City of Cocoa

65 Stone Street
Cocoa, FL 32922

Meeting Agenda - Final

Tuesday, November 20, 2018

10:00 AM

SPECIAL: SWEARING IN CEREMONY

Cocoa City Council Chambers

City Council

Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	18-569	**Version:** 1	**Name:**		
Type:	Agenda		**Status:**	Agenda Ready	
File created:	11/6/2018		**In control:**	City Council	
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Title:	Approve the Agenda for the Special CIty Council Meeting (Swearing In Ceremony) of November 20, 2018, as presented or with amendments.				
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Attachments:	11-20-18 Swearing In.pdf				

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

Memo Date: November 6, 2018
Agenda Date: November 20, 2018
Prepared By: Carie Shealy, City Clerk
Through:
Requested Action:
Approve the Agenda for the Special CIty Council Meeting (Swearing In Ceremony) of November 20, 2018, as presented or with amendments.

BACKGROUND:

The City Council approves the agenda for all of its meetings at the beginning of such meetings.

STRATEGIC PLAN CONNECTION:

NA

BUDGETARY IMPACT:

NA

PREVIOUS ACTION:

The City Council has approved its agenda for all regular meetings at the beginning of such meetings.

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Approve the Agenda for the Special City Council Meeting (Swearing In Ceremony) of November 20, 2018, as presented or with amendments.

AGENDA

CITY OF COCOA

Special City Council Meeting

Swearing-In of New Council Members

DATE: November 20, 2018	LOCATION: City Council Chambers
TIME: 10:00 a.m.	65 Stone Street, Cocoa, FL 32922

I. OPENING MATTERS:

Call To Order
Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call

II. Approval of Agenda:

1. Approve the Agenda for the Special City Council Meeting (Swearing In Ceremony) of November 20, 2018. (18-569)

III. DELEGATIONS:

In accordance with the City Council's rules and procedures, residents or tax-payers of the City (upon any subject of general or public interest), City employees (regarding his/her employment), water and sewer customers (on matters related to the City's water and/or sewer system), and any person on any item on the agenda (except *Emergency items, Ministerial items, Quasi-judicial items, and Public Hearing items),* may address the City Council under Delegations by filling out a speaker card.

Speaker cards are located in the Council Chamber lobby and should be provided to the City Clerk. Please observe the time limit of five (5) minutes while speaking under Delegations. Delegations shall be limited to thirty (30) minutes unless extended by Council.

IV. COUNCIL BUSINESS:

1. Approve Resolution No. 2018-107 Certifying the Results of the November 6, 2018 General Election for District 1 & 4 and Special Election for Mayor. (18-570). (Administrative Services Director)

2. Swearing-In of District 1 Councilman Elect Alex Goins. (18-572). (City Clerk)
3. Swearing-In of District 4 Councilwoman Elect Lorraine Koss. (18-573). (City Clerk)
4. Swearing-In of Mayor Elect Jake Williams, Jr. (18-574). (City Clerk)
5. Annual Appointment of Deputy Mayor. (18-575). (Administrative Services Director)

V. ADJOURNMENT.

This is a public meeting. All interested parties may attend. The facility wherein this public meeting will be held is accessible to the physically handicapped. In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons needing assistance to participate in these proceedings should contact the City Clerk of the City of Cocoa, listed below, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting:

Carie Shealy, MMC, City Clerk, 65 Stone Street, Cocoa
321-433-8484 – cshealy@cocoafl.org

File #: 18-570, **Version:** 1

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

Memo Date: November 7, 2018
Agenda Date: November 20, 2018
Prepared By: Carie Shealy, City Clerk
Through: Tammy Gemmati, Administrative Services Director
Requested Action:
Approve Resolution No.2018-107 Certifying the Results of the November 6, 2018 General Election for District 1 & 4 and Special Election for Mayor.

BACKGROUND:

The City of Cocoa had two Council member seats in the November 6, 2018 General Election. Additionally, due to the resignation of Mayor Parrish in order to run for a State seat, there was a Special Election held for the Mayoral seat held in conjunction with the General Election on November 6, 2018.

Those who qualified to run in the **Special Election** are as follows:

Mayor: Larry Sinclair
Clarence Whipple, Jr.
Jake Williams, Jr.

