



**LAKWOOD CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

Monday, February 22, 2021

City of Lakewood

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CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Anderson called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers Present: 6 – Mayor Don Anderson, Deputy Mayor Jason Whalen; Councilmembers Mary Moss, Mike Brandstetter, Linda Farmer and Paul Bocchi.

NEW BUSINESS

Appointing a Councilmember to represent City Council Position 5.

Mayor Anderson provided an overview of the process of employing selection rounds to narrow the applicant pool to one successful candidate.

In Round 1 each Councilmember identified their top four candidates by Roll Call Vote resulting as follows:

Name:	Bocchi	Brandstetter	Farmer	Moss	Whalen	Anderson	Total
Belle, Patti	1	1	1	1		1	5
Billingsley, J. Alan	1				1	1	3
Brown, Jeff	1	1			1	1	4
Ginn, Kimi		1	1	1			3
Johnson Covington, Ria					1		1
Othman, Aminah			1	1			2
Witkoe, Ken	1				1	1	3
Zilker, Ryan		1	1	1			3

Candidates Belle, Billingsley, Brown, Ginn, Witkoe and Zilker, top two votes and ties moved on to Round 2.

In Round 2 each Councilmember identified their top three candidates by Roll Call Vote resulting as follows:

	Bocchi	Brandstetter	Farmer	Moss	Whalen	Anderson	Total
Belle, Patti	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Billingsley, J. Alan							0
Brown, Jeff	1				1	1	3
Ginn, Kimi		1	1	1			3
Witkoe, Ken					1	1	2
Zilker, Ryan	1	1	1	1			4

Candidates Belle, Brown, Ginn and Zilker, top two votes and ties, moved on to Round 3.

In Round 3 each Councilmember identified their top two candidates by Roll Call Vote resulting as follows:

	Bocchi	Brandstetter	Farmer	Moss	Whalen	Anderson	Total
Belle, Patti	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Brown, Jeff	1				1	1	3
Ginn, Kimi			1	1			2
Zilker, Ryan		1					1

Candidates Belle and Brown, top two votes, moved on to the Final Round.

In the Final Round each Councilmember identified their top candidate by Roll Call Vote resulting as follows:

	Bocchi	Brandstetter	Farmer	Moss	Whalen	Anderson	Total
Belle, Patti	1	1	1	1		1	5
Brown, Jeff					1		1

Mayor Anderson declared the vote of 5-1 for appointment to City Council Position 5 to be in favor of candidate Patti Belle. He shared that the Swearing-In Ceremony will be held during the City Council meeting of Monday, March 1, 2021.

Mayor Anderson thanked all those who participated in the interview and selection process.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

Don Anderson

DON ANDERSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

B. Schumacher

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CITY CLERK