MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING
CITY OF WESTON

A special meeting of the City Commission of the City of Weston was held Thursday, June 20, 2019 at 5:00 PM at Weston City Hall, 17200 Royal Palm Boulevard, Weston, Florida.

Present and constituting a quorum were:

Daniel J. Stermer  Mayor
Thomas M. Kallman  Commissioner
Margaret H. Brown  Commissioner
Byron L. Jaffe  Commissioner
Mary Molina-Macfie  Commissioner

Also present were:

John R. Flint  City Manager
Darrel L. Thomas  Assistant City Manager/CFO
Karl C. Thompson, P.E.  Assistant City Manager/COO
Patricia A. Bates, MMC  City Clerk
Jamie Alan Cole  City Attorney, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL
Denise Barrett-Miller  Director of Communications
Thaddeus Bielecki  Director of Landscaping
Bryan E. Cahen  Director of Budget
Reddy Chitepu, P.E.  Director of Public Works
Donald P. Decker  Director of Parks and Recreation
Ryan M. Fernandes  Director of Technology Services
Pamela Solomon  Assistant Director of Communications, MuniTech LLC
Steven Murray  Assistant Director of Technology Services, MuniTech LLC
Chief Kevin Butler  BSO DLE – Weston
Lt. Sam Cavalieri  BSO DLE – Weston
Chief Todd Draizin  BSO DFRES – Weston
Asst. Chief Bradley Masters  BSO DFRES – Weston
Colin Baenziger  Colin Baenziger and Associates
Scott Dunlap  Resident
Ed Radosh  Resident

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS  Roll Call

Mayor Stermer called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM.

City Clerk Patricia Bates called the roll.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by City Manager/CEO John R. Flint.
SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS

Resolution No. 2019-65 of the City Commission of the City of Weston, Florida, selecting Donald P. Decker as the City’s next City Manager, subject to negotiation and acceptance of an employment agreement.

The Resolution was read into the record by title. City Manager John Flint provided an introduction. Mr. Colin Baenziger explained the selection process for the City Manager position. The City Commission indicated they each have one candidate selection. The item was opened for public comment. Scott Dunlap and Ed Radosh commented from the public. The City Commission discussed the time taken and process for the City Manager selection.

Commissioner Molina-Madie announced her selection of Mr. Donald Decker.
Commissioner Jaffe announced his selection of Mr. Donald Decker.
Commissioner Kallman announced his selection of Mr. Donald Decker.
Commissioner Brown announced her selection of Mr. Donald Decker. Mayor Stermer asked Commissioner Brown to reconsider her vote with a desire to have a unified Commission. Commissioner Brown selected Mr. Donald P. Decker.
Mayor Stermer selected Mr. Donald P. Decker.

Discussion ensued with Commissioner Kallman and Commissioner Molina-Madie giving direction to the City Attorney for the drafting of the employment agreement with Mr. Decker. Commissioner Brown’s preference was to leave the negotiation up to the City Attorney and Mr. Decker. The Employment Agreement will be on the next City Commission agenda for review and approval by the City Commission.


Roll call vote on Resolution No. 2019-65.
Commissioner Molina-Madie voted yes.
Commissioner Jaffe voted yes.
Commissioner Kallman voted yes.
Commissioner Brown voted yes.
Mayor Stermer voted yes.
THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS
The meeting adjourned at 5:38 PM.

Adjournment

Daniel J. Stermer, Mayor
CITY COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

1. Roll Call

2. A Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Weston, Florida, selecting ___________ as the City’s next City Manager, subject to negotiation and acceptance of an employment agreement.

3. Adjournment

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT COMMISSION MEETINGS

Anyone wishing to address the Commission with regards to a matter appearing on the Agenda or during audience comments must sign in with the City Manager or his designee. Each individual must state his or her name and the name of the entity represented (if applicable) and the item on the agenda to be addressed prior to conclusion of the discussion of the matter. Each person addressing the Commission shall approach the lectern, shall give their name and address in an audible tone of voice for the record, and unless further time is granted by the Presiding Officer, shall limit their address to three (3) minutes. All remarks shall be addressed to the Commission as a body and not to any member thereof. A person speaking on an item on the agenda shall limit their comments to matters relevant to the item. A person speaking during audience comments shall not address any item on the agenda and is strongly encouraged to refrain from making political statements. No person addressing the Commission shall make personal attacks on any member of the Commission or any other individuals or entities. No person, other than the Commission and the person having the floor, shall be permitted to enter into any discussion, either directly or through a member of the Commission, without the permission of the Presiding Officer. No question shall be asked of a Commissioner except through the Presiding Officer.

Any person who addresses the Commission on behalf of an individual, corporation or special interest group for compensation must disclose that representation when stating his or her name, as described above.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes 286.0105, if a person decides to appeal any decision made by the body with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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