

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
YREKA HELD IN SAID CITY ON JULY 27, 2010

On the 27<sup>TH</sup> day of July 2010, the City Council of the City of Yreka met in the City Council Chambers of said City in regular session, and upon roll call, the following were present: Robert Bicego, Jason Darrow, Rory McNeil, John Mercier and David Simmen. Absent – None.

Pursuant to Yreka Municipal Code Section 1.24.100, due to the absence of both the Mayor and the Mayor Pro-Tempore, City Clerk Elizabeth Casson called the meeting to order and entertained a motion for the election of a Temporary Presiding Officer.

Council Member Simmen moved to nominate Council Member McNeil as the Temporary Presiding Officer.

There being no further nominations, City Clerk Casson closed the nominations and called for a vote. Upon roll call the following voted for McNeil: Bicego, Darrow, Mercier, & Simmen.

City Clerk Casson therefore declared the motion carried and Council Member McNeil took her seat as Temporary Presiding Officer.

Mayor and Mayor Pro Tempore Terms and Selection Process – Council Member Simmen.

The Council discussed proposed modifications to the selection process and the term of office for the Mayor and the Mayor Pro-Tempore.

Following Council discussion, Council Member Simmen moved to have a discussion among the Council Members prior to the nomination process for Mayor to give an opportunity for those who want to be nominated to make their interest known.

Council Member Bicego seconded the motion and upon roll call the following voted YEA: Bicego, Darrow, McNeil, Mercier and Simmen.

Temporary Presiding Officer McNeil thereupon declared the motion carried.

Election of Mayor

Temporary Presiding Officer McNeil opened nominations from the Council Members for the election of Mayor.

Council Member Bicego moved to nominate Council Member McNeil  
Council Member Darrow moved to nominate himself.

There being no further nominations, Temporary Presiding Officer McNeil closed the nominations and called for a vote. Upon roll call the following voted for McNeil: Bicego, Mercier, McNeil & Simmen.

The following voted for Darrow: Darrow.

Temporary Presiding Officer McNeil thereupon declared the motion to elect Rory McNeil as Mayor as carried.

**ELECTION OF MAYOR PRO-TEMPORE**

Mayor McNeil opened nominations from the Council for the election of Mayor Pro-Tempore.

Council Member Bicego moved to nominate Council Member Darrow. There being no further nominations, Mayor McNeil closed the nominations and called for a vote. Upon roll call the following voted for Darrow: Bicego, Mercier, McNeil & Simmen.

Mayor McNeil thereupon declared the motion to elect Jason Darrow as Mayor Pro-Tempore as carried.

**ADJOURNMENT** There being no further business before the Council the meeting was adjourned.

Attest:

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Rory McNeil, Mayor  
Minutes approved by Council  
Motion 8-19-10

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Elizabeth E. Casson, City Clerk