Those who qualified to run in the **General Election** are as follows:

District 1: James "Alex" Goins
Laura Houston

District 4: Jeri Blanco
Lorraine Koss

The ***OFFICIAL results*** of the Mayor's race are as follows:

Larry Sinclair	1,949 votes
Clarence Whipple, Jr.	2,110 votes
Jake Williams, Jr.	2,471 votes

The ***OFFICIAL results*** of the District 1 and District 4 race are as follows:

District 1:

James Alex Goins	887 votes

Laura J. Houston 541 votes

District 4:
Jeri Blanco 558 votes
Lorraine Koss 1,037 votes
The City of Cocoa did not have any Referendums in this election.

Cocoa's City Charter requires the City Council declare the result of the election of the election results are canvassed.

STRATEGIC PLAN CONNECTION:

NA

BUDGETARY IMPACT:

NA

PREVIOUS ACTION:

None.

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Approve Resolution No. 2018-107 Certifying the Results of the November 6, 2018 General Election for District 1 & 4 and Special Election for Mayor.

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-107

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COCOA, FLORIDA, CERTIFYING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON THE SIXTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2018 FOR CITY COUNCIL DISTRICTS 1 AND 4, AND OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD ON THE SIXTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2018 FOR THE CITY OF COCOA MAYOR SEAT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; REPEAL OF PRIOR INCONSISTENT RESOLUTIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Canvassing Board of Brevard County, Florida, together with the Supervisor of Elections, has examined the returns of the General & Special Election held on November 6, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisor of Elections of Brevard County has certified to the City Council of the City of Cocoa the official results of the General & Special Election (attached hereto as Exhibit A); and

WHEREAS, Larry Sinclair, Clarence Whipple, Jr., and Jake Williams, Jr., were to be voted on for Mayor in the Special Election; and

WHEREAS, James Alex Goins and Laura J. Houston were to be voted on for the City Council District 1 in the General Election; and

WHEREAS, Jeri Blanco and Lorraine Koss were to be voted on for the City Council District 4 in the General Election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Cocoa, Florida, deems it in the best interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Cocoa to certify the results of the Special and General Election held on November 6, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COCOA, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. Mayor. The following votes were cast by the electorate of the City of Cocoa, Florida, for the City Council Mayor's seat:

	TOTAL
Larry Sinclair	1,949
Clarence Whipple, Jr.	2,110
Jake Williams, Jr.	2,471

SECTION 2. District 1. The following votes were cast by the electorate of the City of Cocoa, Florida, for the District 1 City Council seat:

	TOTAL
James Alex Goins	887
Laura J. Houston	541

SECTION 3. District 4. The following votes were cast by the electorate of the City of Cocoa, Florida, for the District 4 City Council seat:

	TOTAL
Jeri Blanco	558
Lorraine Koss	1,037

SECTION 4. Certifying Results. The City Council hereby certifies the voting results provided in Section 1 above. As a result, Jake Williams, Jr., having received the highest number of votes cast for the City of Cocoa Mayor; James Alex Goins, having received the highest number of votes for the City Council District 1; and Lorraine Koss, having received the highest number of votes for City Council District 4, are hereby duly elected to the City Council of the City of Cocoa.

SECTION 3. Repeal of Prior Inconsistent Resolutions. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 4. Severability. Should any section or provision of this resolution, or any portion hereof, any paragraph, sentence, or word be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remainder hereto as a whole or part thereof of be declared invalid.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the City Council of the City of Cocoa, Florida.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Cocoa, Florida, in a Special meeting assembled on the 20th day of November, 2018.

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Jake Williams, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

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Carie Shealy, MMC, City Clerk

EXHIBIT "A"

*** Official Results ***

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD
BREVARD COUNTY

We, the undersigned, KENNETH FRIEDLAND, County Judge, LORI SCOTT, Supervisor of Elections, RITA PRITCHETT, County Commissioner, constituting the Board of County Canvassers in and for said County, do hereby certify that we met on the Eighteenth day of November, 2018 A.D., and proceeded publicly to canvass the votes given for the several offices and persons herein specified at the **Nonpartisan** held on the Sixth day of November, 2018 A.D., as shown by the returns on file in the office of the Supervisor of Elections. We do hereby certify from said returns as follows:

