

CITY OF RIVERDALE MAYOR AND COUNCIL  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING ACTION MINUTES  
FEBRUARY 15, 2017 | 6:00 PM

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*Mayor  
& Council*

RIVERDALE



**MAYOR**

Dr. Evelyn Wynn-Dixon

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Cynthia Stamps-Jones, Ward 1

An'cel Davis, Ward 2

Wanda Wallace, Ward 3

Kenneth Ruffin, Ward 4

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MEETING OF THE CITY OF RIVERDALE  
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**CITY OF RIVERDALE  
MAYOR AND COUNCIL  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
ACTION MINUTES, WEDNESDAY  
FEBRUARY 15, 2017 | 6:00 PM**

The Honorable Mayor Evelyn Wynn-Dixon

The Honorable Cynthia Stamps-Jones  
The Honorable Wanda Wallace

The Honorable An’cel Davis  
The Honorable Kenneth Ruffin

City Manager:  
City Clerk:  
City Attorney:

E. Scott Wood  
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1. **CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME:** The Honorable Mayor Evelyn Wynn-Dixon
2. **ROLL CALL- CITY CLERK:** All Members of Council were present which constituted a quorum. Council Member Davis arrived shortly after the meeting started.

Attendee’s Name	Title	Absent	Present
Evelyn Wynn-Dixon	Mayor, At-Large		X
Cynthia Stamps-Jones	Council Member, Ward 1		X
An’cel Davis	Council Member, Ward 2		X
Wanda Wallace	Council Member, Ward 3 Mayor Pro-Tem		X
Kenneth Ruffin	Council Member, Ward 4 Parliamentarian		X

**3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:**

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve the agenda with the following additions and deletions:

**ADDITIONS:**

- Allow Council Member Stamps-Jones to allocate funds from her special events account
- Allow Council Member Davis to allocate funds from his special events account

**DELETIONS:**

- None

Council Member Ruffin provided the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

\*Attorney Wiggins asked Council Members Ruffin, Stamps-Jones and Davis if requested funds are within the special events budget. She also asked if the events are open and free to the public. Council Members Ruffin, Stamps-Jones and Davis stated that all requirements are met according to the policy.

**4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA ITEMS:**

**A.** Allow Council Member Ruffin to allocate funds from his special events account

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve for Council Member Ruffin to allocate funds from his special events account in the amount of \$1800.00 to assist with the Black History Program titled “ A Journey to the Past” that will be held at the Riverdale Town Center. Council Member Ruffin provided the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

**B.** Allow Council Member Stamps-Jones to allocate funds from her special events account

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve for Council Member Stamps-Jones to allocate funds from her special events account in the amount of \$1000.00 to assist with the Black History Program titled “Voices of Our Ancestors” at Utopian Academy. Council Member Stamps-Jones provided the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

**C.** Allow Council Member Davis to allocate funds from his special events account

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve for Council Member Davis to allocate funds from his special events account in the amount of \$600.00 to assist each of the following schools:

- Riverdale High School - Career Agriculture Technology Department - \$600.00
- Charles Drew High School - Culinary Arts - \$600.00
- Sequoyah Middle School - Purchase of Uniforms -\$600.00
- Church Street Elementary - Purchase of Mid-Year Supplies -\$600.00

Council Member Davis provided the second. **The motion carried with Council Members Wallace, Davis and Stamps-Jones voting “Yes” and Council Member Ruffin voting “No”.**

**5. ADJOURNMENT:**

Council Member Wallace made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:45pm with Council Member Ruffin providing the second. **The motion passed.**

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Mayor Evelyn Wynn-Dixon

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City Clerk Sylvia Vaughan