

TOWN OF WHITE SPRINGS

“On the Banks of the Suwannee River”

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MINUTES

WHITE SPRINGS TOWN COUNCIL

Organizational Meeting

Town Hall Council Chambers

Tuesday, May 9, 2023

6:00 p.m.

1. **Call to Order, Invocation, and Pledge of Allegiance - Councilor/(Mayor) Rivers called the meeting to order at 6:00pm. TC Ruise gave the invocation and the council led the Pledge of Allegiance.**

**2.** **Roll Call - Councilor/(Mayor) Rivers called the roll. Members present: Councilor/(Mayor) Rivers, Councilor J. Williams, and Councilor M. Berry. Quorum was met.** *Note: Term ended for Councilor L. McCallum and Councilor N. Williams’s seat was forfeited.*

**3. Swearing in New Council - TC Ruise lead “swearing in ceremony” giving the oath of office for new Councilor J. Williams. Councilor J. Williams repeated the oath and was officially sworn in by TC Audre’ J. Ruise.**

1. **Council Vote: Mayor & Vice-Mayor - Councilor/(Mayor) Rivers asked for a nomination for Mayor. Councilor J. Williams nominated Anita Rivers. Anita Rivers asked were there any other nominations? There were none. Councilor M. Berry seconded the motion and the motion passed 3-0.**

**Mayor Rivers asked for a motion for Vice-Mayor. Councilor M. Berry nominated Councilor J. Williams. Mayor Rivers asked if there were any other nominations? There were none. Mayor Rivers seconded the motion and the motion passed 3-0.**

**Adjourn: Mayor Rivers adjourned the organizational meeting at 6:14pm.**

IF A PERSON DECIDES TO APPEAL ANY DECISION MADE BY THE TOWN COUNCIL, WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT THIS MEETING, THAT PERSON WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS, AND FOR PURPOSE THAT PERSON MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE BASED. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) PERSONS NEEDING SPECIAL ACCOMODATIONS TO PARTICPATE IN THE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS SHOULD CONTACT THE TOWN CLERK’S OFFICE NOT LATER THAN THREE DAYS PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

Town Manager, Town Clerk, or Designee

**Vanessa George, Town Manager/ Audre’ J. Ruise, Town Clerk**

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