



MAY 10, 2024

Dear Residents of District 2,

I would like to begin by providing a recap of the recent Mobile City Council Meeting of the Whole, which took place on May 7th. During this meeting, we discussed details regarding the forthcoming investigation of allegations made by Paul Prine, former Mobile Police Chief.

The Council based these categories off statements made by Prine in interviews over the last month. With each one, the investigation will look to see if anything *illegal, unethical or severely out of policy* was done. One issue council members debated was how much the former chief should be involved in the investigation. The Council agreed that the third-party investigator would be able to talk to anyone, including Prine, about the allegations, but anything that would be included in the final report would be limited to the scope of the investigation.

You can watch a replay of the full discussion [here](#).

It is important for our community to stay informed about these proceedings, as transparency and accountability are vital to upholding the trust and integrity of our local government. I will continue to keep you updated on any developments related to this matter. As always, feel free to contact me directly at council2@cityofmobile.org or call the City Council office at 251-208-7441.

Applications are now available for the upcoming session of Mobile's **Contractor's College**, a collaborative initiative with Bishop State Community College aimed at fostering the growth of local entrepreneurs. In partnership with the City of Mobile's Office of Supplier Diversity, Contractor's College equips both current and aspiring contractors with essential skills necessary to navigate the bidding process, manage public contracts, and expand their businesses to undertake larger projects.

Contractors seeking to expand their businesses are encouraged to explore this initiative in partnership with Bishop State. Applications will remain open until May 17, with weekly classes slated to commence in June 2024. For further details about the program and application process, please [click here](#).

If you missed our **STEM Fest** last month, don't fret! STEM Saturdays are back at our MPRD Community Centers!

We are setting sail next Saturday, May 18 at **Dotch Community Center in District 2**. This is a FREE interactive and hands-on program for youth in grades K-12. Perfect for encouraging and engaging young minds!

Click [here](#) and get ready to find "What Floats Your Boat" with STEM Mobile!

REMINDER: Make plans to enjoy the **Prince of Peace Community Lawn Fest!**

This weekend-long event will take place Saturday, June 1st from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m. and Sunday, June 2nd immediately following Mass. Come out for some family fun with live music, games, all you can eat crawfish and more! I encourage you to get your tickets early so, [click here](#) to connect with Prince of Peace Church for more details.

It's a pleasure to be your public servant,

Councilman William Carroll
Mobile City Council
District 2