

**MIDLAND CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES
July 18, 2023**



The City Council convened in regular session in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Midland, Texas, at 10:00 a.m., July 18, 2023.

Council Members present: Amy Stretcher Burkes, Dan Corrales, Robin Poole, Lori Blong, Scott Dufford, Jack Ladd

Council Members absent: John Norman

Staff members present: Interim City Manager Morris Williams Jr., Assistant City Manager Tina Jauz

The meeting was called to order at 1:33 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSION

1. Attend a media meeting with new City Manager Tommy Gonzalez

Mayor Blong introduced and welcomed Tommy Gonzalez and his family to Midland. Mr. Gonzalez will be Midland's City Manager beginning July 31, 2023.

Mr. Gonzalez introduced himself and his family and reported he is excited to began working for the City of Midland. Mr. Gonzalez took questions from the news media regarding the direction of the City, his plans for the future and working together with City staff and Council.

All the business at hand having been completed, the meeting adjourned at 1:49 p.m.

PASSED AND APPROVED July 25, 2023.

Lori Blong, Mayor

ATTEST:

Marcia Bentley-German
City Governance Officer/City Secretary