



**CITY OF MOUNT DORA, FLORIDA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES**

**SPECIAL SESSION
SEPTEMBER 29, 2021
COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

Having been duly advertised as required by law, Mayor Cathy Hoechst called the Special Session of City Council to order at 8:00 am in the Mount Dora City Hall Council Chambers.

Vice Mayor Massey led a Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Members Present

Cathy Hoechst, Mayor
Harmon Massey, Vice-Mayor
Pam Burtnett, District 1
Cal Rolfson, District 2
Austin Guenther, District 3
Marc Crail, District 4
Doug Bryant, At Large

Also Present

Charles Revell, Interim City Manager
Jessica Burnham, City Clerk

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. City Manager Candidate Interviews and Selection

Mr. Slavin addressed the City Council and stated that the background information on all the candidates came back and all are cleared and verified.

Mayor Hoechst went over how the process would be conducted during the meeting.

City Council members interviewed the four candidates for the City Manager position.

Mr. Jeffery Eder, Mr. Patrick Comiskey, Mr. Anthony Carson, and Mr. Lawrence McNaul.

City Council concluded the interviews and ranked the four candidates.

After ranking the candidates discussion ensued by council on the top candidates and ranked those candidates to confirm top choices for the position of City Manager.

Motion by Councilmember Rolfson to begin negotiations with Mr. Patrick Comiskey for the position of City Manager, utilizing the Mayor and City Attorney to prepare an agreement to be presented to City Council; Councilmember Burtnett seconded the motion. Motion approved by a roll call vote.

*Councilmember Rolfson YES
Councilmember Burtnett YES
Councilmember Guenther YES
Councilmember Crail YES*

*Councilmember Bryant YES
Vice-Mayor Massey YES
Mayor Hoechst YES*

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business for discussion, the meeting adjourned at approximately 11:45 am.



Jessica Burnham, City Clerk



CRISSY STILE, MAYOR
CITY OF MOUNT DORA