



**CITY OF NEWPORT  
CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP MINUTES  
NEWPORT CITY HALL  
April 15, 2021**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Elliott called the City Council Workshop to order at 6:50 p.m. on April 15, 2021.

**2. ROLL CALL**

Present (5): Mayor Laurie Elliott, Council Member Kevin Chapdelaine, Council Member Tom Ingemann, Council Member Marvin Taylor, and Council Member Rozlyn Johnson.

Not Present (0): None.

**3. CITY LOGO**

Mayor Elliott stated there were two packets (B & C) given to the Council for the logo discussion. The B-packet has the dark surround and the blue bar, and the C-packet has the white surround. Council discussed both packets and concluded the maple leaves need to be all one color for both color packets. Council feels the back end of the boat needs to be shortened. Most of the Council would like the tag line removed and just have “City of Newport”. Council prefers option C for the outside of the new City Hall. The Council prefers the traditional horizontal business cards with the blue bar, but no bar on the letterhead and envelopes. Mayor Elliott and Council Member Chapdelaine will take these suggestions back to the designer.

**4. CODE ENFORCEMENT**

Mayor Elliott stated that Dave Laberge, Attorney with Flaherty-Hood, is here to discuss our code enforcement. Attorney Laberge presented a draft of the ordinance that covers how the City will enforce our code. There will be an option for the City to issue administrative citations for code violations. Council will still need to discuss what the administrative fees will be for citations. Updates were also made to the nuisance section and the abatement process.

**5. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

City Administrator Deb Hill stated the Planning Commission is working on utility requirements for the RE district and the Audit is coming up.

Mayor Elliott stated we will need to discuss the fees for code enforcement and continue the logo discussion.

## 6. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Elliott adjourned the City Council Workshop at 8:27 p.m. on April 15, 2021.

Respectfully Submitted:  
Jill Thiesfeld  
Administrative Assistant II

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Laurie Elliott, Mayor