Retention of Justice Alan Lawson of the Supreme Court

Yes	174,243 votes
No	74,530 votes

Retention of Judge Eric Eisnaugle of the Fifth District Court of Appeal

Yes	154,286 votes
No	92,645 votes

For School Board, District 1, the whole number of votes cast was 42,342 of which

Misty Belford	received	41,842 votes
Shana Moore (WRI)	received	500 votes

For School Board, District 2, the whole number of votes cast was 49,312 of which

Cheryl McDougall	received	25,608 votes
Charles Parker	received	23,704 votes

For School Board, District 5, the whole number of votes cast was 45,738 of which

Katye Campbell	received	26,077 votes
Kelly Damerow	received	19,661 votes

For Cape Canaveral Mayor CITY OF CAPE CANAVERAL, the whole number of votes cast was 4,718 of which

Byron Greene	received	678 votes
Robert E. Hoog	received	2,136 votes
Buzz Petsos	received	1,904 votes

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD
BREVARD COUNTY

For Cocoa Mayor CITY OF COCOA, the whole number of votes cast was 6,530 of which

Larry W. Sinclair	received	1,949 votes
Clarence Whipple Jr	received	2,110 votes
Jake Williams Jr	received	2,471 votes

For Cocoa City Council, Dist 1 DISTRICT 1, the whole number of votes cast was 1,428 of which

James Alex Goins	received	887 votes
Laura J. Houston	received	541 votes

For Cocoa City Council, Dist 4 DISTRICT 4, the whole number of votes cast was 1,595 of which

Jeri Blanco	received	558 votes
Lorraine Koss	received	1,037 votes

For Cocoa Beach Commission, Seat 4 CITY OF COCOA BEACH, the whole number of votes cast was 6,819 of which

Tim Tumulty	received	3,158 votes
Skip Williams	received	3,661 votes

For Cocoa Beach Commission, Seat 5 CITY OF COCOA BEACH, the whole number of votes cast was 6,495 of which

Loi McKinley	received	2,470 votes
Mike Miller	received	4,025 votes

For Malabar Town Council, Dist 2 DISTRICT 2, the whole number of votes cast was 321 of which

Laura Mahoney	received	137 votes
Brian Vail	received	184 votes

For Malabar Town Council, Dist 3 DISTRICT 3, the whole number of votes cast was 328 of which

Derek Ports	received	131 votes
Steve Rivet	received	197 votes

For Melbourne City Council, Dist 4 CITY OF MELBOURNE, the whole number of votes cast was 30,324 of which

Andrea Fant	received	10,992 votes
Debbie Thomas	received	19,332 votes

For Melbourne City Council, Dist 6 CITY OF MELBOURNE, the whole number of votes cast was 29,726 of which

Teresa Lopez	received	13,474 votes
Julie Sanders	received	16,252 votes

For Melbourne City Council, Dist 2 CITY OF MELBOURNE, the whole number of votes cast was 30,398 of which

Mark LaRusso	received	15,543 votes
Betty Moore	received	14,855 votes

For Melbourne Beach Commissioner (3 year) TOWN OF MELBOURNE BEACH, the whole number of votes cast was 2,945 of which

Joyce D. Barton	received	802 votes
Olyne Elizabeth "Libby" Brown-Broc	received	486 votes
Sherri Quarrie	received	849 votes
Steve Walters	received	808 votes

For Melbourne Beach Commissioner (1 year) TOWN OF MELBOURNE BEACH, the whole number of votes cast was 1,796 of which

Corey Runte	received	1,177 votes
Katherine Wilborn	received	619 votes

For Melbourne Village Mayor TOWN OF MELBOURNE VILLAGE, the whole number of votes cast was 462 of which

Rand Carroll	received	196 votes
Heidi A. Salmon	received	266 votes

For Palm Bay City Council, Seat 4 CITY OF PALM BAY, the whole number of votes cast was 41,914 of which

Thomas L. Gaume Jr	received	17,442 votes
Kenny Johnson	received	24,472 votes

For Palm Bay City Council, Seat 5 CITY OF PALM BAY, the whole number of votes cast was 40,623 of which

Jeff Bailey	received	22,647 votes
Aaron Parr	received	17,976 votes

For Titusville City Council, Seat 5 CITY OF TITUSVILLE, the whole number of votes cast was 18,478 of which

Steven G. Heisler	received	7,225 votes
Jo Lynn Nelson	received	11,253 votes

For West Melbourne City Council CITY OF WEST MELBOURNE, the whole number of votes cast was 22,701 of which

Daniel Batcheldor	received	4,343 votes
John Dittmore	received	5,041 votes
Tracy Hudson-Frantzis	received	3,980 votes
Bill Mettrick	received	3,919 votes
Andrea Young	received	5,418 votes

