



A Reorganization Meeting of the West Fargo City Commission was held on Tuesday, June 26, 2012, at 7:00 P.M. Those present were Rich Mattern, Lou Bennett, Mark Simmons, Mike Thorstad and Duane Hanson. The meeting was called to order by Rich Mattern, President of the Board.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Commissioner Mark Simmons and Commissioner Mike Thorstad were sworn in by Municipal Judge Susan Bailey and the Oath of Office forms signed accordingly.

Commissioner Bennett moved and Commissioner Simmons seconded to nominate Commissioner Duane Hanson as Vice President of the City Commission. There were no further nominations. No opposition to the motion. Motion carried.

City Auditor James Brownlee appeared before the Commission to explain the change in the positions that are being appointed and advised that a City Ordinance change will be proposed for City Commission approval that will actually reflect the practices that are being done. Commissioner Hanson moved and Commissioner Thorstad seconded to approve the following appointments. No opposition. Motion carried.

City Administrator/Auditor	James Brownlee
Finance Director/Assistant Auditor	Tina Gustafson
City Attorney	Brian Neugebauer
Assistant City Attorney	John Shockley
Assistant City Attorney	Christopher McShane
City Engineer	Kevin Bucholz
Assistant City Engineer	Dustin Scott
Police Chief	Arland Rasmussen
Assistant City Health Officer	Grant Larson

Mayor Mattern recommended the following portfolios:

Sanitation	Lou Bennett
Sewer and Water	Duane Hanson
Police and Fire	Mike Thorstad
Streets	Mark Simmons
Finance and City Hall	Rich Mattern

Commissioner Simmons moved and Commissioner Bennett seconded to accept the portfolios as recommended by Mayor Mattern. No opposition. Motion carried.

Mayor Rich Mattern recommended the following secondary portfolios:

Sanitation	Mark Simmons
Sewer and Water	Lou Bennett
Police and Fire	Duane Hanson
Streets	Mike Thorstad

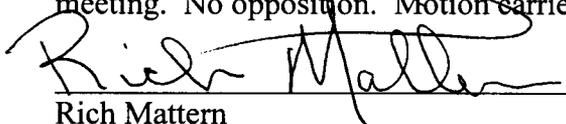
Commissioner Simmons moved and Commissioner Hanson seconded to accept the secondary portfolios as recommended by Mayor Mattern. No opposition. Motion carried.

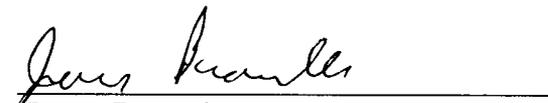
Commissioner Simmons moved and Commissioner Bennett seconded to approve the following committee appointments:

WF Economic Development Advisory	Mark Simmons
Library Board	Mike Thorstad
Cass County Planning and Zoning	Lou Bennett
Cable TV	Duane Hanson
Airport Authority Liaison	Rich Mattern
Public Health	Mike Thorstad
Urban Forestry Committee	Lou Bennett
Greater FM Economic Development	Rich Mattern

No opposition. Motion carried.

Commissioner Bennett moved and Commissioner Hanson seconded to adjourn the meeting. No opposition. Motion carried.

  
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Rich Mattern  
President of the Board

  
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James Brownlee  
City Auditor