this letter we have

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Cooper City Hall: September thirtieth is when the September thirtieth. So

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Cooper City Hall: this is very upsetting to me, because again, several months ago we talked about this.

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Cooper City Hall: and I. Still, we still don't have an Rfp. And I understand Staff is busy. But this is

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Cooper City Hall: what happens when we're gonna have Manhattan garbage piled outside, and that's not gonna happen, Commissioner. But I. We received the letter today, also, simultaneously, and I spoke briefly. Did time about it right now. We're. We think we have enough time

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06:43:34.840 --> 06:43:42.980

Cooper City Hall: to to get it out. We'll probably have it out in the next couple of weeks. We'll. We'll advertise it for a month or so

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Cooper City Hall: do the selection process, and we should be able to make a selection beforehand. The the point that they're bringing up is. If they're not selected.

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06:43:51.390 --> 06:43:56.280

Cooper City Hall: then other companies may have to procure equipment.

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06:43:57.850 --> 06:44:03.040

Cooper City Hall: And but that's that's they're going to have to do that regardless.

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06:44:03.730 --> 06:44:08.520

Cooper City Hall: Okay. And so what they're suggesting, and we know we haven't spoken to them.

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Cooper City Hall: They're suggesting is that we do a an extension with them to allow a more ample time. That's not how I read it. But okay, so that's what they're suggesting is that they well, and I understand the procurement process. But let's say we choose. ABC. I hope that's not the name of a real company. But let's say we choose ABC.

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Cooper City Hall: Garbage, removal. and now they're going to have to add staff. They're going to have to add trucks. And while that might not be

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06:44:38.260 --> 06:44:46.250

Cooper City Hall: our business, that's something that we're going to that doesn't happen overnight, there is everybody knows Post Covid.

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06:44:46.460 --> 06:44:57.820

Cooper City Hall: It's impossible to get anything. It's things that would normally take a month. Take 3 months, and then they tell you 3 months. But it really takes 4 months. So i'm worried.

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Cooper City Hall: and I think i'm i'm worried

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06:45:00.120 --> 06:45:11.440

Cooper City Hall: rightfully, so that we're going to be biting our nose despite our face. I'm also concerned. Who's doing the Rfp. On this? You said that Tom Good was doing it.

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06:45:12.200 --> 06:45:14.920

Cooper City Hall: Okay, so, Tom, Good. And

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Cooper City Hall: and we also have a consultant helping us

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Cooper City Hall: if the contract falls under public works.

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Cooper City Hall: because normally we have finance work on our piece, I have any. I'm not good working on it. Oh, Tom, Good is the public works directly, and he's the subject expert. So i'm not saying that Tom Good is the only one working on it. Tom Good is working on it with our procurement department, and we also have

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Cooper City Hall: a consultant who's helping put that together

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Cooper City Hall: in his other job. He's taken contributions from people other than waste management. which is, I normally wouldn't have an issue with. But now we're asking that person to write an Rfp.

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Cooper City Hall: That could reflect just depending on how it's written.

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Cooper City Hall: could work towards one person and not another.

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06:46:12.060 --> 06:46:16.370

Cooper City Hall: and you and i'm that that whole thing doesn't sit well with me.

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06:46:18.730 --> 06:46:20.720

Cooper City Hall: I that commission. I never

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06:46:20.860 --> 06:46:27.000

Cooper City Hall: looked at this from the perspective of he's a commissioner for another. He's a he's our public Works director.

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Cooper City Hall: and he has a an enormous amount of expertise in waste management. and so he's the right person from on on our staff

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06:46:35.800 --> 06:46:48.660

Cooper City Hall: to be working on that that Rfp. And so when you say waste management, do you mean removal of waste, or do you mean waste management? The company? No, not not the company. I'm talking about

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Cooper City Hall: garbage. He's got a tremendous amount of experience

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Cooper City Hall: in

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06:46:55.670 --> 06:46:57.920

Cooper City Hall: waste. disposal

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Cooper City Hall: and processing and movement. So he's the right person

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Cooper City Hall: because of his experience and the position, and where the contract falls under. But I never took into consideration the fact that he's committed a

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Cooper City Hall: commissioner come from. He's a commissioner from Pember of Pines, that uses a different company which I don't. What are you suggesting? I'm just saying that I don't like everybody's all concerned about appearances. I don't like the appearance of that. And and the fact that it's taken so long.

