

**DUQUESNE BOARD OF ALDERMEN
APRIL 17, 2025 – SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

Call to Order: The special meeting for the Duquesne Board of Aldermen was called to order at 6:00 PM by Mayor Bill Sherman. Special Meeting was required because certified election results were not available for April 14 Regular Meeting.

Roll Call: Answer roll call were Aldermen Jane Baine, Myra Gonzalez, Chris Ellsworth and Mayor Bill Sherman. Absent: Becca White. Also present were 2 guests.

Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation: The Pledge of Allegiance to the United States of America was led by Mayor Bill Sherman followed by invocation prayer given by Mayor Bill Sherman.

Agenda: Motion made by Jane, seconded by Chris, to approve agenda. Yea: Baine, Gonzalez, Ellsworth. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Announce Certified Election Results: Mayor: Bill Sherman received 109 out of 128 votes; Ward I Alderman: Chris Ellsworth received 48 out of 53 votes and Ward II Alderman: Myra Gonzalez received 65 out of 75 votes. Candidates were incumbents and unopposed.

Adjourn Sine-die: Mayor adjourned meeting at 6:04 PM.

Administer Oaths of Office: Oaths were given to newly elected Board members.

Recall to Order and Roll Call: Meeting readjourned at 6:07 and roll call was taken. Present Aldermen Jane Baine, Myra Gonzalez, Chris Ellsworth and Mayor Bill Sherman. Absent: Becca White.

Elect Acting President of the Board of Aldermen: Motion made by Jane, seconded by Myra, to nominate Chris Ellsworth. There were no other nominations. Yea: Baine, Gonzalez. Abstain: Ellsworth. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Public Comment: none

Other Business Deemed Necessary: Festival Mexican Restaurant was burglarized. Jane asked if new FLOCK cameras might be helpful. Those cameras were programmed to monitor license plate numbers only.

Adjourn: Mayor called meeting at 6:14 PM.