

CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP MINUTES
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – CITY HALL
1000 CITY CENTER CIRCLE
PORT ORANGE, FLORIDA
JANUARY 9, 2020

THE CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP of the City of Port Orange was called to order by Mayor Donald O. Burnette at 5:15 p.m.

Silent Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call	Present:	Council Member Marilyn Ford Council Member Chase Tramont Council Member Scott Stiltner Vice Mayor Drew Bastian Mayor Donald Burnette
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	Also Present:	City Manager Jake Johansson City Attorney Matthew Jones City Clerk Robin Fenwick
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DISCUSSION ITEMS

4. Discussion on Feral Cat TNR Program

Jake Johansson, City Manager, provided background information regarding the Feral Cat TNR Program. Alan Rosen, Assistant City Manager, presented options to be considered by Council.

Representatives from the University of Florida, Halifax Humane Society, CCFAW, and the City of Daytona Beach spoke regarding research on spay/neutering services and preventing/reducing colonies and answered questions from Council and the City Manager.

Council consensus was to continue with the TNR program to reduce the feral cats in Port Orange with in-house training of care takers, update ordinances with enforcement, and increase fees for pet tags & fines for abandonment and unauthorized feeding.

Citizens spoke for and against the TNR program.

Council discussed their concerns and requests for the program. Mr. Johansson is authorized to allocate funds to reinstate the program immediately and work out the details of the new program to include reducing the number of feral cats, controlling where the colonies are located, as well as how many, and update the City's ordinances to include enforcement.

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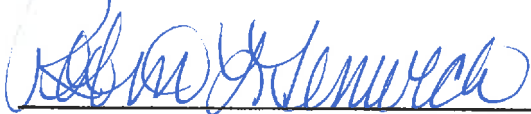
The items will be brought back to Council for consideration once they are prepared by Staff.

ADJOURNMENT - 9:00 p.m.



Mayor Donald O. Burnette

Attest:



Robin Fenwick, MMC
City Clerk

