

CITY OF ST. FRANCIS  
ST. FRANCIS, MN

SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 2014

4:30 PM

1. **Call to Order:** Mayor Jerry Tveit called the Special City Council meeting to order at 4:30 pm at the St. Francis City Hall, 23340 Cree Street NW.
2. **Roll Call:** Mayor Jerry Tveit, Council members Chris McClish, Tim Brown and Amy Lazere. Also present were Rich Skordahl and City Clerk Barb Held.
- 3: **City Council Vacancy:** The purpose of the Special meeting is to fill the council vacancy created by Mike Haggard's resignation at the December 2, 2013 City Council meeting. The City Council received four applications for the City Council vacancy. The applicants were; Steve Kane, Richard Orpen, Jeff Sandoval and Richard Skordahl. Three of the candidates were interviewed by the City Council at the December 16, 2013 regular meeting. Steve Kane was not available to attend the council meeting because of a prior commitment. The applicants were asked a series of questions. Kane submitted his answers to the council in writing.

The appointment to this open seat will be in office until the next general election which will occur in November, 2014. After discussion by the council members they encouraged all the applicants to run for office this year.

MOTION BY LAZERE SECOND McCLISH TO APPOINT STEVE KANE TO FILL THE VACANT CITY COUNCIL SEAT CREATED BY MIKE HAGGARD'S RESIGNATION. Motion carried 4-0.

The Special City Council meeting adjourned at 4:41 pm.

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Barbara I. Held  
City Clerk