

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND
PRESIDING OFFICER'S WRITTEN STATEMENT FOR CLOSING A MEETING ("CLOSING STATEMENT")
UNDER THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT (General Provisions Article § 3-305)**

1. Recorded vote to close the meeting: Date: April 19, 2021 Time: 6:00 PM

Location: Zoom webinar

Name	Motion by	Second	In Favor	Opposed	Abstain	Absent
Stewart			x			
Kovar	x		x			
Dyballa			x			
Kostiuk		x	x			
Seamens			x			
Smith			x			
Searcy						x

2. Statutory authority to close session (check all provisions that apply):

This meeting will be closed under General Provisions Art. § 3-305(b) only:

(7) xx "To consult with counsel to obtain legal advice";

3. For each provision checked above, disclosure of the topic to be discussed and the public body's reason for discussing that topic in closed session.

Citation (insert # from above)	Topic	Reason for closed-session discussion of topic
§3-305(b) (7)	Takoma Junction Redevelopment Project	Council discussion with City Attorney to address issues related to the Takoma Junction Redevelopment.

4. This statement is made by:  _____, Presiding Officer.