



TOWN OF LA PLATA
Ethics Commission Minutes

June 10, 2026, 6:00 PM
Regular Meeting
La Plata Town Hall
305 Queen Anne St.
La Plata MD

PRESENT: Chelsea Williams
Jerry Ramsey
Chair Tarinna Terrell

ABSENT:

TOWN STAFF: Kelly Phipps, Director of Legislative Services

GUESTS:

1. Call to Order

Chair Terrell called the meeting to order at 6:02 PM.

Director Phipps conducted roll call and informed the Commission that the candidate previously appointed by the Town Council as Alternate Member had declined appointment.

Director Phipps recorded meeting minutes as staff liaison.

2. Approval of Minutes

2.1. Approval of minutes from meeting on September 15, 2025.

Olley moved to adopt minutes as presented.

Moved By: Tarinna Terrell, seconded by Jerry Ramsey.

Passed Unanimously

3. Disclosure of Closed Session

3.1. Disclosure of Closed Session on September 15, 2025.

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Chair Terrell disclosed the conduct of a closed session on September 15, 2025.

4. Matters of Discussion

4.1. Review of Annual Financial Disclosure Statements (Elected and Appointed Officials)

In accordance with Town Code and the Maryland Ethics Code, the Commission reviewed annual Financial Disclosure Statements for all elected officials and Conflict of Interest Statements for appointed officials and select employees. Director Phipps will follow up with individuals whose statements yielded deficiencies. The Commission will reconvene on June 24, 2026, at 5:00 PM, via

Microsoft Teams to conduct supplemental review of materials received.

5. Adjourn

5.1. Adjournment

Williams moved to adjourn at 6:41 PM.

Moved By: Chelsea Williams, seconded by Tarinna Terrell.

Passed Unanimously

Submitted by:

Shelby Pritchett, Town Clerk