

**CITY OF MASON  
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING  
DECEMBER 1, 2017**

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. Chaplain Edinson DeArco opened the meeting in prayer. Posting of Colors was provided by Mason Police Department Honor Guard followed by recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

**OATH OF OFFICE**

The Oath of Office for Councilmember was taken by Council-Elect Ashley Chance and Diana K. Nelson administered by Judge Robert Peeler, Council-Elect Michael E. Gilb administered by Warren County Commissioner Tom Grossmann, and Council-Elect T.J. Honerlaw administered by Justice Sharon Kennedy.

**ATTENDANCE**

The following members of Council were present: Diana K. Nelson, Barbara Berry-Spaeth, Ashley Chance, Kathy Grossmann, Michael E. Gilb, T.J. Honerlaw, and Victor Kidd.

**ELECTION OF MAYOR**

Mayor Kidd opened the floor to accept nominations for the office of Mayor. Vice Mayor Spaeth reflected on the accomplishments over the last two years with Victor Kidd as Mayor. Based on these accomplishments, Vice Mayor Spaeth nominated Victor Kidd, seconded by Councilmember Nelson. VOTE: ALL YEAS.

Roll call vote taken, 7 YEAS for Victor Kidd. Upon conclusion of the vote, it was determined that Victor Kidd is elected Mayor of the City of Mason.

Victor Kidd took the Oath of Office for Mayor of the City of Mason as administered by Judge Robert Peeler.

**ELECTION OF VICE MAYOR**

Mayor Kidd opened the floor to accept nominations for the office of Vice Mayor. Councilmember Nelson nominated Barbara Berry-Spaeth, seconded by Councilmember Chance. VOTE: ALL YEAS.

Roll call vote taken, 7 YEAS for Barbara Berry-Spaeth. Upon conclusion of the vote, it was determined that Barbara Berry-Spaeth is elected Vice Mayor of the City of Mason.

Barbara Berry-Spaeth took the Oath of Office for Vice Mayor of the City of Mason as administered by Judge Robert Peeler.

## **MAYOR COMMENTS**

Mayor Kidd expressed joy in the opportunity of serving with Council and the City.

## **COUNCIL COMMENTS**

Council thanked their families, co-workers and residents for their support and the opportunity to serve the community. Council plans to keep the City moving in the right direction.

Councilmember Grossmann made a motion to add a work session at 5:30 p.m. on December 11, seconded by Councilmember Honerlaw. VOTE: ALL YEAS.

## **ADJOURN**

A motion to adjourn was made by Councilmember Honerlaw, seconded by Councilmember Nelson. VOTE: ALL YEAS. TIME: 6:08 p.m.