

TOWN OF SUPERIOR
MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
TOWN OF SUPERIOR TOWN COUNCIL

Pursuant to A.R.S. Section 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the Superior Town Council and to the general public, that a Special Meeting of the Superior Town Council was held on Wednesday, May 18, 2022, at 4:30 p.m. in the Superior Town Hall Auditorium, 199 N. Lobb Ave., Superior, Pinal County, Arizona.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Besich called the meeting to order at 4:30 PM.

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT:

Council Member Vanessa Navarrette
Council Member Stephen Estatico
Council Member Gilbert Aguilar
Council Member Bruce Armitage
Council Member Olga Lopez
Vice-Mayor Michael Alonzo
Mayor Mila Besich

STAFF PRESENT:

Todd Pryor, Town Manager
Stephen Cooper, Town Attorney
Ruby Cervantes, Town Clerk
Karla Luedke, Admin Assistant

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Besich led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance..

4. NEW BUSINESS

A. Interview Possible Candidates for the Presiding Town Magistrate Position

1. Possible executive session for interview with candidates for Presiding Town Magistrate, pursuant to A.R.S. Section § 38-431.03 (A)(1) and (2).

Mayor Besich announced that 4 candidates will be interviewed.

Thomas Freestone at 4:45 PM

Ellie Brown at 5:15 PM teleconference.

David Orzelle at 5:45 PM

Larry Bravo at 6:15 PM.

Motion to move into Executive Session to conduct interviews from now to after 6:15 with Council and Town Manager made by Council Member Aguilar, second by Council Member Navarrette, Motion Carries.

5. EXECUTIVE SESSION - Council moved into Executive Session at 4:33 PM.

6. REGULAR SESSION

Council moved into Regular Session at 6:45 PM.

7. Direct Staff or Town Attorney to Proceed as Directed in Executive Session.

Council conducted interviews with Thomas Freestone, Ellie Brown, David Orzelle and Larry Bravo. Council will vote on the selection of the Magistrate at the 7:00 PM meeting.

8. ADJOURNMENT –

Motion to adjourn the Executive Session made by Council Member Lopez, Second by Vice-Mayor Alonzo, motion carries. We will resume business at the 7:00 PM Meeting.

AYES – 7 Mayor Besich, Vice-Mayor Alonzo, Councilmembers: Estatico, Navarrette, Lopez, Armitage, Aguilar.

NOES – 0

ABSTINATIONS – 0

ABSENT - 0

ATTEST:

Mila Besich, Mayor

Ruby Cervantes, Town Clerk