

1. CALL TO ORDER

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was convened at 9:15 p.m. at City Hall, 8880 Clark Avenue, Parkville, Missouri on December 17, 2024, and was called to order by Mayor Dean Katerndahl. City Clerk Melissa McChesney called the roll as follows:

Present:

Ward 1 Alderman Tina Welch
Ward 1 Alderman Philip Wassmer (*via videoconference*)
Ward 2 Alderman Brian T. Whitley
Ward 2 Alderman Bob Bennett
Ward 3 Alderman Douglas Wylie
Ward 3 Alderman Stephen Melton
Ward 4 Alderman Michael Lee

Absent:

None

A quorum of the Board of Aldermen was present.

The following staff was also present:

Alexa Barton, City Administrator
Bryan Kidney, Deputy City Administrator/Finance Director
Jeffery Rhodes, Assistant City Administrator
Kevin Chrisman, Police Chief
Stephen Lachky, Community Development Director
Brittanie Propes, Parks & Recreation Director
John Mautino, City Attorney

2. ACTION AGENDA

A. Consider Mayor's proposed appointment of Evan Maxon as Ward 4 Alderman

Mayor Katerndahl stated that he, Alderman Berberich and Alderman Lee interviewed four candidates that applied for the position, noting they had a broad range of backgrounds. He recommended appointing Evan Maxon.

Evan Maxon, nominee, said he looked forward to being part of the discussion, was a resident at Creekside for two years, and previously lived in Riss Lake.

Alderman Whitley shared his concerns with the process being during candidate filing for the April 2025 election and said he did not support the way it was handled. Alderman Welch said she felt the same way.

ACTION: IT WAS MOVED BY ALDERMAN WYLIE AND SECONDED BY ALDERMAN LEE TO APPOINT EVAN MAXON AS WARD 4 ALDERMAN THROUGH THE SECOND MEETING IN APRIL 2025.

City Attorney John Mautino recommended that the motion confirm the mayor's appointment instead of approving it.

RESULT: ALDERMAN LEE WITHDREW HIS SECOND.

ACTION: IT WAS MOVED BY ALDERMAN WYLIE AND SECONDED BY ALDERMAN LEE TO **CONFIRM THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF EVAN MAXON AS WARD 4 ALDERMAN THROUGH THE SECOND MEETING IN APRIL 2025.**

RESULT: MOTION PASSED 5-0.

AYES: PHILIP WASSMER, BOB BENNETT, DOUGLAS WYLIE, STEPHEN MELTON, MICHAEL LEE

NOES: NONE

ABSTAIN: TINA WELCH, BRIAN T. WHITLEY

B. City Clerk administers oath of office

City Clerk Melissa McChesney administered the oath of office to Evan Maxon.

3. ADJOURN

Mayor Katerndahl declared the meeting adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

The special minutes for December 17, 2024, having been read and considered by the Board of Aldermen, and having been found to be correct as written, were approved on this the seventh day of January 2026.

Submitted by:

Melissa McChesney
City Clerk Melissa McChesney

