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**CITY OF MT. VERNON, ILLINOIS  
CITY COUNCIL EXECUTIVE SESSION  
Monday, January 19, 2016**

The Mt. Vernon City Council met in Executive Session on Monday, January 25, 2016 at 7:35 p.m. at the Rolland W. Lewis Community Building, Veterans Park, 800 South 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864.

Mayor Mary Jane Chesley called the Executive Session to discuss litigation pursuant to Section 2(c)11 and personnel pursuant to Section 2(c)(1) of the Open Meetings Act.

Roll call showed present: Council Members Jeff May, Dennis McEnaney, Donte Moore, Todd Piper and Mayor Mary Jane Chesley. Also present were Interim City Manager Mary Ellen Bechtel, City Attorney David Leggans and City Clerk Jerilee Hopkins.

Bechtel briefed the Council regarding the ongoing court proceedings involving Park Plaza Shopping Center.

Bechtel left the meeting.

Discussion was held regarding the interview process to be followed in appointing a City Manager.

Council Member McEnaney made a motion to adjourn the Executive Session. Seconded by Council Member Piper. Yeas: May, McEnaney, Moore, Piper and Chesley.

The Executive Session was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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