

City of Hyattsville Ethics Commission  
Tuesday, May 21, 2024 5:00 p.m.

### **VIRTUAL MEETING MINUTES**

In attendance: Mark Graham, Michael Horlick (chair), T. Carter Ross (recordkeeper), Katie Siemon, David Sip. Staff: Nate Groenendyk, Laura Reams. Guests: Maximiliano Vasquez.

1. A quorum was noted and the meeting called to order at 4:58 p.m. by Chair Michael Horlick.
2. **Prior Meeting Minutes**  
Minutes for the meeting of April 23, 2024, were approved on a voice vote.
3. **Financial Disclosure Review**  
The commission reviewed the required annual financial disclosures received by the meeting date. The reports of Councilmembers Denes and Redmond were accepted without concern.
  - For Mayor Croslin’s report, it was noted that the checklist reported “yes” to Schedules D, J and K, but the forms were not provided. It was also noted that there was no need to report his position as mayor on Schedule H.
  - For Councilmember Strab’s report, it was noted that the checklist reported “yes” to Schedules G and K, but the forms were not provided. It was also noted that on Schedule A for her Hyattsville property, question 5 likely should be answered as “tenants of the entirety” and not “jointly.”
  - For Councilmember McClellan’s report, it was noted that two employers were listed on Schedule H. The commission would like clarification to understand what was reported..
  - For Councilmember Lee’s report, it was noted that her submission of Schedule L related to her elected position was unnecessary. The report was accepted.

Reports were noted as outstanding for Councilmembers Haba, Sandino, Schaible, Solomon, and Waszczak. The City Clerk’s office will sent notes on behalf of the Commission following up regarding the commission’s questions and the outstanding reports.

4. **Outstanding Annual Reports**  
The report for former Ward 2 candidate Melendez Rivera was noted to still be outstanding. It was suggested that the commission request an in-person meeting to clear the report.
5. **New Business**  
No new business was brought forward.
6. **Adjournment**  
Absent an unanticipated need, the next Ethics Commission meeting will be held virtually at 5 p.m. on June 11, 2024.

There being no further business, Chair Horlick adjourned the meeting at 5:27 p.m. on a voice vote.