

# ITEM NO. 8A2

## MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS

**SPECIAL MEETING – August 24, 2015**

THESE MINUTES ISSUED FOR  
INFORMATION ONLY AND ARE  
SUBJECT TO AMENDMENT AND  
APPROVAL AT NEXT MEETING.

### 1. **CALL TO ORDER**

The City Council met in Special Session at 5:30 p.m., Monday, August 24, 2015, in the Council Chamber, 3191 Katella Avenue, Mayor Murphy presiding.

### 2. **ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Council Members: Grose, Hasselbrink, Kusumoto,  
Mayor Pro Tem Edgar (arrived 5:37 p.m.),  
Mayor Murphy

**Absent:** Council Members: None

**Present:** Staff: Bret M. Plumlee, City Manager  
Lisa Kranitz, Assistant City Attorney  
Jason Al-Imam, Administrative Services Director  
Tony Brandyberry, Public Works Superintendent  
Corey Lakin, Recreation and Community Services Director  
Steven Mendoza, Development Services Director  
Windmera Quintanar, CMC, City Clerk

### 3. **SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY**

#### A. **Interview Applicants for Commissions** (City Clerk)

This report provided relevant information by which the City Council may appoint members to the Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Arts and Planning Commissions.

Mayor Murphy advised applicant Harry Kartinen had withdrawn his application.

The City Council interviewed applicant John Riley.

Mayor Murphy asked if the recording the Planning Commission meetings had affected the Commission.

Applicant Riley stated the recording has not affected him at all and he believed it was a good way to reference past meetings.

The City Council interviewed applicant Larry Andrade.

Council Member Grose questioned if Cable Television Applicant, Robert Wahlstrom, would be interviewed.

City Clerk Quintanar advised he had been contacted. Mr. Wahlstrom indicated he would consider the Commission and had advised he would be out of town.

Mayor Murphy stated there were two applicants for two seats. He indicated the longest term would go to the applicant with the greatest support. City Clerk Quintanar passed out the Indications of Support.

City Clerk Quintanar read the Indications of Support aloud: Larry Andrade – 3 and John Riley – 5.

Motion/Second: Murphy/Hasselbrink

Unanimously Carried: The City Council appointed Larry Andrade with a term expiring December 2017, and John Riley with a term expiring December 2018, to the Planning Commission.

Mayor Murphy advised Commissioner-Elect Andrade would begin service at the September meeting.

Council Member Hasselbrink requested the meeting be adjourned in memory of Brian Collette who passed away at the age of 42 from cancer.

**4. ADJOURNMENT**

The City Council adjourned in memory of Brian Collette at 5:45 p.m.

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Richard D. Murphy, Mayor

Attest:

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Windmera Quintanar, CMC, City Clerk