



Shreveport City Council Special Meeting Minutes December 6, 2021

The special meeting of the City Council of the City of Shreveport, State of Louisiana was called to order by Vice Chair Tabatha Taylor at 9:06 a.m., December 6, 2021, in Government Chamber located in Government Plaza (505 Travis Street).

Invocation was given by Councilman Green.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Boucher.

The roll was called. Present: Councilwomen Tabatha Taylor and LeVette Fuller, Councilmen John Nickelson, Grayson Boucher, James Green and Jerry Bowman. 6. (District E seat is vacant)

The meeting was called to fill the vacant District E council seat.

The Vice Chair asked for public comments: Alvin Oliver withdrew his nomination.

The Clerk read the following: The voting procedure to fill the Shreveport City Council, District E vacancy shall be as follows: Each Council member shall state the name of the candidate they desire to fill the District E vacancy as their vote. The candidate to receive a majority vote from Council members present and voting shall be appointed to fill the Shreveport City Council, District E vacancy. If no candidate receives a majority vote once all present and voting Council members have cast their vote, there shall be a second round of voting to only include the two (2) candidates that received the highest number of votes. If there is a tie of more than two (2) candidates receiving the highest number of votes, all tied candidates shall move to the second round of voting. This process shall continue until a qualified candidate receives a majority vote or until the City Council determines it is unable to come to a decision.

The Clerk polled the council: Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Bowman and Green voted for Durwood Hendricks, Councilwoman Fuller voted for Jon Glover and Councilman Nickelson and Boucher voted for Matthew Nicholas Kay.

The council entered the second round of voting with Councilwoman Taylor, Councilmen Green and Bowman voting for Durwood Hendricks and Councilwoman Fuller, Councilmen Nickelson and Boucher voting for Matthew Kay.

In accordance with La.R.S.18:602(D), and the consensus of the council the Governor will appoint someone to fill the vacant District E council seat.

There being no further business to come before the Council the Special Meeting adjourned at 9:11 a.m.

//s// Tabatha Taylor, Vice Chair

//s// Danielle A. Farr Ewing, Clerk of Council