

# **City of Gainesville**

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



## **Meeting Minutes**

**Thursday, May 17, 2012**

**12:00 PM**

**City Commission Swearing In Ceremony**

**Thelma Boltin Center, 516 NE 2nd Avenue**

## **City Commission**

***Mayor Craig Lowe (At Large)***

***Mayor-Commissioner Pro-Tem 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)***

***Commissioner Randy Wells (District 4)***

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**CALL TO ORDER - 12:07 PM****ROLL CALL**

Present: Craig Lowe, Lauren Poe, Thomas Hawkins, Randy Wells, Todd Chase, Susan Bottcher and Yvonne Hinson-Rawls

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

*The agenda was adopted by consensus.*

**INVOCATION**

*Mr. Larry Reimer, United Church of Gainesville gave the invocation.*

**Oath of Office - Yvonne Hinson-Rawls**

*The Honorable Stephan P. Mickle United States District Judge administered the oath of office to Yvonne Hinson-Rawls.*

**Oath of Office - Lauren Poe**

*The Honorable Stephan P. Mickle United States District Judge administered the oath of office to Commissioner Lauren Poe.*

**Comments from Commissioner Yvonne Hinson-Rawls**

*Commissioner Yvonne Hinson-Rawls gave inaugural comments.*

**Comments from Commissioner Lauren Poe**

*Commissioner Lauren Poe gave inaugural comments.*

**ELECTION OF MAYOR-COMMISSIONER PRO TEM****120000 Election of Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem (NB)**

*MOTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Bottcher, seconded by Commissioner Hawkins to appoint Commissioner Lauren Poe as Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem for the 2012-2013 term.  
(VOTE: 7-0, MOTION CARRIED)*

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The City Commission appoint a City Commissioner as Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem for 2012-2013 term.*

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

**Votes:** Aye: Lauren Poe, Randy Wells, Susan Bottcher, Todd Chase, Yvonne Hinson-Rawls, Thomas Hawkins and Craig Lowe

**ADJOURNMENT - 12:47 PM**

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Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission