

**MINUTES
CITY OF FALLON
55 West Williams Ave
Fallon, Nevada
July 3, 2025**

The Honorable City Council met at a special meeting on the above date in the Council Chambers, 55 West Williams Avenue, Fallon, Nevada.

Present:

Mayor Ken Tedford
Councilwoman Kelly Frost
Councilwoman Karla Kent
Councilman Paul Harmon
Chief of Staff Bob Erickson
City Attorney Trent deBraga
Deputy City Attorney Jaren Stanton
City Clerk Treasurer Michael O'Neill
Deputy City Clerk Elsie Lee
Public Works Director Brian Byrd
Deputy Public Works Marco Guerrero
Deputy Public Works Erik Fain
Chief Ron Wenger
Captain John Riley
City Engineer Derek Zimney

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Tedford at 9:00 a.m.

Mayor Tedford led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Tedford inquired if the agenda had been posted in compliance with NRS requirements.

City Clerk Treasurer Michael O'Neill advised that the agenda was posted in compliance with the NRS requirements.

Public Comments

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any public comments. He noted that comments are to be general in nature, not relative to any agenda items. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken.

No comments were noted.

Consideration and possible confirmation of Mr. Michael Anderson at Deputy City Clerk Treasurer.

Mayor Tedford stated Michael Anderson is his appointment to the Council as Deputy City Clerk Treasurer. As you remember, we elevated Michael O'Neill to City Clerk Treasurer, and this is the position he has vacated. I am going to read his biography. He was raised in California and Oregon. After graduating from Brookings Harbor High School in Brookings, Oregon, Michael earned a bachelor's degree in education from The Masters University (TMU) in Santa Clarita, California where he played basketball for four years, a bachelor's degree in accounting from Langston University in Tulsa, Oklahoma, a Master of Business Administration (MBA) from Oklahoma State University in Stillwater, Oklahoma, and completed graduate level taxation classes from Golden Gate University in San Francisco. He is a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) licensed in Nevada and Oklahoma. Michael has over ten years' experience in the public accounting industry, focusing on finance, accounting, taxes, and municipal auditing (Cities of Jacksonville and Phoenix, Oregon audits) and currently owns his own CPA firm. Additionally, he has twelve years mobile communications industry experience primarily with U.S. Cellular, Dobson Communications, and Cricket Communications, where he either led or was involved in over \$300 million of merger and acquisition transactions. Finally, he has twelve years' experience in various consulting roles in the utility industry in project management, developing, evaluating, and modeling utility rate structures, and developing grant applications, negotiating grant contracts, as well as leading grant compliance efforts. Meeting at TMU, Michael married Lori (Johnson) who graduated from Churchill County High School and who was the daughter of Robert "Bob" Johnson and Betty Johnson. Bob owned and operated the Chevron Bulk Plant on East Williams Avenue (now Flyers/Mobile Bulk Plant), from 1970 to 1984. Michael and Lori have three children – two married daughters, a son, and a granddaughter. For the past 20 years, Lori has worked for the Bank of Oklahoma in Oklahoma City, currently as a Client Services Associate supporting trust administration for high-net-worth clients. Both are committed to Jesus Christ, their Lord and Savior. Additionally, both enjoy spending time together in the mountains, attending yoga, cycling, and cross training classes, and with family & friends. With that, I offer Michael as my appointment as Deputy City Clerk Treasurer. You all have an opportunity to sit down with him and question him at length. He is here today, if you have more questions for him, or if the public has any questions, now is the time for that as well.

Councilwoman Frost stated that she has had a chance to sit down with Michael. I am very impressed with his well-rounded resume, and I think he is going to be a great addition to our Clerk's Office. Thank you.

Councilman Harmon stated that he is aware this position has been vacant for over a year now. I think it will be very beneficial for Michael to come in and learn how we do things and what we are doing and will be a great asset to the Clerk's Office and entire City. Welcome aboard, thank you.

Mayor Tedford thanked Paul and agreed with his statement. Any questions or comments from the public?

No further comments were noted.

Councilwoman Kent concurred with Councilwoman Frost and Councilman Harmon and motioned to confirm Mr. Michael Anderson at Deputy City Clerk Treasurer; seconded by Councilman Harmon and approved with a 3-0 vote by the Council.

Mayor Tedford administered the Official Oath of Office.

Consideration and possible action to establish the salary of Michael Anderson as Deputy City Clerk Treasurer at One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$120,000.00).

Mayor Tedford inquired whether there were any comments from the Council or the public.

No comments were noted.

Councilman Harmon motioned to approve establish the salary of Michael Anderson as Deputy City Clerk Treasurer at One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$120,000.00); seconded by Councilwoman Frost and approved with a 3-0 vote by the Council.

Public Comments

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any public comments.

No comments were noted.

Council and Staff Reports

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any Council and Staff reports.

Councilman Harmon wished everyone a Happy 4th of July.

Mayor Tedford wished everyone a Happy 4th of July. We have a parade tomorrow, so everyone be there at 10:00 a.m.

No further reports were noted.

Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Council, Mayor Tedford adjourned the meeting at 9:10 a.m.

Mayor Tedford

Attest: _____
Michael O'Neill, City Clerk-Treasurer