

**Action Minutes  
Special City Council Meeting  
City Attorney Interviews  
City Council Chambers, Sedona City Hall,  
102 Roadrunner Drive, Sedona, Arizona  
Thursday, July 16, 2020, 8:45 a.m.**

**1. Call to Order**

Mayor Moriarty called the meeting to order at 8:45 a.m.

**2. Roll Call**

**Council Present:** Mayor Sandy Moriarty, Vice Mayor John Martinez, Councilor Bill Chisholm, Councilor John Currivan, Councilor Scott Jablow, Councilor Tom Lamkin, Councilor Jessica Williamson.

**Staff in attendance:** City Manager Justin Clifton (via Zoom), Assistant City Manager/Director of Community Development Karen Osburn, Human Resources Manager Brenda Tammarine, City Attorney Robert Pickels, Jr., City Clerk Susan Irvine.

**3. Special Business**

**Motion: Councilor Chisholm moved to enter into Executive Session at 8:47 a.m. Seconded by Councilor Williamson. Vote: Motion carried unanimously with seven (7) in favor (Moriarty, Martinez, Chisholm, Currivan, Jablow, Lamkin, and Williamson) and zero (0) opposed.**

a. **Interviews with candidates for City Attorney. Discussion and consultation regarding personnel matters per A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(1) specifically to discuss the employment and/or appointment of a person to fill the City Attorney position. Candidates to be interviewed are:**

- i. **Kurt Christianson**
- ii. **Magdalena Jorquez**
- iii. **Michael Hamblin**
- iv. **Jack Fields**
- v. **Melissa Cornelius**

Reconvened in open session at 4:05 p.m.

b. **Return to open session. Discussion/possible action regarding executive session items.**

**Motion: Councilor Williamson moved to authorize staff to negotiate for the City Attorney as directed during the Executive Session. Seconded by Councilor Currivan. Vote: Motion carried unanimously with seven (7) in favor (Moriarty, Martinez, Chisholm, Currivan, Jablow, Lamkin, and Williamson) and zero (0) opposed.**

**4. Adjournment**

Mayor Moriarty adjourned the meeting at 4:05 p.m.

I certify that the above are the true and correct actions of the Special City Council Meeting held on July 16, 2020.

Susan L. Irvine  
Susan L. Irvine, CMC, City Clerk

07/28/2020  
Date