

MINUTES

SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING
SOUTH PASADENA, FLORIDA

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2025
COMMISSION CHAMBERS 9:00 A.M.

MAYOR PENNY CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 9:05 A.M. THE INVOCATION WAS GIVEN BY VICE MAYOR NEIDINGER. ALL PARTICIPATED IN THE PLEDGE TO THE FLAG.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSIONERS BEN THOMAS, LYNDIA THOMPSON, VICE MAYOR GAIL NEIDINGER, AND MAYOR ARTHUR PENNY. ABSENT: COMMISSIONER THOMAS REID. ALSO PRESENT: CITY CLERK CARLEY LEWIS, CITY ATTORNEY KRISTEN GRAY, FINANCE DIRECTOR JAMES GRAHAM, PUBLIC SAFETY DIRECTOR DAVID MIXSON, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR SHAWN SHIMKO, COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DIRECTOR TERESA SULLIVAN, AND DEPUTY CITY CLERK MARY JO BOWMAN.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

NONE

AGENDA COMMENT

NONE

At this time, Mayor Penny suspended the rules of procedure and presented Commissioner Thomas with a plaque to thank him for his dedicated service as a City Commissioner.

- RESOLUTION NO. 2025-04 - A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PASADENA, FLORIDA, AFFIRMING ELECTION RESULTS FOR THE MARCH 11, 2025 ELECTION OF TWO COMMISSIONERS.

City Attorney Gray read Resolution No. 2025-04 by title and approved it as to form and content.

MOTION WAS MADE BY VICE MAYOR NEIDINGER, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER THOMAS TO PASS RESOLUTION NO. 2025-04.

VOTE:	VICE MAYOR NEIDINGER	AYE
	COMMISSIONER THOMAS	AYE
	COMMISSIONER THOMPSON	AYE
	MAYOR PENNY	AYE

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- INSTALLATION OF TWO COMMISSIONERS

City Clerk Lewis administered the oath of office to Mark McAlees and Lynda Thompson. Commissioner McAlees and Commissioner Thompson took their seats on the dais.

- MOTION - TO APPOINT _____ AS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT; _____ AS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT; _____ AS COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT; AND _____ AS COMMISSIONER OF COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DEPARTMENT.

Mayor Penny recommended that the Commission department assignments be as follows:

Finance Department - Commissioner Neidinger
Public Works Department - Commissioner Reid
Public Safety Department - Commissioner Thompson
Community Improvement Department - Commissioner McAlees

MOTION WAS MADE BY VICE MAYOR NEIDINGER, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER THOMPSON TO APPOINT GAIL NEIDINGER AS COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT; THOMAS REID AS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT; LYNDA THOMPSON AS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT; AND MARK MCALEES AS COMMISSIONER OF COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT DEPARTMENT.

VOTE:	COMMISSIONER MCALEES	AYE
	COMMISSIONER THOMPSON	AYE
	COMMISSIONER NEIDINGER	AYE
	MAYOR PENNY	AYE

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- MOTION - TO APPOINT _____ AS VICE MAYOR.

Mayor Penny recommended that Thomas Reid be appointed as Vice Mayor.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COMMISSIONER THOMPSON, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER NEIDINGER TO APPOINT THOMAS REID AS VICE MAYOR.

VOTE:	COMMISSIONER THOMPSON	AYE
	COMMISSIONER NEIDINGER	AYE

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COMMISSIONER MCALEES	AYE
MAYOR PENNY	AYE

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There being no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 9:17 a.m.

Arthur Penny

Arthur Penny, Mayor

ATTEST:

Carley Lewis

Carley Lewis, City Clerk
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