



Closed Session Minutes

City Hall, 57 N. Liberty Street, Cumberland, MD 21502

2nd Floor Conference Room

Tuesday, November 5, 2025; 4:30 p.m.

On November 5, 2025, the Mayor and City Council met in public session beginning at 4:30 p.m. in the 2nd floor Conference Room of City Hall for the purpose of immediately closing the meeting to discuss pending litigation with CSX and to receive legal advice from the City Solicitor relative to the same. Authority to close the session is provided by Sections 3-305(b)(7) and 3-305(b)(8) of the General Provisions Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

MOTION: Motion to enter into Closed Session was made by Council Member Frazier seconded by Council Member Furstenberg, and was passed on a vote of 5-0.

PRESENT: Raymond M. Morriss, President; Council Members Richard Cioni, and Eugene Frazier

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey F. Silka, City Administrator; Allison K. Layton; City Clerk; Robert (Bobby) Smith, City Engineer; and Eric Pilsk, Attorney.