



May 19, 2025

NOTICE OF MAYOR'S BRIEFING

**TUESDAY, MAY 20, 2025
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS – 2:30 P.M.**

- A. ALEX CONNECTS BROWN WATER REPORTING**
 - 1) Water discoloration and quality**
 - 2) Neighborhood hydrants; directional, intensive flushing**
 - 3) Hydrant Flushing Public Announcements**

- B. PUBLIC SAFETY UPDATES**
 - 1) Community Service Officers**
 - 2) Additional Organizational Changes**
 - 3) SafeAlex - Housing Initiatives**

- C. REDEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES AND HEARING OFFICERS**

- D. DISCUSSION OF THE GREATER ALEXANDRIA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, *continued***
 - 1) Continued Discussions of the Nature and Purpose of GAEDA as a City of Alexandria-affiliated organization and necessary partner — Purpose of GAEDA is *Alexandria* development to *aid region***
 - 2) Economic development is a *professional* skill requiring subject matter knowledge, techniques, and constant training and practice — most notably, working together to create positive image**
 - 3) Projects under contract regarding the R.I.V.E.R. Act; Relating development to public safety and how GAEDA can help**

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