

**LAPEER CITY COMMISSION  
MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING  
FEBRUARY 25, 2023**

A regular meeting of the Lapeer City Commission was held February 25, 2023, at the Lapeer City Hall, 576 Liberty Park, Lapeer, Michigan. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Mayor Marquardt.

Commissioners: Atwood, Cattane, Pattison, Stroh, Swindell.

Absent: None.

Mayor Marquardt led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Melissa Petrie gave an invocation.

**REVIEW OF RESUMES SUBMITTED FOR CITY MANAGER POSITION.**

Mayor Marquardt introduced James Freed from Pivot Group Municipal Services. Mr. Freed gave a recap of the process they have gone through to bring the Mayor and Commission 12 candidates for the position of City Manager. He stated that everyone received the information in redacted form so that the candidates would be judged on qualifications. Additionally, they have sent their recommendations on who should be interviewed. He recommends selecting three to interview and one alternate, should one of the top tier candidates no longer be available.

The Mayor and Commissioners discussed the candidates they wished to interview and how to find the right fit for this community. It was the consensus of the Commission to bring in three of the candidates for interviews and have one alternative in case one of the original three candidates is unavailable.

**047 2023 02-25 CITY MANAGER CANDIDATE INTERVIEW**

Moved by Cattane. Seconded by Atwood.

To interview candidates #10, #4, # 2, with #5 as an alternate

Ayes: Atwood, Cattane, Pattison, Stroh, Swindell.

Nays: None.

Absent: None.

MOTION CARRIED

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Jennette Osentoski questioned whether the new City Manager will be required to live in the city limits.

**048 2023 02-21 ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Cattane.

Adjourn the regular meeting at 10:37 a.m.

Ayes: Atwood, Cattane, Pattison, Stroh, Swindell.

Nays: None.

Absent: None.

MOTION CARRIED.

The regular meeting adjourned at 10:37 a.m.

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Debbie Marquardt, Mayor

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Tracey Russell, Deputy City Clerk