

**CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL WORK SESSION
CITY OF RAMSEY
ANOKA COUNTY
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

The Ramsey City Council conducted a City Council Special Work Session on Tuesday, March 21, 2023, at the Ramsey Municipal Center, 7550 Sunwood Drive NW, Ramsey, Minnesota.

Members Present: Acting Mayor Chris Riley
 Councilmember Chelsee Howell
 Councilmember Debra Musgrove
 Councilmember Dan Specht
 Councilmember Matt Woestehoff

Members Absent: Mayor Mark Kuzma
 Councilmember Michael Olson

Also Present: City Administrator Brian Hagen
 Administrative Services Director Colleen Lasher

1. CALL TO ORDER

Acting Mayor Riley called the City Council Special Work Session to order at 6:35 p.m.

2. TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

2.01: City Board and Commission Interviews

City Administrator Hagen stated that there will be seven interviews this evening for various Boards and Commissions.

The Council conducted the remaining interviews of the candidates for various vacant positions on different City Boards and Commissions, asking the same questions of each applicant.

RECESS AND RECONVENE

The meeting recessed at 7:38 p.m. and reconvened at 8:00 p.m.

2.01: City Board and Commission Interviews (continued)

The Council continued the remaining interviews.

Administrative Services Director Lasher stated that there are three partial terms open on the Environmental Protection Board, one full term on the Planning Commission, one full term on the Economic Development Authority, and one full term on the Parks and Recreation Commission.

The Council discussed the applicants who interviewed this evening as well as those who interviewed on March 14, 2023.

The consensus of the Council was to reappoint the incumbents who did and who did not interview. The Council agreed to move Todd Arts from the Environmental Policy Board to the Parks and Recreation Commission. There was also a consensus to appoint Jessica Vikander (two-year term), Thomas Hagerty (one-year term), and Hassan Salami (one-year term) to the Environmental Policy Board, to appoint Brittany Lindahl to the Economic Development Authority, and to appoint Ryan Heineman to the Planning Commission.

3. ADJOURNMENT

The Special Work Session of the City Council was adjourned at 9:41 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian S. Hagen
City Administrator

ATTEST:

Katie M. Schmidt
City Clerk

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