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Cooper City Hall: I understand that I understand that i'm not happy about that, either. But but so if it's taken that long, and you're not happy about it. Did you move it to someone else? So

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Cooper City Hall: i'm not blaming it on, Tom. But I I wanted to try to get this out earlier, and it just hasn't happened.

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Cooper City Hall: But I I don't

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Cooper City Hall: I just don't see a conflict with him being our public works directly I mean it's done now. He's already written so. But I mean you don't see how someone taking money from one person could not, when they're writing something could not be a conflict, whether inadvertent or right it, he doesn't write it. I I believe that our department started, and just

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Cooper City Hall: they give the subject matter whatever, and then the procurement I didn't know we had a hired consultant procurement

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Cooper City Hall: or tails it to me

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Cooper City Hall: the requirements so like the fire guy is gonna say, and you know it gives you them

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Cooper City Hall: the template, so to say, you need to subsystematic aspect to help develop this. So, don't we, as a commission, approve the ultimate contract.

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Cooper City Hall: So anybody on the Commission, who potentially might have taken money from any sort of waste management.

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Cooper City Hall: Right? So you just disclose the

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06:48:42.090 --> 06:48:53.580

Cooper City Hall: he took the money, and we can. I'm just i'm just saying there's no need for him to this, but it's been yeah, but it did do that waste. Management is a is a

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06:48:53.890 --> 06:49:02.770

Cooper City Hall: very large company, and I guarantee if we had an Rfp. Written to exclude them. that'd be no, not only with a protest that let us know pretty quick.

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06:49:02.980 --> 06:49:07.530

Cooper City Hall: You know it's not. I mean, they're the giant. They're not the They're not the small.

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06:49:08.230 --> 06:49:23.630

Cooper City Hall: and the only reason this is coming to fruition here is that we received the letter today, saying, hey, you all need to move this process right on that. That's a that's very upsetting, and of itself I I candidly

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06:49:23.630 --> 06:49:34.090

Cooper City Hall: Thank you. Waste management for telling us how to run our city giving us notice. They're right giving us notice of. You gotta get it moving.

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Cooper City Hall: Others would look at it as it's self-serving. They want an extension. Others would look at it as you're doing us a courtesy.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't care how it's looked at the letter was sent. We're on it. We're working it if we need the extension. Thank you for allowing it. but at some point when we're up here saying, we haven't we I've said it many times, hey? I'm in secure about our procurement Department i'm in secure about our our procurement process, and then we keep having things. Oh, let's piggyback, because we're behind our behind, and we get a report from a consultant that says, hey, you basically help on every single At some point we get to take responsibility

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Cooper City Hall: and and address these issues the largest contract. That's probably. Well, yeah, that's the largest contract. That's

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Cooper City Hall: because obviously we don't

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06:50:17.830 --> 06:50:21.520

Cooper City Hall: and fire. So that's a major dropping of the ball.

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Cooper City Hall: The the other thing I want to add to the waste item is, I know that the commission is directed the to have a workshop on

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Cooper City Hall: bulk and other things, and i'll pick up and things like that, and that that's pick it up every day and leave it out all the time. Yeah, obviously.

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Cooper City Hall: Jeremy Doesn't. But

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Cooper City Hall: no, I just wanted the residents having a chance, and it well, this is before I was on the commission that you guys directed the workshop. and I know it was going to be part of this process, so i'm just reminding everybody in the room.

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06:50:59.540 --> 06:51:01.410

Cooper City Hall: Thank you. Anything else.

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06:51:01.820 --> 06:51:09.190

Cooper City Hall: Okay, yeah, I'm saying for the city manager, oh, yeah, I I I do kind of

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Cooper City Hall: 2 2 things. One.

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I think

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Cooper City Hall: from our

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Cooper City Hall: the

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Cooper City Hall: transfer is gonna occur. Yes, okay

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Cooper City Hall: of

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Cooper City Hall: the money market.

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Cooper City Hall: So we're Yes, okay. And then the second one thing that I guess I can bring up. Now.

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Cooper City Hall: the executive assistant. I was just wondering how do we come up with this 3 names like a 100. We got email that they're gonna

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Cooper City Hall: that was evil.

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Cooper City Hall: because there's like 100 applicants. Where'd you find the names we could find Marshall email? And then all of the applicant? No, I asked them response. Can you show me the list of I'd like to see that? Yeah. So what I oh, interview panic, executive Assistant. Sorry. So at the last commission meeting.

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Cooper City Hall: When this was brought up, I said that we would. We would

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Cooper City Hall: now, right down to 3 to 5 to get it on the agenda that we're actually, for I mean to interview. They're actually, for one of them has not responded yet on whether they're going to be available for interviews. 3 3 of them have.

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Cooper City Hall: There were a lot of of applicants. A lot of them didn't just didn't meet the qualifications, and then several of them were looked at

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Cooper City Hall: again, and then we we kept narrowing it down to the, to those that are on on the list.
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Cooper City Hall: I got.

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Cooper City Hall: I have no problem. If you all want to look at all 100,

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Cooper City Hall: and if it's in and choose, but that's going to be a very lengthy and difficult process. I think the criteria we used, which was that they have the experience working with elected officials.

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Cooper City Hall: Before that they have experience with constituent dealing with constituents and constituent, because that's a very, very large part of this job as well.

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Cooper City Hall: so that I mean the criteria we use to never in down. I i.

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Cooper City Hall: To select those to be interviewed is is a normal process, but

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Cooper City Hall: 2 aspects of that. Yup.

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Cooper City Hall: I don't want to look at 100,

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Cooper City Hall: but

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Cooper City Hall: one applicant

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Cooper City Hall: was, it is a judicial assistant for

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Cooper City Hall: Judge Wines Judge Levinson, and didn't make the list. I'm thinking how how would you not meet both patients? More than that.

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Cooper City Hall: Alyssa?

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Cooper City Hall: And I've never met her in person, but I know she applied because she reached out, and I said, oh, you want to apply. Speak to Marcia. She'll give you more information, and there's absolutely no way as a season judicial assistant. You wouldn't make

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Cooper City Hall: you know the qualifications you deal with an elected judge, you know. So I was just. We also have a member of staff here.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, that doesn't deal with us. But it's here. Yeah. So I I guess my question would be, and that and I asked for a listen on on your own. And obviously I don't want to look at 100, but you would think so my my question is this something better off? I don't know what we're rushing to do. Why, why, don't we

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Cooper City Hall: push this off and let the let we figure this out

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Cooper City Hall: with with our new manager, and they could feel out. So what do we do then?

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Cooper City Hall: What I mean is that it's like it? Marshall goes on a crew somebody else fills in, you know. I I don't need it. I mean Greg's the only one who doesn't. He just won't be traveling for a month or whatever.

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Cooper City Hall: But you know i'm just like thinking all all of a sudden we're gonna Rush, and we're gonna hire somebody who might not.

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Cooper City Hall: you know. The the new manager might think that a different person is

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Cooper City Hall: a 100 people were down to 3, I mean. I'd like to see the just the 3 resume. Is it possible? I I believe they were sent today?

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Cooper City Hall: The resumes. I think I don't know I don't want to look at a 100. But is there any way to give us like a little bit more? And I we did agree with the 3 to 5. But now i'm thinking like out of a 100. There could be some ones that I think the

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Cooper City Hall: our well commission I mean that that we can do that. I mean, i'm going to leave it up to you all to make to to make that decision. We never to date down, based on on the criteria I had. There were a lot of judicial assistance. She wasn't the only one, but but all of them would be

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Cooper City Hall: they there, there's criteria, that you know, working for elected officials, but also constituent services, because again, a great large part of Marsha's job is continuous constituent services. So

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Cooper City Hall: if you all want to somehow narrow it down, then, then then we're we're we're i'm fine
With that I don't I certainly don't want to. Somehow

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Cooper City Hall: you all to feel that we did not include people that you think it's going to be very hard
for all 5 of you to determine that. But I don't want you to think that somehow we're

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deliberately, or for whatever reason leading people out of the

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Cooper City Hall: you will do it, overlook, or you you submit your 3 in it, and it.

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Cooper City Hall: The rest of us want to throw some names in. Certainly I don't. I don't want to
complicate a thing, but I do.

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06:56:20.690 --> 06:56:25.100

Cooper City Hall: The the process I used is I went, I mean. I looked at every resume

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Cooper City Hall: I identified potential.

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Cooper City Hall: and there was probably about, and I've got the book. You can look at the book that that I have I there? There's probably about 20 to 25 potential from that potential sat down, and there were down to 5, and then ultimately 4,

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Cooper City Hall: and and that was very difficult to do. And then of the 4, like I said one, Hasn't responded. So the 3 that we're sent out in today. One of the things I like about judicial assistance in general, and if there's multiple, that's good is

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Cooper City Hall: is the fact that they end up, go, they end up having to start from scratch. There it is. There isn't a hire, you know. So each judge ends up having their own rules of room, and that's kind of like what happens here. We we don't have necessarily

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Cooper City Hall: process, you know, like we we rely on that person to make the process 4 or 5 people. and so there's a lot of like being a self starter, so to say.

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Cooper City Hall: that makes I'm. I'm looking at the Mayor because she has experience.

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Cooper City Hall: But we here is what i'm, not understanding

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Cooper City Hall: we.

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Cooper City Hall: the the the city manager, has stated what the criteria was I I he! He's, also alluded to the fact that there was more than one judicial assistant that had

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Cooper City Hall: applied for the position, and based on the criteria. that there was 5. Now for

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Cooper City Hall: individuals that meet the criteria

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Cooper City Hall: set forth. Now we're now we're

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Cooper City Hall: we're suggesting or saying that. Okay? Well, we're not happy with the selections, and so put it back out there, and I don't. I. I respectfully disagree with that, because

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Cooper City Hall: the staff has already done the work to to to do and bring back.

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Cooper City Hall: has executed what the Commission has asked for we're not happy with that results. So now kick it back. That's not accurate. We never set the criteria

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Cooper City Hall: I. This is not the first time I heard the criteria. With all due respect. Commissioner shrouded, he's to sit the the that individual works for the city manager. It's in it's in his

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Cooper City Hall: Mr. Horowitz. Can we go ahead and decide that the personal work for us? No, you can't do that because it's pursuant to the pursuant to the Charter? You can't do that because I used to be a function. Okay to the charter you mentioned. It is the auditor mentioned in the Charter.

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Cooper City Hall: No, the honor is not. Does the auditor report to us? Yes, but the but the elected a fifth hold on, but the but

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Cooper City Hall: that position was placed on a ballot several years ago, and that stated that that individual worked directly for the commission that that that same item was placed back on the most recent ballot, and it doesn't matter why well hold on, let me do. The commission shrouded.

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06:59:16.730 --> 06:59:31.480

Cooper City Hall: It was placed on the ballot. It was given to the voters to decide that that position now comes under the responsibility of the city manager, does it not, Mr. Horowitz?

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Cooper City Hall: It was removed from the it was removed, stating where they would report directly to. I i'm not asking you to argue law. I'm asking Mr. Horowitz to clarify the actions that were taken by the electorate in the most recent election, or where this item was on the ballot.

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Cooper City Hall: believe it was in 2,020, where the voters of Cooper City removed that position as we're being a direct report to the City Commission. Thank you.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. So is there anything the charter that prohibits us from having it? The position report to us? Okay. So, instead of like mixing words, let's talk about the reality is no, the reality is, it was not practical for 5 people to do an evaluation on someone, and for 5 people to approve over time and for 5 people to get feedback on someone. So what we what the Commission did was they delegated the authority to the manager, and then they said, this thing that needs not be need not be in the charter.

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Cooper City Hall: and they put it to the residents to have it removed from the charter. We have the authority. If you actually look at the job description, it says they work for us. They report to us. We have the ability to give the Secretary direction.

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Cooper City Hall: Greg can say, Make my appointment. That is different than any other employee. You can't go tell public works employ. Fix this pothole. Let's not act like it's the same. It's totally different. This is our executive assistant.

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Cooper City Hall: So the same thing that we should be able to say the same thing to any of the employees right because they don't work. This one works for us. But but as a matter of No, No, no; but but but as but in your vein.

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Cooper City Hall: the Commission can say that about any employee well just based on because they are, because the charter says one thing you know what we can circum. We can bypass that, and we can say this Commission can direct any individual to do whatever we want.

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Cooper City Hall: because that's what i'm hearing. Oh, the intent of it is totally different, and an employee doesn't work for us. It's our secretary, Jeff. Of course we're going to have to tell our secretary what we need done.

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Cooper City Hall: I I I just no matter what you just object to things you say. No, no, no, I I think things. I think things out logically. Commission. Okay, so, logically, we should direct the manager to direct the Secretary to make an appointment for us that makes so much logical sense.

