

## MINUTES

**City of Geneva**  
Re-Organizational Meeting  
December 3, 2007  
7:30 p.m.

Jim Pearson called the Re-Organizational Meeting to order.

Jim Pearson recognized outgoing Council President Dennis Brown. Mr. Pearson explained that he worked with Denny Brown for 35 years and stated that Mr. Brown has served the community as a police officer, 16 years on City Council, and was instrumental in starting the senior program. Mr. Pearson presented Denny Brown with the City ring and stated that there are no words to demonstrate Mr. Brown's dedication and how much he has done for the community.

Denny Brown thanked Jim Pearson and stated that he loved the City of Geneva, his family for giving him the chance to serve the City, and the voters for electing him.

Denny Brown administered the Oath of Office to newly elected Council Member Bruce Beckwith. Jim Pearson administered the Oath of Office to re-elected Council Members Bill Buskirk, Crystal Latimer, and Jeff Piotrowski.

Roll Call – Beckwith, Buskirk, Cordova, Ebersole, Fuller, Latimer, and Piotrowski.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was said and prayer was offered by Laurie Donatone.

Jim Pearson asked for nominations for President of Council.

Motion by Latimer, seconded by Ebersole nominating Rodger Fuller for President. No other nominations. Roll call on motion, 7 yeas.

Rodger Fuller thanked Council for their vote.

Rodger Fuller asked for nominations for Vice President of Council.

Motion by Cordova, seconded by Ebersole nominating William Buskirk for Vice President. Roll call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Cordova, seconded by Piotrowski that the nominations be closed. Roll call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Latimer, seconded by Buskirk to appoint Laurie Donatone, Clerk of Council. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Buskirk, seconded by Cordova to appoint Lauren Gardner, City Solicitor. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Ebersole, seconded by Cordova to appoint Crystal Latimer to the Fire Dependency Board. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Buskirk, seconded by Ebersole to appoint Philip Cordova to the Fire Dependency Board. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Cordova, seconded by Piotrowski to appoint Kim Ebersole to the Northwest Ambulance District Board. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Cordova, seconded by Ebersole to appoint William Buskirk to the Joint Cemetery Board. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Ebersole, seconded by Buskirk to appoint Philip Cordova to the Planning Commission. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Latimer, seconded by Cordova to appoint Jeffrey Piotrowski to the Geneva Community Improvement Corporation. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Motion by Cordova, seconded by Ebersole to appoint Bruce Beckwith to the Income Tax Board of Appeals. Roll Call, 7 yeas.

Rodger Fuller announced the following Committee Appointments:  
Finance – Jeffrey Piotrowski – Chair, William Buskirk, Bruce Beckwith  
Safety – Bruce Beckwith – Chair, Philip Cordova, Kim Ebersole  
Utilities – William Buskirk – Chair, Crystal Latimer, Jeffrey Piotrowski  
Planning – Philip Cordova – Chair, Kim Ebersole, Crystal Latimer  
Streets – Crystal Latimer – Chair, Jeffrey Piotrowski, Bruce Beckwith  
Service – Kim Ebersole – Chair, William Buskirk, Philip Cordova

Jim Pearson stated that a Finance Committee Meeting is scheduled for Friday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 a.m. to discuss the City budget and the Chamber Awards Dinner is Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>.

Rodger Fuller stated that Council photos will be taken and refreshments will be served after tonight's meeting.

Re-Organizational Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Recorded by: Laurie Donatone  
Clerk of Council

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