

COUNCIL MINUTES

April 4, 1997

The City Council of the City of Mesa met in a Special Session in the lower level meeting room of the Council Chambers, 57 East 1st Street, on April 4, 1997 at 7:30 a.m.

COUNCIL PRESENT

Mayor Wayne Brown
Pat Gilbert
John Giles
Dennis Kavanaugh
Joan Payne
Wayne Pomeroy
Jim Stapley

COUNCIL ABSENT

None

STAFF PRESENT

C.K. Luster
Vince Anderson
Joan Baier
Neal Beets
Fred Conway
Linda Crocker
Glenn Gorke
Joe Holmwood
Mike Hutchinson
Lars Jarvie
Barry Jones
Sharon Joyce
Vic Kalva
Harry Kent
Larry Lines
Richard Lorig
Frank Mizner

STAFF PRESENT (CONT.)

Keith Nath
John Oliver
Ellen Pence
Bryan Raines
Tom Remes
Becky Richardson
Debbie Vickman
Mindy White
Others

OTHERS PRESENT

Dennis Compton
Chris Moeser
Phil Ryan
Others

Mayor Brown excused Councilmember Payne from the beginning of the meeting. Councilmember Payne arrived at 7:32 a.m.

1. Consider appointment of Fire Chief.

City Manager Charles Luster recommended the appointment of Dennis Compton as Fire Chief for the City of Mesa.

It was moved by Councilmember Stapley, seconded by Vice Mayor Gilbert, that Dennis Compton be appointed Fire Chief for the City of Mesa.

Vice Mayor Gilbert commended the applicants and noted the high caliber individuals who expressed interest in the position.

Councilmember Kavanaugh concurred with Vice Mayor Gilbert's comments and stated support for the selection and appointment process utilized by the City of Mesa.

Carried unanimously.

Mayor Brown congratulated newly appointed Fire Chief Dennis Compton and invited him to address the Council.

Mr. Compton thanked the Council and City Manager and said that the appointment to Fire Chief allows he and his wife the opportunity to fulfill a lifetime dream. Mr. Compton expressed appreciation for the exceptional manner in which the applicants were treated during the review process.

Councilmember Payne welcomed Mr. Compton to the City of Mesa and congratulated him on the appointment.

2. Adjournment.

It was moved by Councilmember Stapley, seconded by Councilmember Pomeroy, that the Special Council Meeting adjourn at 7:34 a.m.

Carried unanimously.

WAYNE BROWN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

BARBARA JONES, CITY CLERK

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Special Session of the City Council of Mesa, Arizona, held on the 4th day of April 1997. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

Dated this 29th day of April 1997

BARBARA JONES , CITY CLERK