

**MIDLAND CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES
January 07, 2013**

The City Council convened in a Special Session in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Midland, Texas, at 10:05 a.m. on January 07, 2013.

Council Members present: Mayor W. Wesley Perry, Mayor Pro Tem Jerry Morales (At-Large), Council Member Scott Dufford (At-Large), Council Member Jeff Sparks (District 1), Council Member Vicky Hailey (District 2), Council Member John James (District 3), and Council Member Michael Trost (District 4).

1. Conduct Swearing-In Ceremony and all ancillary matters related thereto for the newly-elected Council Members.

The invocation was led by Pastor Tommy Hale of Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church.

The Midland Fire Department Honor Guard presented the colors followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

City Secretary Amy Turner administered the Oath of Office to each newly elected officer, as follows:

W. Jeffrey Sparks	Council Member, District 1
John B. Love	Council Member, District 2
Jerry F. Morales	Council Member, At-Large
A. Scott Dufford	Council Member, At-Large

Mayor Perry presented a proclamation, flowers and a clock to outgoing Council Member Vicky Hailey thanking her for her dedicated service to the City of Midland.

Each Council Member was given an opportunity to speak. Many thanked Vicky Hailey for her service to the Council, and thanked their families and the residents of Midland for placing their trust in them.

All of the business at hand having been completed, the meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

PASSED AND APPROVED the 22nd day of January, 2013.

W. Wesley Perry, Mayor

ATTEST:

Amy M. Turner, Interim City Secretary