

**For the Special Meeting of Council
City of Zachary, LA
Council Chambers, 4700 Main Street
Thursday, January 27, 2022, 6:30 P.M.**

A. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Pro Tempore LeBlanc called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., on Thursday, January 27, 2022, at the Zachary City Hall located at 4700 Main Street, Zachary, LA

B. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Invocation by Councilman Montgomery
Pledge of Allegiance by Councilwoman O'Brien

C. OPENING PROCEDURES

1. Roll Call

COUNCIL MEMBERS
Francis Nezianya – District 1
John LeBlanc – District 2
Laura O'Brien – District 3
Vacant – District 4
Lael Montgomery – District 5
ABSENT
David Amrhein

2. Reading of City Policy Relative to Open Meetings

Before proceeding with the meeting, Mayor Pro Tempore LeBlanc read a statement into the record regarding the Open Meetings Law, and citizens' right to participate in public meetings. The statement set forth general rules of conduct of the public meeting and outlined the process through which a citizen can have items placed on the Council agenda. A copy of the rules is available at City Hall, Mayor's Office or by calling the Clerk of the City Council. The rules will also be available at every Council meeting.

3. Changes/Additions to Agenda

D. PRESENTATION OF DELEGATIONS

1. Any Requests to Speak

E. ACTION MANDATED BY HOME RULE CHARTER

1. Discussion and consideration of appointment of individual to fill the unexpired term for District #4 in light of the resignation of Mr. Hunter Landry and for all other matters in furtherance thereof.

Mr. Hopewell Spoke to the council members and explained that a letter of resignation from Mr. Landry had not reached the Secretary of State's office and that they did not recognize the seat to be vacant at that time. Mr. Hopewell explained that the item needed to be tabled until another special meeting could be held after the letter was received.

The motion was made by Councilman Nezianya

The motion was seconded by Councilman Montgomery

To set the special meeting date for February 17, 2022, at 6:30 p.m. and the application deadline to be set for February 15, 2022.

YEAS: Nezianya, LeBlanc, O'Brien, Montgomery

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINED: None

F. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

CERTIFICATION

Dana LeJeune, Clerk of City Council
CITY OF ZACHARY
PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE
STATE OF LOUISIANA

John LeBlanc, Mayor Pro Tempore

I, Dana LeJeune, do hereby certify that I am the duly appointed and acting Clerk of the City Council for the City of Zachary, Parish of East Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

I further certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Mayor Pro Tempore and Council of the City of Zachary, Louisiana, held on Tuesday, January 27, 2022, a proper quorum being there and then present.