



**TOWN OF LOS GATOS
COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

MEETING DATE: 01/21/2025

ITEM NO: 1

**DRAFT
Minutes of the Town Council Special Meeting
Tuesday, December 10, 2024
7:00 P.M.**

The Town Council of the Town of Los Gatos conducted a special meeting in-person and via teleconference.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:05 P.M.

ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Mary Badame, Vice Mayor Matthew Hudes, Council Member Rob Moore, Council Member Rob Rennie, Council Member Maria Ristow.

Absent: None

Mayor Badame recognized distinguished guests in the audience.

VERBAL COMMUNICATIONS

Karla Albright

- Provided comments in support of the appointment of Rob Moore as the Vice Mayor.

Nick Struthers

- Thanked the Council for their service, commented in support of appointing Vice Mayor Hudes as Mayor, and on concerns with new developments.

Stephanie Brown

- Provided comments in support of the appointment of Rob Moore as the Vice Mayor.

Alex Kobayashi, Senator Josh Becker

- Congratulated Council Members Hudes and Ristow on their appointments and commended Mayor Mary Badame for her service as Mayor.

OTHER BUSINESS

1. Reorganization of the Town Council:
 - a. Acknowledge the Appointments of Council Members Matthew K. Hudes and Maria L. Ristow;
 - b. Recognize Outgoing Mayor Badame; and
 - c. Appoint the Mayor and Vice Mayor.

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SUBJECT: Draft Minutes of the Town Council Meeting of December 10, 2024

DATE: December 11, 2024

Mayor Badame recognized the appointments of Matthew Hudes and Maria Ristow to the office of Council Member for a full term of four years each and acknowledged the official commencement of their terms of office.

Chris Constantin, Town Manager, presented a video commemorating Mayor Badame's year as Mayor and presented the Mayor with a commemorative plaque.

Mayor Badame commented on the key accomplishments of the Town during her year as Mayor.

Council Members thanked Mayor Badame for her leadership.

MOTION: Motion by Mayor Badame to nominate Vice Mayor Hudes as Mayor. Seconded by Council Member Rennie.

VOTE: Motion passed unanimously.

Mayor-Elect Hudes commented on his upcoming Mayoral year and thanked his family and the community.

MOTION: Motion by Mayor-Elect Hudes to nominate Council Member Moore as Vice Mayor. Seconded by Council Member Ristow.

VOTE: Motion passed unanimously.

Vice Mayor-Elect Moore provided brief comments on his upcoming Vice Mayoral year.

Mayor-Elect Hudes introduced former Mayor and Council Member Sandy Decker who then administered the Oath of Office to Mayor-Elect Hudes, Vice Mayor-Elect Moore, and newly appointed Council Member Ristow.

Mayor Hudes accepted the gavel and made closing comments.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:49 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Jenna De Long, Deputy Town Clerk