



CITY of HALLOWELL, MAINE

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SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 27, 2025 AT 6:00 PM

IN-PERSON AT CITY HALL IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor George Lapointe called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. The Mayor then read the meeting guidelines before proceeding.

2. COUNCILORS PRESENT:

Walter McKee, Scott Cooper, Karen Knox, Michael Frett, Ben Gagnon, Danielle Obery and Lauren McPherson.

Also Present: City Clerk Lisa Gilliam along with several residents from Hallowell.

3. CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF A CONTRACT FOR THE NEW CITY MANAGER:

Mayor Lapointe announced that an employment contract had been offered to Ross McLellan for the position of City Manager and that Mr. McLellan had accepted the job. Discussion followed.

Councilor Knox read a prepared statement about the hiring process and the final two candidates that were interviewed. ~~She said that she would cast her vote in support of Ross McClellan despite her close friendship with the other candidate for the position.~~

Motion by Councilor McKee to authorize the approval of a Contract for the new City Manager Ross McLellen; motion seconded by Councilor Frett.

Motion carried by unanimous vote 7-0.

4. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by Councilor McKee to adjourn the meeting; motion seconded by Councilor Frett.

Motion carried by unanimous vote 7-0.

Meeting adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Lisa J. Gilliam, City Clerk