

1. CALL TO ORDER

A Special Meeting of the Bethel City Council was held on October 11, 2023 at 6:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers, Bethel, Alaska.

Mayor Henderson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

Comprising a quorum of the Council, the following members were present:
City Council Member Teresa Keller City Council Member Mikayla Miller City Council Member Patrick Snow City Council Member Beth Hessler City Council Member Sophie Swope (<i>arrived after roll call 6:02 p.m.</i>) City Council Member Mark Springer (<i>arrived after roll call 6:08 p.m.</i>) Mayor Rose Henderson
Members Absent:
Also in attendance were the following:
Interim City Manager Lanning, City Clerk Lori Strickler, City Attorney Libby Bakalar (telephonically)

4. PEOPLE TO BE HEARD – Five minutes per person

No one present to be heard.

Item 4.1. - Written Public Comments

No written comments were submitted.

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve the agenda.

Moved by:	Patrick Snow
Seconded by:	Beth Hessler
In favor:	Rose Henderson, Beth Hessler, Patrick Snow, Teresa Keller, Mikayla Miller
Opposed:	None
Results:	Motion Carries

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

7. NEW BUSINESS

Item 7.1. - City Manager Candidate Interview- Benjamin M. Balivet

Council Member Swope arrived at 6:02 p.m.

Council Member Springer arrived at 6:08 p.m.

Council interviewed the candidate.

Item 7.2. - City Manager Candidate Interview- Jonathan A. Kirksey

Council interviewed the candidate.

Item 7.3. - City Manager Candidate Interview- Tayva Taylor

Council interviewed the candidate.

8. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Item 8.1. - In Accordance With AS 44.62.310(c)(2) Subjects That Tend To Prejudice The Reputation And Character Of Any Person- City Manager Review and Employment Agreement Development (Note, All City Manager Candidates May be Discussed During the Executive Session) (Mayor Henderson)

Motion to move into Executive Session in Accordance with AS 44.62.310 (c)(2) Subjects that tend to prejudice the reputation and character of any person-city manager review and employment agreement development.

Moved by:	Mark Springer
Seconded by:	Sophie Swope
In favor:	Mark Springer, Rose Henderson, Beth Hessler, Patrick Snow, Sophie Swope, Teresa Keller, Mikayla Miller
Opposed:	None
Results:	Motion Carries

Motion to invite Jon Kirksey for an onsite interview.

Moved by:	Mark Springer
Seconded by:	Sophie Swope
In favor:	Mark Springer, Rose Henderson, Beth Hessler, Patrick Snow, Sophie Swope, Teresa Keller, Mikayla Miller
Opposed:	None
Results:	Motion Carries

9. ADJOURNMENT

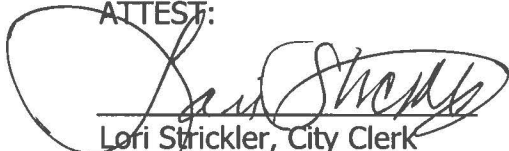
Main Motion: Adjournment.

Moved by:	Mark Springer
Seconded by:	Sophie Swope
In favor:	Mark Springer, Rose Henderson, Beth Hessler, Patrick Snow, Sophie Swope, Teresa Keller, Mikayla Miller

Opposed: | None
Results: | Motion Carries

Meeting ended at 9:52 p.m.

ATTEST:


Lori Strickler, City Clerk


Rose Henderson, Mayor
