

## HUGHSON CITY COUNCIL

### MINUTES

7:00 P.M.  
Council Chambers  
City Hall  
7018 Pine Street

January 5, 2009  
Special Meeting

#### CALL TO ORDER:

#### ROLL CALL:

Present: Mayor Bawanan, Council Members  
Ledermann, Humphreys, and Manley.

Absent:

Staff Present: Joe Donabed, City Manager  
Thom Clark, Planning & Building Director  
Mary Hemminger, Director of Administrative  
Services/ City Clerk  
Dominique Spinale Romo, Management  
Analyst/ Deputy City Clerk  
Linda Kuipers, Redevelopment Analyst  
Michael Brown, Senior Inspector  
John Stovall, City Attorney

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Bawanan

INVOCATION: Mayor Bawanan

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PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the Audience may address the City Council on any item of interest to the public pertaining to the City and may step to the podium, state their name and address and make their presentation. Please limit presentations to five minutes. Since the City Council cannot take action on matters not on the agenda, unless the action is authorized by Section 54954.2 of the Government Code, items of concern which are not urgent in nature can be resolved more expeditiously by completing and submitting to the City Clerk a "Citizen Request Form" which may be obtained from the City Clerk.

**The City Manager advised Council of all upcoming meetings.**

- 1) Review applications and conduct interviews for appointment to fill vacant seat on the City Council.

**Applications were received by three (3) candidates; Miguel Angel Oseguera, Henry G. Hesling, and Thomas E. Crowder. Their names were randomly drawn to begin interviews. Each Council Member asked two (2) questions.**

**Miguel Oseguera was interviewed by Council.**

**Henry G. Hesling was interviewed by Council.**

**Thomas E. Crowder was interviewed by Council.**

- 2) Appoint a candidate to fill the vacant seat on the City Council created by the Election of Ramon Bawanan as Mayor.  
(Staff report with Agenda)(Motion needed)

Council took a vote on Henry Hesling.

**2-2-0-0 no majority on the appointment of Henry Hesling to fill the vacant seat on the City Council.**

Council took a vote on Miguel Oseguera.

**1-3-0-0 no majority on the appointment of Miguel Oseguera to fill the vacant seat on the City Council.**

Council took a vote on Thomas Crowder.

**2-2-0-0 no majority on the appointment of Thomas Crowder to fill the vacant seat on the City Council.**

Council took a second vote on Henry Hesling.

**2-2-0-0 no majority on the appointment of Henry Hesling to fill the vacant seat on the City Council.**

Council took a second vote on Miguel Oseguera.

**1-3-0-0 no majority on the appointment of Miguel Oseguera to fill the vacant seat on the City Council.**

Council took a second vote on Thomas Crowder.

**3-1-0-0 majority approved the appointment of Thomas E. Crowder to fill the vacant seat on the City Council.**

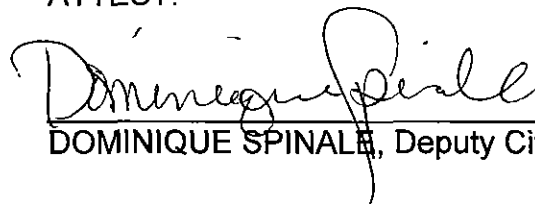
Mayor Bawanan welcomed Thomas E. Crowder to his seat as a new member of the City Council.

3) City Clerk to administer the oath of office to the Appointed Candidate.

**The Oath of Office was administered to Thomas E. Crowder.**

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dominique Spinali". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "D".

DOMINIQUE SPINALI, Deputy City Clerk