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Cooper City Hall: So so, if I may, why, why don't we look at this at moving forward the executive assistant? I I think if you have names that you see, you know. If you want to review the resumes and ask the manager to interview a couple of more people, whatever i'm comfortable. I'd like to see the resume I request. Is that what we want? Delay this, and we discuss the hiring of our secretary with the new end

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Cooper City Hall: doesn't make sense that the outgoing manager is going to interview and pick our secretary. He's not selecting per se, we all.

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Cooper City Hall: and that's the point. We went from 100 to 3,

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Cooper City Hall: and that's fine with with No, it's got work.

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Cooper City Hall: No, it doesn't 100 to 3 come on, that's what he I I don't know. Maybe I must have missed it, but the process was explained to us. We all agreed to it, and that, you know. Wait a minute in the middle. I want to change. No, that's not what happened.

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Cooper City Hall: I assumed we somehow we would get a a a decent goal. May I? I don't know I don't remember if we said 3 to 5, we probably did. But then, all of a sudden, when I know of somebody who actually qualifies, and then you meet the qualifications

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Cooper City Hall: I'm like, how's that? How could that? Well, that's my so now stop for a second Mr. City manager.

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Cooper City Hall: I know of.

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Cooper City Hall: Okay. So

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Cooper City Hall: so i'm sure you don't remember this off the top of your head because you went through a 100 applications. But

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Cooper City Hall: is there anything you might be able to remember. because if this person is a judicial assistant. it would be logical that they are used to

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Cooper City Hall: members that are elected. They are used to dealing with the public, and they are used to procedures, etc.

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Cooper City Hall: So if that is the case, and again, i'm. Making assumptions, no jokes, please. That is the case logically that person would

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Cooper City Hall: the in in the hierarchy of

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Cooper City Hall: that the the that one of the top candidates, and there's several apparently judicial. So my question would be

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Cooper City Hall: what differentiated

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Cooper City Hall: the 3 that you gave us compared to. There's 4, but you do. You only saw 3, so the the 4 I mean. This is a very difficult position to be in, so what I would recommend I I would recommend

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Cooper City Hall: that you all determine the criteria. I did not consider judicial assistance as a qualifying matter, qualifying that the qualifying matter that I I consider they work for elected officials in the in. In some are appointed.

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Cooper City Hall: They're not a like some are appointed to judges

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Cooper City Hall: where you have. Oh, it's a Philip to to fill, to fill a term. But then you gotta get re-elected. You know that

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Cooper City Hall: they they had worked in a similar. They worked in a similar. When I say elected, our commissioners are pointed up. Yeah, no, someone dies. The same thing. Let them finish.

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Cooper City Hall: They, when I said elected officially, I didn't consider judge. I did not. I considered commissioners

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Cooper City Hall: working out for a city commissioner, and one what is what worked for an elected Congress woman?

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Cooper City Hall: Okay as a

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Cooper City Hall: district office, as something simple, yes, and did constituent service as well. So I did not consider

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Cooper City Hall: judicial

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Cooper City Hall: assistance as as as a qualifying criteria. So that's why there there's no judicial assistance on there can certainly go back and look at that. If if that's what you what you all I just didn't.

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Cooper City Hall: I just didn't consider, you know judicial assistance, like I said it for working for municipal or or government officials, commissioners, or mayors, and that there there's one who worked for a Congresswoman as the District Office management for several years and dealt with could constitute concerns. So

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Cooper City Hall: in our in this area. So that that's that was the it's essentially the reason for those for. But.

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Cooper City Hall: like I said. this is, I anticipated this

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Cooper City Hall: type of discussion, and I would rather I would rather. because now it looks like somehow, I am eliminating people based on No, and so I would. Just well. No, that's that's what I just would rather that you all define the criteria.

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Cooper City Hall: and then we can. We can move on for that, or like Commissioner stress it. Just wait for the new manager, and the other reason why, on that is a Matt. No, no. Imagine this. Imagine the new manager

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Cooper City Hall: as a person that they want to bring in as their secretary. Well, that's gonna create an another.

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Cooper City Hall: We should probably wait to fill position.

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Cooper City Hall: but that would require, then, no offence, but that would require the person that's in that position

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Cooper City Hall: wanting to work for us. She'd be not, or or or or or they could say no job. 100 people, the new manager, will have the ability to have to to decide who their secretary is going to be absolutely without it out right? So why are we going to fill vacancies before we know that there's a potential for that? So that but in theory, how hard would it be if we're going to do that for us to pick our top

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Cooper City Hall: 10, why don't we just wait for the new. If they have someone they want to bring. Yeah, you can create a Here's a zoom for a minute. I assume for a minute. This is why I said it in the beginning.

