

**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
LONDON, KENTUCKY
Held
September 5, 2025**

A Special Meeting of the City Council of the City of London, Kentucky, was held on Sep 05, 2025, at 9:00 AM at the Laurel County Judicial Center, London, KY. Hearing Officer Joseph Lambert presided, and the following duly qualified and acting members of the City Council were:

Present:	Remote:	Absent:
Councilperson Anthony Ortega		
Councilperson Justin Young		
Councilperson Jim Baker		
Councilperson Donna House		
Councilperson Kelly Greene		
Councilperson Judd Weaver		

City Attorney Larry G. Bryson was present.
Council Attorney Conrad Cessna was present.

The meeting was called to order by Hearing Officer Joseph Lambert at 9:00 AM

Opening Remarks

Call to order/Roll Call

No Motion Was Made
No vote took Place.

Adoption of hearing procedures for charges.

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No vote took Place.

Public hearing on charges under KRS 83A.040

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No vote took Place.

All council members were sworn. Witnesses Ashley Taylor, Randall Weddle, Stephanie Newsome, Bethany Smith, Carol Adams, Bobby Day, and Phil Smith were sworn and testified. Exhibits were admitted.

Voting on charges at 5:25 PM. 2, 3, 4,
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All council members voted and found charges 7, 8, and 10 to be misconduct and/or willful neglect against Mayor Randall Weddle. All council members voted to remove Mayor Weddle from office on charges 7, 8, and 10.

Take action if necessary to fill vacancy

A motion was made by Councilperson Judd Weaver and seconded by Councilperson Jim Baker to approve Tracie Handley as Mayor

Then upon said Motion came the following vote:


Councilperson Anthony Ortega	Yes
Councilperson Justin Young	Yes
Councilperson Jim Baker	Yes
Councilperson Donna House	Yes
Councilperson Kelly Greene	Yes
Councilperson Judd Weaver	Yes
Hearing Officer Joseph Lambert	Did Not Vote

Adjourn

A motion was made by Councilperson Jim Baker and seconded by Councilperson Judd Weaver to adjourn

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Hearing Officer Joseph Lambert	Did Not Vote



Hearing Officer Joseph Lambert declared the meeting adjourned.

ASHLEY TAYLOR, ACTING CITY CLERK

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