CITY OF DENTON CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
June 17, 2025

After determining that a quorum was present, the City Council of the City of Denton, Texas convened in a Special Called meeting on Tuesday, June 17, 2025, at 12:04 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas.

PRESENT: Mayor Gerard Hudspeth and Council Members Brian Beck, Vicki Byrd, Joe Holland, Jill Jester, and Brandon Chase McGee

ABSENT: Mayor Pro Tem Paul Meltzer

Also present were City Manager Sara Hensley and City Attorney Mack Reinwand.

There were no online registrations or call ins on any items on the agenda.

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

A. U.S. Flag

B. Texas Flag

2. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

A. ID 25-1022 Consider adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the municipal runoff election held on Saturday, June 7, 2025; and providing an effective date.
ASSIGNED ORDINANCE NO. 25-1022

There were no online registrations or call-ins on the item.

The item was presented, and discussion followed.

Following discussion, Council Member Jester moved to adopt the item as presented. Motion seconded by Council Member Holland.

Motion carried.

AYES (6): Mayor Hudspeth, Council Members Beck, Byrd, Holland, Jester, and McGee

NAYS (0): None

ABSENT (1): Mayor Pro Tem Meltzer

B. ID 25-1023 Issue the following to newly Elected Council Member:
- Certificate of Election
- Statement of Officer
- Oaths of Office

PRESENTED

A Certificate of Election was presented to Council Member Rumohr by Mayor Gerard Hudspeth. The Texas Statement of Officer, Texas State Oath of Office and City of Denton Oath of Office were administered to Council Member Rumohr - District 3 by City Secretary, Lauren Thoden.

No action was taken as the item was for presentation purposes only.

Council Member Rumohr took her place at the dais as Council Member for District 3. Members of Council now consisted of Mayor Gerard Hudspeth and Council Members Brian Beck, Vicki Byrd, Joe Holland, Jill Jester, Brandon Chase McGee, and Suzi Rumohr.

C. ID 25-448 Election of Mayor Pro Tem.
MAYOR PRO TEM RUMOHR ELECTED

Mayor Hudspeth made a motion nominating Council Member Holland for Mayor Pro Tem.

Motion seconded by Council Member Jester.

Motion failed.

AYES (3): Mayor Hudspeth and Council Members Holland and Jester.

NAYS (4): Council Members Beck, Byrd, McGee and Rumohr.

Mayor Hudspeth made a motion nominating Council Member Jester for Mayor Pro Tem.

Motion seconded by Council Member Holland.

Motion failed.

AYES (3): Mayor Hudspeth and Council Members Holland and Jester.

NAYS (4): Council Members Beck, Byrd, McGee and Rumohr.

Mayor Hudspeth made a motion nominating Council Member Rumohr for Mayor Pro Tem.

Motion seconded by Council Member Holland.

Motion failed.

AYES (3): Mayor Hudspeth and Council Members Beck and Holland.

NAYS (4): Council Members Byrd, Jester, McGee and Rumohr.

Council Member Rumohr made a motion nominating herself for Mayor Pro Tem.

Motion seconded by Mayor Hudspeth.

Motion passed.

AYES (5): Mayor Hudspeth and Council Members Beck, Holland, Jester and Rumohr.

NAYS (2): Council Members Byrd and McGee.

3. CONCLUDING ITEMS

None.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:24 p.m.

GERARD HUDSPETH
MAYOR
CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS

LAUREN THODEN
CITY SECRETARY
CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS

MINUTES APPROVED ON: AUGUST 19, 2025