

# City of Gainesville

City Hall  
200 East University Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida 32601



## Minutes - Final

Tuesday, August 27, 2013

6:00 PM

City Commission Special Meeting

City Hall Auditorium

## City Commission

*Mayor Ed Braddy (At Large)*  
*Commissioner Lauren Poe (At Large)*  
*Commissioner Thomas Hawkins (At Large)*  
*Commissioner Yvonne Hinson-Rawls (District 1)*  
*Commissioner Todd Chase (District 2)*  
*Commissioner Susan Bottcher (District 3)*  
*Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Randy Wells (District 4)*

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**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

*The meeting was called to order at 6:04PM.  
Comm Chase arrived at 6:05PM*

**A motion was made by Commissioner Hawkins, seconded by Commissioner Bottcher, that this Matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 5 - Mayor Braddy, Commissioner Bottcher, Commissioner Poe, Commissioner Hawkins, and Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Wells

**Absent:** 2 - Commissioner Chase, and Commissioner Hinson-Rawls

**ROLL CALL**

**AGENDA STATEMENT**

130250. Charter Review Item Regarding Local Government Structures (B)

*Dr. Mike Scicchitano and Kurt Bresser made presentations.  
Pat Fitzpatrick, Gabe Kaimowitz, Debbie Martinez, Nathan Skop, Barbara Sharpe, Jim Konish, Mac McEachern, Jo Beaty, Donald Sheppard, Paula Stahmer and Ernesto Martinez spoke to the matter.*

RECOMMENDATION      *The City Commission: 1) hear presentations regarding forms of local government and 2) take appropriate action.*

**Discussed**

130251. Charter Review Item Regarding City Elections (B)

RECOMMENDATION      *The City Commission: 1) hear a report from the City Auditor and 2) take appropriate action.*

**Discussed**

130248. **CITY CHARTER- REVIEW OF ANY SCRIVENER’S ERRORS AND OUTDATED PROVISIONS (NB)**

*Mac McEachern, Debbie Martinez, Kathy Kidder, Nathan Skop, Jo Beaty and Ernesto Martinez spoke to the matter.*

RECOMMENDATION      *The City Commission: 1) hear a report from the City Attorney’s Office and 2) provide any further direction as appropriate.*

**Discussed**

**ADJOURNMENT-8:45PM**