For Sebastian Inlet Tax District, District 5, the whole number of votes cast was 117,017 of which

Lisa Leger Frazier	received	59,227 votes
David A. Pasley	received	34,254 votes
Adam Byrn Tritt	received	23,536 votes

For Barefoot Bay Recreation District (Vote for 3), the whole number of votes cast was 8,150 of which

Hurrol Brinker	received	1,188 votes
Frank Cavaliere	received	1,326 votes
Luann E. Henderson	received	1,376 votes
Joseph B. Klosky	received	1,455 votes
Brian Lavier	received	1,258 votes
Randy Loveland	received	1,547 votes

For Brevard Soil and Water Conservation District, Group 2, the whole number of votes cast was 223,969 of which

George Allen Cowart	received	108,676 votes
James E. Sloan	received	115,293 votes

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD
BREVARD COUNTY

For Brevard Soil and Water Conservation District, Group 4, the whole number of votes cast was 222,708 of which

John Philip Olivadoti Jr.	received	83,501 votes
Jonathan Schuman	received	139,207 votes

For Heritage Isle at Viera Community Development District, Seat 2, the whole number of votes cast was 1,732 of which

Jon M. Smallegan	received	1,161 votes
Roger Teurfs	received	571 votes

For Viera East Community Development District, Group 1, the whole number of votes cast was 4,372 of which

David Bedwell	received	2,489 votes
Justin Murrell	received	1,883 votes

For Viera East Community Development District, Group 2, the whole number of votes cast was 4,402 of which

W. Paul McCarthy	received	3,260 votes
Ronald M. Rysztogi	received	1,142 votes

We Certify that pursuant to Section 102.112, Florida Statutes, the canvassing board has compared the number of persons who voted with the number of ballots counted and that the certification includes all valid votes cast in the election.

COUNTY JUDGE

SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

City of Cocoa

65 Stone Street
Cocoa, FL 32922

Legislation Details (With Text)

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Title:	Swearing In of District 1 Councilman Elect-James Alex Goins. (City Clerk)				
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File #:	18-573	**Version:**	1	**Name:**	
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On agenda:	11/20/2018			**Final action:**	
Title:	Swearing In of District 4 Councilwoman Elect-Lorraine Koss. (City Clerk)				
Sponsors:					
Indexes:					
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Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result

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Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	18-574	**Version:**	1	**Name:**	
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File created:	11/6/2018			**In control:**	City Council
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Title:	Swearing of of Mayor Elect-Jake Williams, Jr. (City Clerk)				
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Indexes:					
Code sections:					
Attachments:					

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Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	18-575	**Version:** 1	**Name:**		
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Title:	Annual Appointment of Deputy Mayor. (Administrative Services Director)				
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Attachments:	History of Deputy Mayor.pdf				

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CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

Memo Date: November 6, 2018
Agenda Date: November 20, 2018
Prepared By: Carie Shealy, City Clerk
Through: Tammy Gemmati, Administrative Services Director
Requested Action:
Annual Appointment of Deputy Mayor.

BACKGROUND:

Article III of the Cocoa City Charter states that an election of Deputy Mayor shall be held annually at the organizational meeting held on the eighth day following the general election. Since there is no longer an annual election in the City of Cocoa, City Council has chosen to hold the annual election of the Deputy Mayor during a regular meeting in November.

Due to the change in laws regarding the Supervisor of Elections time frame in certifying the results of the election, and the way in which Regular City Council meetings fall during the month of November, there will be a Special City Council meeting where this appointment and the swearing in of new Council members will take place.

A history detailing the Deputy Mayor's for Cocoa since 2008 is attached.

STRATEGIC PLAN CONNECTION:

NA

BUDGETARY IMPACT:

NA

PREVIOUS ACTION:

Elections for Deputy Mayor have been held annually in accordance with the City Charter.

RECOMMENDED MOTION:
Annual Appointment of Deputy Mayor.

History of Deputy Mayor

(since 2008)

2008-2009	Clarence Whipple, Jr.	District 1
2009-2010	James McCarthy	District 4
2010-2011	Jake Williams, Jr.	District 2
2011-2012	Don Boisvert	District 3
2012-2013	Tyler Furbish	District 4
2013-2014	Clarence Whipple, Jr.	District 1
2014-2015	Brenda Warner	District 2
2015-2016	Don Boisvert	District 3
2016-2017	Don Boisvert	District 3
2017-2018	Jeri Blanco	District 4