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There is absolutely no reason for this item to have returned to the Council agenda tonight, but for A. Lee's creation of phony "confusion". If she had concerns about accuracy of the minutes, they should have been raised at the time the minutes were considered, not over 5 hours later. Doesn't the City adhere to Robert's Rules of Order? In over 40 years of working in local government, I have never seen such disregard for basic operational procedure (but then again, the mayoral circus should have been a warning).

Simple abuse of power, especially since Lee voted for and signed off on the March 6, 2023 minutes. "Oh my God, I'm so tired" but she keeps talking...

Big difference between what is included in EIR (timely matter, already decided) and what is surveyed (which will be decided upon later).

Interestingly enough, the March 6 meeting recording is not available on the City's website.

PS The audio in the conference room when members of the public are speaking needs work.