

City of Gainesville

*City Hall
200 East University Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601*



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, May 7, 2009

12:00 PM

City Commission Swearing In Ceremony

Thomas Center A, Spanish Court

City Commission

*Mayor Pegeen Hanrahan (At Large)
Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Scherwin Henry (District 1)
Commissioner Lauren Poe (District 2)
Commissioner Jack Donovan (District 3)
Commissioner Craig Lowe (District 4)
Commissioner Thomas Hawkins (At Large)
Commissioner Jeanna Mastrodicasa (At Large)*

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CALL TO ORDER - 12:12 PM**ROLL CALL**

Present: Pegeen Hanrahan, Craig Lowe, Jack Donovan, Jeanna Mastrodicasa, Scherwin Henry, Lauren Poe and Thomas Hawkins

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Commissioner Lowe moved and Commissioner Donovan seconded to adopt the agenda.

(VOTE: 6-0, Commissioner Poe - Absent, MOTION CARRIED)

NOTE: Commissioner Poe entered the meeting room at approximately 12:20 PM.

SWEARING IN CEREMONY**INVOCATION**

Pastor Adrian Taylor, Springhill Missionary Baptist Church gave the invocation.

Oath of Office - Scherwin Henry

The Honorable Denise R. Ferrero, Alachua County Court Judge administered the Oath of Office to Commissioner Scherwin Henry.

Oath of Office - Jeanna Mastrodicasa

The Honorable Denise R. Ferrero, Alachua County Court Judge administered the Oath of Office to Commissioner Jeanna Mastrodicasa.

Comments from Commissioner Scherwin Henry

Commissioner Scherwin Henry gave inaugural comments.

Comments from Commissioner Jeanna Mastrodicasa

Commissioner Jeanna Mastrodicasa gave inaugural comments.

ELECTION OF MAYOR-COMMISSIONER PRO TEM**090000. Election of Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem (NB)**

MOTION: Commissioner Lowe moved and Commissioner Donovan seconded to elect

Commissioner Scherwin Henry as Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem for the 2009-2010 term.

(VOTE: 7-0, MOTION CARRIED)

RECOMMENDATION *The City Commission appoint a City Commissioner as Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem for 2009-2010 term.*

A motion was made by Commissioner Lowe, seconded by Commissioner Donovan, that this matter be Approved as shown above (See Motion). The motion carried by the following vote:

Votes: Aye: Jeanna Mastrodicasa, Thomas Hawkins, Craig Lowe, Jack Donovan, Lauren Poe, Scherwin Henry and Pegeen Hanrahan

ADJOURNMENT - 12:47 PM

Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission