



MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING

PRESENT:

Norie Gonzalez Garza, Mayor
Jessica Ortega, Councilwoman
Ruben D. Plata, Mayor Pro-Tem
Abiel Flores, Councilman
Alberto Vela, Councilman
Randy Perez, City Manager
Anna Carrillo, City Secretary

ABSENT:

Esther Pena, Deputy City Attorney

ALSO PRESENT:

Irma Perez
Pete Lopez
Cristian Garza
Mike Silva

STAFF PRESENT:

Anais Chapa, Assistant City Secretary
David Flores, Asst. City Manager
Aida Lerma, Asst. City Manager
Juan Pablo Terrazas, Asst. City Manager
Gilbert Sanchez, Fire Chief
Pedro Wheeler, Police Officer
Charlie Longoria, Media Relations
Jesse Mares, Facilities Director
Christopher Navarrete, Deputy Fire Chief
Douglas Williams, Deputy Fire Chief
Frank Chaires, Deputy Fire Chief
Jesse Lerma, Civil Service Director
Cynthia Lopez, Museum Director
Mario Flores, Golf Director
Paula Banda, Administrative Assistant
Joel Saenz, Deputy Fire Chief
Jody Tittle, Assistant Chief of Police
Patty Flores, Paralegal

CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISH QUORUM

With a quorum being present, Mayor Norie Gonzalez Garza called the meeting to order at 2:33 p.m.

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Confirmation of appointment by City Manager under Civil Service Law Section 143.013(a)(1) of Interim Fire Chief

Confirmation was being requested on the appointment by City Manager of Interim Fire Chief Douglas Williams as required by Section 143.013(a)(1) of the Texas Local Government Code,

upon the confirmation Interim Fire Chief Williams will have all statutory authority contained in the civil service statute with regard to employment actions. Section 143.013 (a)(1) required not only appointment by the City Manager, but also confirmation by the City Council.

City Manager recommended approval.

Mayor Pro-Tem Ruben Plata moved to approve Confirmation of appointment by City Manager under Civil Service Law Section 143.013(a)(1) of Interim Fire Chief Douglas Williams. Motion was seconded by Councilman Abiel Flores and approved unanimously 5-0.

ADJOURNMENT

At 2:44 p.m., Councilman Plata moved for adjournment. Motion was seconded by Councilman Flores and approved unanimously 5-0.

Norie Gonzalez Garza, Mayor

ATTEST:

Anna Carrillo, City Secretary