

The City Council in and for the citizens of the City of Lake City, Florida, met in a Special Called Session, on April 26, 2024 beginning at 1:00 PM, in the City Council Chambers, located at City Hall 205 North Marion Avenue, Lake City, Florida. Members of the public also viewed the meeting on our YouTube Channel.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION – Mayor/Council Member Stephen Witt

ROLL CALL

Mayor/Council Member
City Council

Stephen M. Witt
Jake Hill, Jr.
Chevella Young
Ricky Jernigan
James Carter
Clay Martin
Dee Johnson – absent
Assistant Chief Andy Miles
Audrey Sikes

City Attorney
Interim City Manager
Sergeant-at-Arms
City Clerk

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Mr. Jernigan made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Mr. Carter seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

CITY MANAGER INTERVIEWS

- 1. Gerald Butler 1:00 PM

Members took a break at 1:37 PM and reconvened at 2:00 PM.

- 2. Don Rosenthal 2:00 PM

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – PERSONS WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL

- Sylvester Warren
- Glenel Bowden
- Stew Lilker

At this time, members took a break at 2:34 PM and reconvened at 2:44 PM.

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION: CITY MANAGER FINALISTS

Ms. Young made a motion to receive Mr. Rosenthal as City Manager, contingent upon the background check and contract negotiations. Mr. Hill seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and the motion carried.

Ms. Young	Aye
Mr. Hill	Aye
Mr. Jernigan	Aye
Mr. Carter	Aye
Mayor Witt	Aye

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Carter made a motion to adjourn at 2:53 PM and the motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

Stephen M. Witt, Mayor/Council Member

Audrey Sikes, City Clerk