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Cooper City Hall: If you're going to select a city manager, do it from within the State of Florida.

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Cooper City Hall: Now we have out of status you're indicating. But wait. They'll bring someone to now you're saying they know someone here in Florida. No. Now we got to slept another one from United States. They don't so again. I'm. I'm not into waiting, because April fifteenth is coming and going in the next couple of weeks.

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Cooper City Hall: Be honest, you You've used all your all you're using of the secretary till next year. So you, you know

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Cooper City Hall: you someone at my office, the book, your trips, you tell them not have a secretary here, and I don't want to go to a a temp firm. It's not a champ. The the other ones could fill in. Lisa could fill in the marsha goes on a cruise. That's that's and we know who we're talking about as way too much

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Cooper City Hall: of of Lisa to come in and fill that position because she's going to be working with the new city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: So so, if between now and then I understand what you're saying, and I understand what you are saying, and I understand what you are saying.

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Cooper City Hall: So with that being said, if we were to look at the resumes that were presented to us.

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Cooper City Hall: and give our top 10, and then out of the top 10 the ones that get the the top 5 that get the most votes are the ones that we interview you. You have 2 weeks.

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Cooper City Hall: and that can easily, I guarantee these resumes. Here are nothing.

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Cooper City Hall: all of these combined or nothing compared to what we looked at the city managers. I guarantee they are 2 pages, maybe 3 pages each, so we could in theory look at these 300 pages in the blink of an eye.

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Cooper City Hall: We. I mean, or we could have a special meeting. Let's go with 10.

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Cooper City Hall: We're. We're 5 up here, if you want 2 additional.

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Cooper City Hall: That's 10 people, plus the 3 of 4 that he has. So

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Cooper City Hall: pick you your best to what I mean. We'll we'll look at everyone, but I figured if oh, you're saying, and then not pick, not pick. Who voted for the most. No, you're saying that everybody gets their correct. Oh, well, that's fine as well. I was figuring I figured that large number figuring we're not going to pick the same ones, and we'll pick. Whoever

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Cooper City Hall: has the most check marks hash mark 62 keeps it the 3 or 4 that he's made. Then we go through them. Yeah, and keep the interviews. I think I mean, I I think it would be yeah. Well, in addition to this interview, right? So of all you want, all

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Cooper City Hall: 100 or 170. Yeah, just attach it like I love it. Okay, so it'll be the entire application. So it's it's. The resumes are 2 to 3 pages, the applications about 10, some of 10 pages or so.

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Cooper City Hall: Yeah, perfect.

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Cooper City Hall: The application should not be as labor intensive as any other questions in the city manager.

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Cooper City Hall: I think. No, you're not allowed me one. I don't have anything this morning.

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Cooper City Hall: Police chiefs report.

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Cooper City Hall: Good morning.

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Cooper City Hall: Good morning, Mayor, Commissioner, City Manager Staff residents are with us.

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Cooper City Hall: I submitted the report ahead of time, so if there is no question specifically on the report. I know we're running a little late. I just have a couple of items that I would like to highlight.

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Cooper City Hall: and that's going to be that with the traffic Enforcement operations that we've been continuing in the month of March to target aggressive driving. Last week we had 3 days that we have implemented those enforcement operations for additional services.

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Cooper City Hall: and we issued a total of 54 citations, 30 of which were targeting, speeding specifically in our major thoroughfares in residential communities. Additionally, I would like to amend, then let the Commission know, and the public know, that on April eighteenth, twentieth, and 20, s. We'll be having a proactive code suite

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Cooper City Hall: to address quality of life issues in City of Cooper City in this April eighteenth, twentieth, and 20 s. And so the next Commission meeting i'll for warrant the residents as well. We will be dealing with blighting issues, commercial vehicles, parking issues, and so forth.

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Cooper City Hall: I did want to wish our community a very happy and safe Ramadan, Passover, and Easter week that's coming up. My team is going to be out in force at each one of our religious facilities with special patrols to ensure the the safe

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Cooper City Hall: celebrations that are taking place. I want to thank the Commission and the public for supporting it. At the tip of cop last week. At 10 Cup we were able to raise another couple of \$1,000. We've raised a total about \$5,000 from Special Olympics.

