## CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

A Special Meeting of the Redmond City Council was called to order by Mayor John Marchione at 7 p.m. in the Council Chamber. Councilmembers present and establishing a quorum were: Carson, Cole, Margeson, Myers, Stilin, and Vache. It was noted that Councilmember Allen would not be in attendance at the meeting. The purpose of the Special Meeting was to conduct an Executive Session regarding the evaluation of an employment application.

## Executive Session

Mayor Marchione noted that the Redmond City Council would be recessing into Executive Session for approximately 30 minutes to evaluate an employment application. He informed that the Council would be coming back into open session after that time in order to take action.

The Special Meeting reconvened at 7:30 p.m.

MOTION: Councilmember Cole moved to confirm the appointment of Ron Gibson as Redmond's next Police Chief, contingent on his successful completion of pre-employment screening tests scheduled later this week. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Myers.

(AM No. 10-088)

Councilmember Cole spoke regarding Mr. Gibson's expertise, experience and regarding the recruitment and selection process used to obtain a new Police Chief.

The Mayor and Members of the Council spoke in support of Mr. Gibson, as the City of Redmond's next Police Chief, and in support of the process used to find a new Chief.

Mayor Marchione thanked Chief Tim Fuller for the role he played as the interim Police Chief, and also to Deputy Fire Chief Bob Oliver, and other staff, who reorganized to cover the processes in both the Fire and Police Departments.

VOTE: The motion passed without objection. (6 - 0) (Councilmember Allen was not in attendance)

## ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the Special Meeting adjourned at  $7:44~\mathrm{p.m.}$ 

JOHN MARCHIONE

MAYOR

CITY CLERK

Minutes Approved: May 18, 2010