



**ORLAND CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING**  
**Tuesday, March 9, 2026**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Barr at 6:00 PM.

**ROLL CALL**

Councilmembers Present: Councilmembers John McDermott (arrived at 6:03 pm), JC Tolle, Matt Romano, Vice Mayor Alex Enriquez and Mayor Terrie Barr

Councilmembers Absent: None

Staff Present: Assistant City Manager Rebecca Webster, City Clerk Jennifer Schmitke, City Attorney Scott Drexel

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM**

**RECONVENE TO REGULAR SESSION – 6:16 PM**

**REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION – No Reportable Action**

**ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** None

**ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS**

- A. Appointment of Acting City Manager (Discussion/Action) - Rebecca Webster, Assistant City Manager

Assistant City Manager Rebecca Webster recommended Janet Wackerman for the role of acting City Manager while Joe Goodman is out on his 6-week leave from the City Manager position.

Councilmember discussed and agreed that since Ms. Wackerman is still under contract with the City, Ms. Wackerman would be best to continue running the City until Mr. Goodman comes back.

Orland resident Deborah Fogarty asked about whether Mr. Goodman is still getting paid on leave, and City Attorney Scott Drexel shared that the City cannot comment on Mr. Goodman's pay or employment and stated the City is following employment law. Ms. Fogarty also asked if Ms. Wackerman will be compensated to take on the job, and Ms. Webster shared that Ms. Wackerman's contract is public record and anyone can request it.

**ACTION:** Councilmember McDermott moved, seconded by Councilmember Romano, to appoint Ms. Wackerman as acting City Manager while Joe Goodman is on leave. Motion carried by a voice vote 4-0.

B. City Manager Office - Staffing and Operational Continuity

City Attorney shared that this item did not need to be discussed.

**MEETING ADJOURNED 7:35 PM**

Jennifer Schmitke, City Clerk

Terrie Barr, Mayor