

SARDINIA COUNCIL MEETING

SPECIAL MEETING

March 23, 2026 7:00 P.M.

Prayer: Peggy Vance

Pledge: Mayor Dusty Puckett

Roll Call: Gary Troutman, Anna Turner, Peggy Vance, Michael McRoberts, Dean Vaughn

Also in Attendance: Tony Baker, Solicitor, Venita Milburn, Clerk

Meeting began at 7:00 p.m.

Agenda for tonight's meeting scheduled for interviewing candidates for the open council seat. No other topic will be addressed.

People that are interested in interviewing for the open council seat were asked to sign in. Five candidates had signed in to be interviewed.

Mr. Baker opened the meeting addressing council to explain the interview process. Mr. Baker stated that the interviews can be public or in executive session. Mr. Vaughn asked if the candidates could be allowed to speak prior to the interview process. Again, Mr. Baker stated that this would be up to council but that the interview process is usually conducted in executive session.

Motion to enter executive session made by Peggy Vance, seconded by Anna Turner. Roll call began. Mr. Troutman at first, abstained as he was not sure what was best, then stated when he was elected to council it was agreed upon after executive session, so Mr. Troutman changed his vote to yes. All others voted yes.

Executive session began at 7:04 p.m.

Motion made to come out of executive session made by Peggy Vance, seconded by Dean Vaughn. Roll call all yes.

Executive session ends at 8:01 p.m.

Mr. Vaughn made a motion to nominate Nick Taylor, seconded by Gary Troutman.

Discussion: Mr. Vaughn stated that every candidate that came out to be interviewed today had valid reasons to run for council. He would like to see those that came to interview run for council at the next election. All candidates had a lot to offer to the community. It was very encouraging. Mr. Troutman seconded.

Ms. Turner also said that there are several good candidates that make it a hard decision to choose a candidate to fill the open seat.

Roll call for the motion to nominate Nick Taylor for the open council seat – Mr. Troutman yes, Mr. Vaughn yes, Mr. McRoberts yes, Ms. Vance no, Ms. Turner no. Motion passes to fill the open seat with Nick Taylor.

Mr. Taylor was welcomed to Sardinia Council. He will be sworn in at the next regular council meeting.

Motion to adjourn made by Gary Troutman, seconded by Anna Turner. Roll call all yes.

NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING APRIL 13, 2026, AT 7:00 P.M.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 8:04 P.M.



Date Approved

4-27-26

Mayor



President of Council