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Cooper City Hall: So thank you for your support. Each one of you I know Mr. Napoli was there. Fortunately I was not there because I was sick last week, but I know the team was there, and they appreciate each one of your supports, Krishna, and that you were there as well. So thank you for everybody for supporting the

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Cooper City Hall: \$5,000 we were able to raise to total for a special Olympics. and then I wanted to share with the Commission that we were able to successfully be awarded a community. Grant to sponsor. I get scoop

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07:12:31.720 --> 07:12:46.960

Cooper City Hall: initiative so 2,500 this quarter. But that is a quarterly grant that we are applying, for now that we're on the radar, it's very easy for us to continue to get that every 3 months, and that ensure that our get scoop initiative is self sufficient, and being funded through grants.

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07:12:46.960 --> 07:12:53.690

Cooper City Hall: And that concludes my report, I have no sworn vacancies, and one non sworn vacancy.

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07:12:54.310 --> 07:12:59.980

Cooper City Hall: captain. I noticed that the citation and warnings about half of the same time last year

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07:13:00.450 --> 07:13:02.070

Cooper City Hall: is there

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07:13:02.240 --> 07:13:03.600

Cooper City Hall: the anomaly.

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07:13:03.980 --> 07:13:14.400

Cooper City Hall: the not an anomaly, just the as of last year in the year before that, if you remember, I was able to get additional grant funds through the base Grant.

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07:13:14.400 --> 07:13:33.850

Cooper City Hall: which I Don't have those funds right now to implement additional traffic enforcement with regional on on our assets. I am still communicating to try to get those funds, but I just haven't had a commitment yet, but as soon as I do get a commitment i'd make that announcement I'd be able to bring those additional resources in.

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07:13:33.850 --> 07:13:38.790

Cooper City Hall: but that's why the numbers the last 2 years were hired during these months. Because I had the base grant.

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07:13:43.380 --> 07:13:46.410

Cooper City Hall: Thank you, Chief Fire chiefs report.

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07:13:54.610 --> 07:14:02.800

Cooper City Hall: Good evening, Mr. Mayor, City manager, commissioners. staff, and residents. I submitted my report also.

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07:14:04.500 --> 07:14:11.410

Cooper City Hall: If there are any questions, I do have an addition. I want to congratulate our new circ members.

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07:14:13.500 --> 07:14:16.690

Cooper City Hall: I'd like to congratulate our new serp members and

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07:14:16.790 --> 07:14:22.330

Cooper City Hall: the existing certain members that just completed 10 weeks of training.

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07:14:22.620 --> 07:14:24.610

Cooper City Hall: We have

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07:14:25.220 --> 07:14:37.310

Cooper City Hall: this Thursday will be their final review. and this Saturday will be their final drill. and I just wanted to congratulate them for completing 10 weeks of training

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07:14:37.770 --> 07:14:41.500

Cooper City Hall: other than that. Are there any questions about my report?

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07:14:42.780 --> 07:14:45.410

Cooper City Hall: I do mission catching.

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07:14:47.330 --> 07:14:49.320

Cooper City Hall: I'll try to be quick

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07:14:49.480 --> 07:14:54.830

Cooper City Hall: just trying to find the to my personal computer. That's about

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07:14:57.630 --> 07:15:03.260

Cooper City Hall: in your report. It it might be just my version, but it cut off. It's a cooper. Cities responded outside

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07:15:03.540 --> 07:15:08.900

Cooper City Hall: 11 times, and has a receipt outside received outside emergency assistance, and then it just cuts off.

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07:15:14.070 --> 07:15:21.870

Cooper City Hall: Yes, we did. We went outside our jurisdiction 11 times. and we did receive

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07:15:22.450 --> 07:15:28.300

Cooper City Hall: closes unit response 6 times. But for some reason I I don't have it on mine, either.

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07:15:29.410 --> 07:15:32.950

Cooper City Hall: Okay, I think that was it. Thank you.

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07:15:33.550 --> 07:15:36.560

Cooper City Hall: Gee! Since the last time we met.

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07:15:37.380 --> 07:15:39.020

As he went then

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07:15:39.410 --> 07:15:41.850

Cooper City Hall: in service all the time.

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07:15:41.950 --> 07:15:42.600

Cooper City Hall: Thank you.

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07:15:43.230 --> 07:15:47.230

Cooper City Hall: So I had a fire last night. It was the last time I

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07:15:47.950 --> 07:15:50.170

Cooper City Hall: it was there. Thank you.

