



The City Council convened in **Special** Session in the City Hall Council Chamber, Midland, Texas, at 10:30 AM, Thursday, March 27, 2025.

Council Members present: John Burkholder, Amy Stretcher Burkes, Robin Poole, Lori Blong, Brian Stubbs, Jack Ladd, John Norman

Council Members absent: None

Staff members present: City Attorney John Ohnemiller, Deputy City Manager Morris Williams Jr., Assistant City Manager Jose Ortiz, City Governance Officer/City Secretary Marcia Bentley-German, Airports Director Justine Ruff, Deputy City Secretary Jan Hamilton, General Services Director Regina Stephenson, First Assistant City Attorney Stephen Gates, Planning & Development Officer Elizabeth Triggs, Attendee Nicholas Toulet-Crump, Attendee Stewart Doreen

The meeting was called to order at 10:33 a.m.

SPECIAL SESSION

1. 2025-047 – RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH JOHN OHNEMILLER TO SERVE IN THE POSITION OF SPECIAL COUNSEL TO THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

Jack Ladd moved to approve Resolution No. 2025-047; seconded by John Burkholder.

The motion passed by the following vote:

AYE: Burkholder, Stretcher Burkes, Poole, Blong, Stubbs, Ladd, Norman

NAY: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

Mayor Blong thanked City Attorney John Ohnemiller for his work with the City of Midland.

City Attorney John Ohnemiller reported that he appreciates Council for their support.

2. 2025-048 – RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF NICHOLAS TOULET-CRUMP TO THE POSITION OF INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND,

TEXAS; AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN
EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH NICHOLAS TOULET-CRUMP

Brian Stubbs moved to approve Resolution No. 2025-048; seconded by Amy Stretcher Burkes.

The motion passed by the following vote:

AYE: Burkholder, Stretcher Burkes, Poole, Blong, Stubbs, Ladd, Norman

NAY: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

Mayor Blong reported she looks forward to working together.

All the business at hand having been completed, the meeting adjourned at 10:36 a.m.

PASSED AND APPROVED April 8, 2025.

Lori Blong, Mayor

ATTEST:

Marcia Bentley-German
City Governance Officer/City Secretary