

Minutes of the special meeting of the City Council held January 1, 1996 at 12:00 noon in the Council Chambers of the City Hall, Bountiful, Utah.

Present:	Mayor:	John Cushing
	Council Members:	Samuel Fowler, Barbara Holt, Allan Johnson and Harold Shafter.
	City Manager:	Tom Hardy
	City Recorder:	Arden Jenson
	Dep. City Recorder:	Kim Coleman
	Planning/RDA Director:	Blaine Gehring
	Recording Secretary:	Nancy Lawrence
Absent:	William P. Moore, Councilman	
	Ann Wilcox, Councilwoman	

Official Notice of this meeting had been given by posting a written notice of same and an Agenda at the City Hall and providing copies to the following newspapers of general circulation: Davis County Clipper, Deseret News, and Salt Lake Tribune.

Mayor Cushing called the meeting to order, following which Councilman Fowler led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Mayor Cushing noted that a presentation of a Resolution of Appreciation will be made in a subsequent meeting to former Councilman William P. Moore in recognition of the faithful service which he has rendered the past two years.

The Mayor then explained that the purpose of this meeting is to perform the official swearing-in ceremony for the newly-elected Councilmembers. He recognized Councilman Shafter (re-elected after serving 12 years), Councilwoman Holt (elected to her third four-year term), and Allan Johnson, newly-elected councilman. He congratulated these individuals on their successful elections and noted that the election was very close between the candidates.

The newly elected officials and Mr. Jenson gathered at the front of the Council Chambers where Mr. Jenson administered the Oath of Office. The council then took their places and the Mayor expressed appreciation for their hard work and the contributions which have been and will be made as they serve the City of Bountiful.

Councilwoman Holt expressed appreciation for the support of the citizens of Bountiful, and the opportunity to serve them for another term and put something back into the community which has provided such a good place to live and raise a family. She acknowledged the sacrifices made by her family as she serves in this capacity and thanked them for their support.

Councilman Johnson recognized the great responsibility which he is assuming and expressed gratitude to those who assisted him with his campaign and to his wife for her support and encouragement. He said he expects the next four years to be a great learning experience and pledged a positive attitude and approach as he assumes his responsibilities.

Councilman Shafter congratulated his fellow councilpersons, and commented on his great respect and admiration for Bill Moore, outgoing councilman. He expressed appreciation to all who helped on his campaign and pledged that he will be a listening ear and the voice of the people for the next four years. He thanked his family for their tremendous support and recognized Bountiful as the "greatest city in the world" -- a city with great workers and staff who look out for the best interests of the City.

Mayor Cushing thanked Councilman Fowler for his attendance, following which the meeting adjourned at 12:20 p.m. on a motion made by Councilwoman Holt and seconded by Councilman Johnson.