

**CITY OF SANTA CLARITA  
MINUTES OF SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
DECEMBER 6, 2006**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Weste called the meeting to order at 5:42 p.m. in the City Council Chamber, 23920 Valencia Blvd., Santa Clarita, CA.

**ROLL CALL**

All Councilmembers were present.

**FLAG SALUTE**

Councilmember Kellar led the flag salute.

**WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Ken Puskamp, City Manager, provided introductory comments and summarized the process to date. Carl Newton, City Attorney, provided information on the Council's options based on Government Code Section 36512.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Addressing the Council at this time was John Hoskinson representing Gruber Systems Inc. supporting Bill Kennedy; John Lukes supporting Maria Gutzeit; Tim Shaner supporting Bill Kennedy; Connie Worden-Roberts supporting Bob Spierer; Gloria Mercado-Fortine supporting Bob Spierer; Joanne Halliday supporting Laurie Ender; and Sheldon Allen supporting Bob Spierer.

**CITY COUNCIL APPLICANT INTERVIEWS**

Interviews of the following candidates were held:  
Laurie Ender; Maria Gutzeit; Bob Spierer.

**RECESS AND RECONVENE**

Mayor Weste called a recess at 7:35 p.m. and reconvened the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

**CITY COUNCIL APPLICANT INTERVIEWS (continued)**

Interviews of the following candidates were held:  
Bill Kennedy; Bill Bolde

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Addressing the Panel at this time in support of Laurie Ender was Thomas Yoshioka, Matt Halliday, Brenda Kealing, Emily Iland, Joe Kensil, Curt Chase, Mark Johnson, John Posey, and Dee Dee Jacobson; in support of Bill Bolde was Daniel Williams, and Mike Gaston; in support of Bill Kennedy was W. Harold Petersen; in support of Bob Spierer was Grace Elliott, Frank Kleeman, Ray Enter, Glo Donnelly, Don Rodriguez, and John Price.

**ADD BRUCE MCFARLAND**

Four written comments were submitted; one supporting Bob Spierer and three supporting Laurie Ender.

**COUNCIL DISCUSSION AND ACTION**

Councilmembers began discussion of the process and the candidates.

**RECESS AND RECONVENE**

Mayor Weste called a recess at 9:46 p.m. and reconvened the meeting at 10:00 p.m.

**COUNCIL DISCUSSION AND ACTION (continued)**

Councilmembers continued discussion of the candidates and on making a decision.

**Motion by Kellar, second by Ferry, to continue this item to the December 12, 2006 meeting.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Weste adjourned the special meeting at 10:35 p.m.

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**MAYOR**

**ATTEST:**

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**CITY CLERK**

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