# MINUTES PUBLIC MEETING JUDICIAL ADVISORY BOARD January 12, 2018



**Board Members Absent** 

All present

Minutes of the Judicial Advisory Board (JAB) public meeting held on January 12, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in Courtroom 7, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Tempe Municipal Court, 140 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Tempe Arizona 85281.

#### **Board Members Present**

Judge Patricia Starr, Chairperson
Judy Aldrich
Todd Allison
Don Calender
Paul Friedman, Vice-Chair
Judge Kevin Kane, Ex-officio Member

#### **Staff Present:**

Kimberly Sotelo, Management Assistant

#### **Executive Session**

## Agenda Item 1 - Personnel (A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(1))

City Judge Recruitment – The Board entered executive session at 12:08 p.m. Only Board members were present except for Mrs. Sotelo who remained to take meeting minutes. Confidential minutes were taken and kept separate from these public meeting minutes.

Executive session adjourned and the public meeting called to order at 1:01 p.m. by Chairperson Judge Starr.

#### **Public Meeting**

#### Agenda Item 1 - Selection of Board Officers, Chair and Vice-Chair

Motion made by Board member Calender to nominate Judge Starr to continue serving as the JAB Chairperson until December 31, 2018 or until her service on the Board ends and to nominate Board member Friedman to serve as the Vice-Chair until December 31, 2018 or until his service on the Board ends; the motion was seconded by Board member Allison. Motion passed 5 to 0.

#### Agenda Item 2 – City Judge Candidate Second Interviews

Mr. Robert Campos, Ms. Danielle Harris and Ms. Tara Fuller were interviewed by the Board and asked the same interview questions.

Interview for Mr. Robert Campos began at 1:03 p.m. and concluded at 1:29 p.m. Interview for Ms. Danielle Harris began at 1:30 p.m. and concluded at 1:50 p.m. Interview for Ms. Tara Fuller began at 1:50 p.m. and concluded at 2:03 p.m.

Motion made by Chairperson Judge Starr to adjourn briefly before public comment; the motion was seconded by Board member Aldrich. Motion passed 5 to 0.

## Agenda Item 3 – Public comment on City Judge Candidates – 2:30 p.m.

- 2:13p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Antonio Bustamonte.
- 2:17 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Ms. Della Davis.
- 2:20 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Jesse Torrez.
- 2:22 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Howard Snader.
- 2:25 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Joshua Tesoriero.
- 2:28 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Ms. Gladys Mendoza.
- 2:32 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Gary Clay.
- 2:35 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Ms. Margie Luster.
- 2:38 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Mr. Adam Susser.
- 2:42 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Ms. Romona Saunders.
- 2:43 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Mr. David Telles.
- 2:46 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Hector Federico.
- 2:51 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Ms. Maria Benson.
- 2:53 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Tara Fuller from Ms. Jill Cohen.
- 2:55 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Tara Fuller from Ms. Patti Tracey.
- 2:57 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Ms. Samantha Herd.
- 3:00 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Mr. Steve Garcia.
- 3:02 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Danielle Harris from Mr. Zack Downing.
- 3:04 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Joshua De La Ossa.
- 3:07 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Ms. Kamille Dean.
- 3:10 p.m. Public comment on candidate Mr. Robert Campos from Mr. Herman Alcantar.
- 3:12 p.m. Public comment on candidate Ms. Tara Fuller from Mr. Mike Hintze.

## Agenda Item 4 – Consideration of Meeting Minutes: December 27, 2017

Motion made by Board member Friedman to approve the public meeting and executive session meeting minutes of December 27, 2017; the motion was seconded by Board member Calender. Motion passed 5 to 0.

Motion made by Board member Friedman to go into executive session; the motion was seconded by Board member Aldrich. Motion passed 5 to 0.

#### **Executive Session**

The Board entered executive session at 3:19 p.m.

Second executive session adjourned and the public meeting called back to order at 4:16 p.m. by Chairperson Judge Starr.

#### **Public Meeting**

# Agenda Item 2 - City Judge Candidate Second Interviews (cont'd)

Motion made by Board member Aldrich to nominate candidate Ms. Tara Fuller to be recommended to the Mayor and Councilmembers for the City Judge position; the motion was seconded by Board member Calender. Motion passed 5 to 0.

#### Agenda Item 4 – Adjournment

Motion made by Chairperson Judge Starr to adjourn the public meeting; the motion was seconded by Board member Friedman. Motion passed 5 to 0.

Meeting adjourned at 4:19 p.m.

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Mr. Paul Friedman

Chair, Judicial Advisory Board

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