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**CITY OF MT. VERNON, ILLINOIS  
CITY COUNCIL EXECUTIVE SESSION  
Tuesday, January 22, 2019**

The Mt. Vernon City Council met in Executive Session on Tuesday, January 22, 2019 at 8:47 p.m. at the Rolland W. Lewis Community Center, Veterans Park, 800 South 27<sup>th</sup> Street, Mt. Vernon, IL.

City Manager Mary Ellen Bechtel requested an Executive Session for the semi-annual review of Executive Session Minutes 5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (21).

Mayor John Lewis opened the Executive Session.

Roll call showed present: Council Member Jeff May, Council Member Donte Moore, Council Member Jim Rippy, Council Member Mike Young, and Mayor John Lewis. Also present were City Manager Mary Ellen Bechtel, Corporation Counsel Bill Howard, and City Clerk Mary Jo Pemberton.

The Executive Session Minutes of April 16, 2018, August 6, 2018, August 20, 2018, September 17, 2018, October 1, 2018, and November 5, 2018 were presented for approval. April 16, 2018 and August 20, 2018 Minutes were approved to be opened for public inspection. The Executive Session Minutes of August 6, 2018, September 17, 2018, October 1, 2018, and November 5, 2018 will remain closed because of the need for confidentiality still exists.

**Council Member Donte Moore made a motion to adjourn the Executive Session. Seconded by Council Member Jim Rippy. Yeas: May, Moore, Rippy, Young, and Lewis.**

The Executive Session adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mary Jo Pemberton". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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