



SPECIAL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

September 27, 2024 at 10:00 AM

Council Chambers – 340 Ocean Drive and YouTube

NOTICE: If any person decides to appeal any decision of the Town Council at this meeting, he or she will need a record of the proceedings and for that purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, such record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. The Town does not prepare or provide such record. *Persons with disabilities requiring accommodations in order to participate in the meeting should contact Caitlin E. Copeland-Rodriguez, Town Clerk, at least 48 hours in advance to request such accommodations.*

The meeting will be broadcast live on The Town of Juno Beach YouTube page and can be viewed any time at: <https://www.youtube.com/@townofjuno-beach477/streams>

HOW CITIZENS MAY BE HEARD: Members of the public wishing to comment publicly on any matter, including items on the agenda may do so by: Submitting their comments through the Public Comments Webform at: https://www.juno-beach.fl.us/towncouncil/webform/public-comments#_blank (all comments must be submitted by Noon on day of Meeting). Please be advised that all email addresses and submitted comments are public record pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes (Florida Public Records Law). The Town Clerk or designee will read public comments into the record at the appropriate time for no more than three (3) minutes; or make their comment in-person; or participate from a remote location using Zoom – please contact the Town Clerk at ccopeland@juno-beach.fl.us by Noon on the day of the meeting to receive the Meeting ID and Access Code. (Please note that all members participating via Zoom must login at least 15 minutes prior to the meeting and will be muted upon entry until Public Comments is called).

****Please note that the Zoom meeting will lock for public comments at 10am and no other entries will be permitted.***

All matters listed under Consent Agenda, are considered to be routine by the Town Council and will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately.

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

ADDITIONS, DELETIONS, SUBSTITUTIONS TO THE AGENDA

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER, THE TOWN ATTORNEY, AND STAFF

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

All Non-Agenda items are limited to three (3) minutes. Anyone wishing to speak is asked to complete a comment card with their name and address prior to the start of the meeting as well as state their name and address for the record when called upon to speak (prior to addressing the Town Council). Town Council will not discuss these items at this time.

COUNCIL ACTION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Selection of Interim Town Manager Position
2. Discussion on Pelican Lake Algae Removal

COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL

ADJOURNMENT



Meeting Name: Town Council Meeting
Meeting Date: September 25, 2024
Prepared By: David Dyess, Town Manager
Item Title: Selection of Interim Town Manager Position

DISCUSSION:

I am recommending the council consider Frank Davila or Caitlin Copeland for the interim Town Manager position. Both have vast knowledge of what is going on in the Town and they both have the experience to fulfill the tasks until a new manager is selected.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Town Council's consideration of the selection of an Interim Town Manager position.



Meeting Name: Town Council Meeting
Meeting Date: September 25, 2024
Prepared By: Steven J. Hallock, Director of Public Works
Item Title: Discussion on Pelican Lake Algae Removal

DISCUSSION:

After the cattail mechanical removal by Whyte Water Restoration and Public Works in the southeast corner of Pelican Lake, the Town's Aquatic Environmental Consultant, Stocking Savvy, planted Bullrush to replace the cattails. While here Stocking Savvy Professor Sean Patton also inspected Pelican Lake and determined the floating plants visible on the surface is a mixture of Chara, Marine Naiad, and Hydrilla.

The only chemical used around Pelican Lake today is TIGR, which is specific to removing torpedo grass. Staff only utilize chemical treatment as a last resort when treating plants in and around Pelican Lake and it is contingent upon approval of the Town Council.

Public Works recommends mechanical removal to uproot, cut, and skim the plants out of Pelican Lake using the same project scope used for cattail removal to assist in limiting algae blooms in the near future. Whyte Water Restoration proposed to remove the Chara, Marine Naiad, and Hydrilla, and have Public Works pick it up, haul it to the Public Works Complex, and use it for compost in the future at a cost of approximately \$8,000.

RECOMMENDATION:

Town Council discussion of the removal of Chara, Marine Naiad, and Hydrilla from Pelican Lake and use of \$8,000 from contingency if mechanical removal is desired.