

**City Commission Meeting
December 13, 2022
6:00 p.m.**

ELECTED OFFICIALS PRESENT:

Alan Johnson, Mayor
Chris Graus, Vice Mayor, Commissioner, District 1
Mark Grill, Commissioner, District 2
Ward Friszolowski, Commissioner, District 3
Melinda Pletcher, Commissioner, District 4

STAFF PRESENT:

Alex Rey, City Manager
Matthew McConnell, Assistant City Attorney
Amber LaRowe, City Clerk

Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Motion: **Commissioner Pletcher moved, Commissioner Friszolowski seconded, and the motion carried 5-0 to approve the December 13, 2022, City Commission Agenda.**

2. AUDIENCE COMMENTS

No comments.

3. CONSENT

- a. Appointment to the City of St. Pete Beach Police Pension Board**
- b. Authorization of Resilient Florida Grant Agreement to perform a vulnerability assessment**
- c. Authorization of grant-funded expenditures to perform a vulnerability assessment**

Mr. Frank Wood, the applicant for the Police Pension Board, introduced himself and informed the Commission that he moved here a couple of years ago and has been looking for a way to get involved.

Motion: **Vice Mayor Graus moved, Commissioner Grill seconded, and the motion carried 5-0 to approve the December 13, 2022, Consent Agenda as presented by the City Manager.**

4. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

There were none.

5. CITY CLERK, CITY MANAGER, CITY ATTORNEY, AND CITY COMMISSION REPORTS

Staff and the Commission wished everyone a Happy Holiday, Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year.

Alex Rey, City Manager—wished Mr. McConnell a Happy Birthday.

Commissioner Pletcher—mentioned that the Pass-A-Grille Bonfire scheduled for this Thursday is being moved to this Friday, December 16th. On Saturday, December 17th, the golf cart parade will be going through Pass-A-Grille.

She commented on the Boat Parade last week and said it was well attended.

Commissioner Friszolowski—mentioned the following events:

- Santa drives through St. Pete Beach on December 15th for the north section of the Island
- Santa drives through St. Pete Beach on December 16th for the south section of the Island
- Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council Resiliency Summit to be held at Tradewinds May 4 and 5

Commissioner Grill—complimented the City staff on working diligently for red tide cleanup.

Three Palm Point HOA will be hosting the 51st annual luminary light-up in their neighborhood on Christmas Eve, there will be over 1,000 lit.

Mr. Grill thanked the staff for a good year of work and activities in improving the City.

Vice Mayor Graus—also thanked staff for all their hard work this year.

Mayor Johnson—attended a sea level rise seminar on Monday in Tampa; it was a nice one-day conference.

He mentioned the Channel 13 interview on red tide.

He echoed the sentiments expressed by Commissioner Grill and Vice Mayor Graus.

Mayor Johnson adjourned the meeting at 6:18 p.m.

MINUTES APPROVED: JANUARY 10, 2023



AMBER LAROWE
CITY CLERK



ALAN JOHNSON
MAYOR