

**TOWN OF YUCCA VALLEY
SPECIAL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
June 21, 2011**

Mayor Huntington called the special meeting of the Town of Yucca Valley Town Council to order at 8:45 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Council Members Present: Abel, Hagerman, Rowe, and Mayor Huntington.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Town Council Vacancy – Discussion

Town Manager Nuaimi advised that Mayor Pro Tem Frank Luckino has submitted his resignation effective June 19th. We now have 60 days to take action by appointing a member for the remainder of the term or calling a special election. The Ordinance adopted earlier this evening regarding additional possible procedures to fill Council vacancies will become effective in 30 days. Staff is seeking guidance on the process Council would like to use to fill the vacancy by the August 14th deadline.

Council Member Rowe stated she is not in favor of calling a special election, and does not feel the seat can be left vacant.

Council Member Abel and Hagerman agreed that their preference is to appoint a member.

Mayor Huntington commented that Council has set precedent by the last appointment and should continue.

Upon discussion it was determined that the previous applicants should be approached regarding their continued interest and that the position be advertised for any new applicants. There should be a couple of special meetings so that the appointment can be made before the end of July.

Mayor Huntington suggested that applications be due by July 14th. A Special Meeting should be held the week of July 18th review applications, and interviews held at a Special Meeting the week of July 25th.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business Mayor Huntington adjourned the meeting at 8:50 p.m. and reconvened the regular meeting.

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Respectfully submitted

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jamie Anderson', written over a horizontal line.

Jamie Anderson
Town Clerk