



**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
TOWN OF REDINGTON SHORES
SPECIAL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 2025
MINUTES**

A **Special Meeting** of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Redington Shores, Florida, was convened at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Mayor Commissioner Tom Kapper, Vice Mayor Commissioner Erin Schoos, Commissioner Larry Maynard

Members Absent: Commissioner CJ Hoyt

Other Municipal Officials Present: Town Clerk Margaret Carey, Deputy Clerk Melissa Fultz, Town Attorney Rob Eschenfelder, Building Official Rob Peebles, Public Works Supervisor Mike Pafumi, Chief of Police Rick Swann (ISPD), Lt. Dan Doherty (ISPD), Division Chief Rob Williams (Seminole Fire).

1. **ROLL CALL BY THE TOWN CLERK**
2. **APPEARANCES AND PRESENTATIONS – none.**
3. **OLD BUSINESS – none.**
4. **NEW BUSINESS**

a. DISTRICT 1 COMMISSIONER

Clerk Carey informed that two residents had expressed interest in the District 1 Commissioner seat, Mr. Douglas Harr and Mr. Bryan Sykes. Clerk Carey noted Mr. Sykes was unable to attend, but Mr. Harr was present to introduce himself.

Mr. Harr stated he has been a resident of Redington Shores since 2011, and he is a former insurance company founder that has since sold his business. He expressed interest in bringing his professional experience to provide public service to the Town.

Clerk Carey noted Mr. Sykes had submitted a letter expressing his interest in serving the Town though he was unable to be in attendance to the meeting.

Public comments were requested prior to the selection of the Commissioner. Resident Colleen Woodburn asked the Commission if any members had spoken to either candidate.

Commissioner Maynard said he had spoken with Mr. Harr, and he was pleased with the responses to his questions. Commissioner Maynard noted he was unable to reach Mr. Sykes.

Mayor Kapper noted he had spoken with Mr. Harr and has known him personally as his neighbor. He stated Mr. Harr had expressed his interest in serving as Commissioner for the Town. Mayor Kapper was unable to speak with Mr. Sykes.

Vice Mayor Schoos stated she had spoken with her constituents and was impressed with Mr. Harr.

Commissioner Maynard made a motion to nominate Mr. Harr for Commissioner of District 1. Vice Mayor Schoos seconded. All were in favor.

Mr. Harr was sworn in as Commissioner of District 1 by Attorney Eschenfelder.


5. MISCELLANEOUS

Chief Swann noted the Hurricane Awareness and Preparation Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, May 7, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. at Indian Shores Community Center, Fourth Floor.

6. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Margaret Carey
Town Clerk



Date Approved by Board of Commissioners