

**DeFuniak Springs City Council
Special Meeting
September 21, 2011**

The DeFuniak Springs City Council met in special session at 10 a.m. with the following members present: Mayor C. Harold Carpenter; Mayor Pro-Tem Henry Ennis; City Council Members: Ron Kelley, Mac Work, Wayne Graham and Kermit Wright; Interim City Manager Kelly Schultz, City Attorney Clayton Adkinson, Finance Director Sara Bowers and Deputy City Clerk Jonathan King.

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Carpenter called the meeting to order.

Clayton Adkinson noted that the Council had decided to bring their top three candidates names and then rank them to select the top three overall. He asked for each councilman and the mayor to give their top three candidates.

Ron Kelley - 1. Mike Standley
 2. Don Hart
 3. Ronald San Angelo

Mac Work - 1. Mike Standley
 2. Kelly Schultz
 3. Donald St. George

Mayor Carpenter - 1. Kelly Schultz
 2. Ken Little

Henry Ennis - 1. Mike Standley
 2. Ken Little
 3. Kelly Schultz

Wayne Graham - 1. Mike Standley
 2. Don Hart
 3. Marco Rupp

Kermit Wright - 1. Mike Standley
 2. Kelly Schultz
 3. Johnny Williams

Mac Work noted that all of the Council had ranked Mike Standley as their number-one choice.

Clayton Adkinson asked for clarification that the terms of the contract would be the same as previously discussed. He noted that they would be offering a one-year contract to be renewed at the end of the year. He noted that they would be waiving the residency requirement for six months. He noted that they would be offering a \$70,000 a year salary plus benefits. He noted that he would like to include a clause to begin negotiations 90 days prior to the end of the contract term.

Motion by Mac Work to hire Mike Standley as city manager contingent upon the contract being signed, second by Ron Kelley. Motion carried 5-0.

There being no further business, Mayor Carpenter adjourned the meeting at 10:10 a.m.

ADOPTED this 10th day of October, 2011.

C. Harold Carpenter

C. Harold Carpenter, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Deputy City Clerk