

**MINUTES OF WORKSHOP MEETING  
ETHICS TRAINING**

The Ethics Training Workshop Meeting of the City Commission of the City of Weston was conducted in-person on Wednesday, December 13, 2023 at 2:00 PM at Weston City Hall, 17200 Royal Palm Boulevard, Weston, Florida.

Present and constituting a quorum were:

Margaret Brown	Mayor
Byron L. Jaffe	Commissioner
Mary Molina-Macfie	Commissioner
Chris Eddy	Commissioner
Henry Mead	Commissioner

Also present were:

Donald P. Decker	City Manager/CEO
Patricia A. Bates, MMC	City Clerk
Jamie Alan Cole	City Attorney, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL
Robert Meyers	Asst. City Attorney, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL
Karen Lieberman	Asst. City Attorney, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL
Anne Flanigan	Partner, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL
Thaddeus Bielecki	Director of Landscaping
Martha Perez-Garviso	Director of Procurement

**FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS**

**Roll Call**

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 2:02 PM.

City Clerk Patricia Bates called the roll.

**SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS**

**City Commission Ethics Training – 4  
hours**

City Attorney Jamie Cole provided a presentation on An Elected Official’s Life. Discussion and questions ensued between the City Commission and City Attorneys.

Anne Flanigan, Partner, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL provided a presentation on Ethics Considerations for Intellectual Property and Municipalities. Discussion and questions ensued between the City Commission and City Attorneys.

Assistant City Attorney Robert Meyers provided a presentation on Form 6 Highlights and Lowlights for the City of Weston. Discussion and questions ensued between the City Commission and City Attorneys.

**CITY COMMISSION WORKSHOP RECESSED AT 3:53 PM**

**CITY COMMISSION WORKSHOP RECONVENED AT 4:03 PM**

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 4:03 PM.

City Attorneys Jamie Cole and Karen Lieberman moderated the Florida Ethics U Discuss Game. City Commission versus City Staff. All members of the City Commission participated in the game.

Discussion and questions ensued between the City Commission and City Attorneys.

**THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS**

The meeting adjourned at 5:34 PM.

**Adjournment**

  
Margaret Brown, Mayor

WEDNESDAY  
DECEMBER 13, 2023  
2:00 P.M.



WESTON CITY HALL  
17200 ROYAL PALM BOULEVARD  
WESTON, FLORIDA

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**CITY COMMISSION  
ETHICS TRAINING WORKSHOP AGENDA**

1. Roll Call
2. City Commission Ethics Training – 4 hours
3. Adjournment

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**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT ETHICS TRAINING**

The public is invited to attend the ethics training, but there will be no public participation at the session.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes 286.0105, if a person decides to appeal any decision made by the body with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Florida Statutes Section 286.26, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the City Clerk's Office at (954) 385-2000 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.