

MINUTES OF WORKSHOP MEETING CITY OF WESTON

A joint workshop meeting of the City Commission and the Charter Review Board of the City of Weston was held on Monday, January 22, 2024 at 6:00 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
Jacqueline Boswell	Charter Review Board Chair
Marc Weiss	Charter Review Board Vice Chair
Fabio Andrade	Charter Review Board Member
Toby Feuer	Charter Review Board Member
Peter Pecci	Charter Review Board Member

Also present were:

Donald P. Decker	City Manager/CEO
Darrel L. Thomas	Assistant City Manager/CFO
Patricia A. Bates, MMC	City Clerk
Jamie Alan Cole	City Attorney, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL
Karen Lieberman	Asst. City Attorney, Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, PL

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS

Roll Call

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

City Clerk Patricia Bates called the roll.

SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS

Summary of Charter Review Process

Mayor Brown provided an introduction. City Manager Don Decker reviewed the Charter Review process which began at the first Board meeting on April 18, 2023. The Charter Review Board continued to meet with the City Manager and City Attorneys at meetings held on May 9, 2023, May 23, 2023, June 13, 2023, and June 27, 2023.

THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS

**Charter Review Board
Recommendations**
a. **Commission Vice Chair**
b. **Charter Review Board Chair and
Vice Chair**

City Attorney Jamie Cole reviewed the proposed Charter amendments and ballot questions. Section 2.02, the addition of an appointed Vice Mayor to the City Commission, and Section 7.05, addition of the Charter Review Board selecting from among its members a Chair and a Vice Chair at its first meeting. Discussion and questions ensued between the Commission, Board Members and Staff.

FOURTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

**Potential Additional City Commission
Recommendations**

Discussion and questions ensued between the Commission, Board Members and Staff. No additional recommendations were made.

FIFTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

Upcoming Schedule

City Attorney Jamie Cole will draft an ordinance with the proposed Charter amendments for City Commission review and approval. A Resolution with the proposed ballot language will be presented to the City Commission for adoption at the second hearing of the ordinance.

The Referendum Ballot language is to be submitted to the Supervisor of Election on June 10, 2024.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:15 PM.


Margaret Brown, Mayor

MONDAY
JANUARY 22, 2024
6:00 PM



WESTON CITY HALL
17200 ROYAL PALM BOULEVARD
WESTON, FLORIDA

CITY COMMISSION / CHARTER REVIEW BOARD
JOINT WORKSHOP AGENDA

1. Roll Call
2. Summary of Charter Review Process
3. Charter Review Board Recommendations
 - a. Commission Vice Mayor
 - b. Charter Review Board Chair and Vice Chair
4. Potential Additional City Commission Recommendations
5. Upcoming Schedule
6. Adjournment

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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT COMMISSION MEETINGS

Although the Public is invited to attend the workshop, there will be no public participation at the meeting as discussion is limited to members of the City Commission, Charter Review Board, and Staff only.

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.