

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL-CALLED MEETING OF THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARSHALL
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2021
2:00 PM

Mayor Amy Ware called the Special-Called meeting to order in the Council Chambers, City Hall at 2:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

MAYOR: Amy Ware, District 4

COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Marvin Bonner, District 1
Jennifer Truelove, District 3
Amanda Abraham, District 6

Leo Morris, District 2
Vernia Calhoun, District 5
Micah Fenton, District 7

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:

Christol Hall, HR Manager
Scott Rectenwald, Acting City Attorney
Jasmine Rios, Communications Coordinator
Nikki Smith, City Secretary/Payroll Accountant
Randy Pritchard, Support Services Superintendent

Cliff Carruth, Police Chief
Dawn Jones, Finance Director

INVOCATION & PLEDGE: Mayor Ware

310. **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

There were no citizen comments.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

311. **AN EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT, CHAPTER 551 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE UNDER SECTION 551.074 PERSONNEL MATTERS: INTERVIEW WITH INTERIM CITY MANAGER CANDIDATE.**

Councilmember Calhoun made a motion to enter into Executive Session. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0. The time was 2:03 p.m.

The Council reconvened from Executive Session, the time was 3:56 p.m.

ACTION ITEM FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION

312. **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON MAKING PERSONNEL CHANGES BASED ON EXECUTIVE SESSION, INCLUDING HIRING OR NOT HIRING ANY PERSONS INTERVIEWED BY COUNCIL FOR THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER POSITION TO DATE.**

Councilmember Abraham made a motion to hire David Willard through SGR and coordinate with the current City Manager to effect a smooth transition of power. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with the following vote:

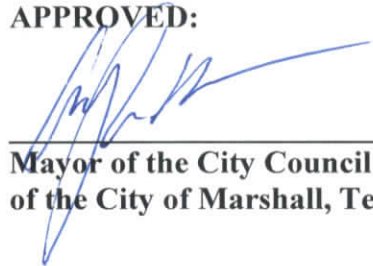
Ayes: 5, Mayor Ware, Councilmembers Abraham, Truelove, Bonner and Fenton

Nays: 2, Councilmembers Calhoun and Morris

313. **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilmember Calhoun made a motion for adjournment. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0.

APPROVED:



**Mayor of the City Council
of the City of Marshall, Texas**

ATTEST:



City Secretary