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07:15:50.280 --> 07:15:52.750

Cooper City Hall: Anything else from cheap.

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07:15:52.920 --> 07:15:56.640

Cooper City Hall: Thank you very much. Mentioned concerns Commissioner Green.

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07:15:57.680 --> 07:16:10.810

Cooper City Hall: Thank you, Mayor Ross. I'm going to echo the point that was already made by Captain Giovanni. I know that this week is the I believe it's the end of RAM RAM Ramadan, and they they're having their break, and I know a number of different activities.

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07:16:10.900 --> 07:16:28.900

Cooper City Hall: Passovers, coming up so just wanted to acknowledge those those upcoming events. And then also I know that he's since gone home. But I wanted to say publicly, a a big thank you to Mr. Kendrick.

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07:16:28.900 --> 07:16:47.660

Cooper City Hall: and his level of professionalism exhibited here while he was here as our finance director, just to constant, consummate professional, Mr. Napoli. Thank you. It was an honor to to work with them while he was here. I'm gonna miss him.

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07:16:47.660 --> 07:16:51.430

Cooper City Hall: because I know that he was.

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07:16:51.580 --> 07:16:56.040

Cooper City Hall: He was a a key member of your staff, and so I just wanted to publicly thank him.

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07:16:56.070 --> 07:17:05.390

Cooper City Hall: and with him with him all the best in his upcoming endeavors. Mayor Ross, I know that you've mentioned when we came back on Break that there is a meeting

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07:17:05.590 --> 07:17:22.960

Cooper City Hall: solid waste. It it's on my civic. Unfortunately, I didn't know that that was have taken place until this evening where you announced it, and regrettably, I am not going to be able to make that a meeting tomorrow, but the rest assured that, moving forward I will. I will make those meetings. My question is.

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07:17:22.960 --> 07:17:32.490

Cooper City Hall: is there someone that I need to contact to advise him that I will not be in attendance tomorrow. Oh, okay. So we buys a you. I won't be right tomorrow.

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07:17:32.540 --> 07:17:35.310

Cooper City Hall: and that's all. I have

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07:17:36.570 --> 07:17:40.140

Cooper City Hall: permission to catch me. Yeah.

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07:17:41.180 --> 07:17:46.900

Cooper City Hall: I wanted to do a manager. I'm: sorry I set away during your report. But did you mention the legislative update?

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07:17:47.370 --> 07:18:00.470

Cooper City Hall: Okay, so I wanted to thank you and our lobbyists wrong Book and Rona Brown. I know the Mayor and I were both in Tallahassee last week, but speaking with legislators, and both of our

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07:18:01.880 --> 07:18:06.710

Cooper City Hall: requested items are in the proposed House and Senate budgets.

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07:18:06.730 --> 07:18:19.140

Cooper City Hall: Well, one is in both. One is in just the Senate, but it will likely go up and across. So at some point we will likely ask our fellow commissioners and our residents to

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07:18:19.330 --> 07:18:23.480

Cooper City Hall: make their voices heard in support of these budget requests, but

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07:18:23.570 --> 07:18:33.400

Cooper City Hall: I just wanted to commend everybody and and let them know the status. The other thing I was going to bring up which I should have brought up earlier, doing the protocol. Item.

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07:18:33.870 --> 07:18:45.060

Cooper City Hall: Some cities have, like push, button lights, or something where you can, where it sort of notifies the chair Who wants to speak in an order might be something we want to consider for, for

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07:18:45.150 --> 07:18:45.900

Cooper City Hall: you know.

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07:18:46.740 --> 07:18:48.750

Cooper City Hall: future meetings.

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07:18:48.900 --> 07:18:55.770

Cooper City Hall: Yeah, so that was it. Thank you very much, and and also happy holidays. Everybody. Thank you very much.

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07:18:58.040 --> 07:19:03.730

Cooper City Hall: Happy holidays to everyone, and good luck to our finance director and his

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07:19:03.750 --> 07:19:05.360

Cooper City Hall: new endeavors, and

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07:19:06.760 --> 07:19:11.820

Cooper City Hall: I look forward to good productive meetings. It's the end of this week.

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07:19:13.280 --> 07:19:15.170

Cooper City Hall: Thank you. Do I have a motion?

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07:19:18.790 --> 07:19:20.890

Cooper City Hall: It's too late for that.