

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE COMMON COUNCIL
HELD JANUARY 1, 2024**

A special meeting of the City Council of the City of Long Beach was held on Monday January 1, 2024.

Present were Council Members Bendo, Finn, Fiumara, Lester, and Reinhart.

Corporation Counsel Dennis Cohen and Acting City Manager Ronald Walsh were also present.

The ceremonial induction of the City Council was held prior to the special meeting.

The calendar items were read by the City Clerk

#1 – Resolution Electing a Temporary President of the City Council of the City of Long Beach.

Mr. Fraser clarified that the term “Temporary President” is the technical term for City Council Vice President.

Council Member Reinhart made a motion to add Chris Fiumara to the item as Temporary President and to vote on the item. It was seconded by Mr. Finn and was passed unanimously.

#2 – Resolution Electing a President of the City Council of the City of Long Beach.

Council Member Reinhart made a motion to add Brendan Finn to the item as President and to vote on the item. It was seconded by Mr. Fiumara and was passed by four affirmative votes. Council Member Lester abstained.

Voting:

Editor’s note: Items were voted on during the motion when the items were called.

Council Member Reinhart introduced and moved the adoption of the following resolution (as amended), seconded by Mr. Finn, and it was duly adopted, all five council members present voting in the affirmative.

(RES. #1/24)

Resolution Electing a Temporary President of the City Council of the City of Long Beach

Council Member Reinhart introduced and moved the adoption of the following resolution (as amended), seconded by Mr. Fiumara, and it was duly adopted by four affirmative votes. Council Member Lester abstained.

(RES. #2/24)

Resolution Electing a President of the City Council of the City of Long Beach.

There being no further business before the Council, Council Member Bendo made a motion to close the meeting. It was seconded by Ms. Reinhart and was duly closed, all five council members present voting in the affirmative.

Dated: January 2, 2024

David W. Fraser
City Clerk