SCOTTSDALE CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2026

CITY HALL KIVA
3939 N. DRINKWATER BOULEVARD
SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85251

CALL TO ORDER

Vice Mayor Maryann McAllen called to order a Special Meeting of the Scottsdale City Council at 3:32 P.M. on Tuesday, September 22, 2026 in the City Hall Kiva Forum.

ROLL CALL

Vice Mayor McAllen asked City Clerk Ben Lane to conduct the roll call.

Present: Mayor Lisa Borowsky (joined electronically starting at 3:50 P.M.); Vice Mayor Maryann McAllen; and Councilmembers Jan Dubauskas, Barry Graham, Adam Kwasman, Kathy Littlefield (participated electronically), and Solange Whitehead

Also Present: City Manager Greg Caton, City Attorney Luis Santaella, and City Clerk Ben Lane

1. Boards, Commissions, and Task Forces Interviews and Appointments

How the Board and Commission Interview and Appointment Process Works:
The Council will spend a few minutes interviewing each board and commission nominee. The Council will make the appointment(s) at the conclusion of the interviews for each board or commission.

Airport Advisory Commission
Nominee(s): James Howard, Cooper Nelson, Sean Paul Olivier, Mark Unterbach, Amanda Wigal-Schlosser
Council to fill two vacancies (appointments effective October 11, 2026)

Sean Paul Oliver: Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Whitehead. (Mayor Borowsky and Councilmember Littlefield were not present for the vote).

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Amanda Wigal-Schlosser:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Whitehead. (Mayor Borowsky and Councilwoman Littlefield were not present for the vote).
Appointment:	Sean Paul Olivier and Amanda Wigal-Schlosser were appointed to the Airport Advisory Commission, effective October 11, 2026.

Board of Adjustment
Nominee(s): *Julian Anderson, Ed Peaser
Council to fill one vacancy (appointment effective September 22, 2026)

*Nominee withdrew application from consideration for current vacancy.

Ed Peaser:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead. (Mayor Borowsky was not present for the vote).
Appointment:	Ed Peaser was appointed to the Board of Adjustment, effective September 22, 2026.

Development Review Board
Nominee(s): Joy Hunt, *Porabhjoat Kasera, Whitney Warman
Council to fill one vacancy (appointment effective September 22, 2026)

*Nominee withdrew application from consideration for current vacancy.

Joy Hunt:	Councilmembers Kwasman and Littlefield.
Whitney Warman:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, and Whitehead.
Appointment:	Whitney Warman was appointed to the Development Review Board, effective September 22, 2026.

Environmental Advisory Commission
Nominee(s): Phil Allsopp, Brandon Putman, Serena Tacho, Terence Winters
Council to fill one vacancy (appointment effective September 22, 2026)

(First Round)

Philip Allsop:	Mayor Borowsky. (Councilwoman Littlefield was not present for the vote).

Brandon Putman:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilwoman Whitehead. (Councilwoman Littlefield was not present for the vote).
Terence Winters:	Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, and Kwasman. (Councilwoman Littlefield was not present for the vote).

(Second Round)

Brandon Putman:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilwoman Whitehead. (Councilwoman Littlefield was not present for the vote).
Terence Winters:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, and Kwasman. (Councilwoman Littlefield was not present for the vote).
Appointment:	Terence Winters was appointed to the Environmental Advisory Commission, effective September 22, 2026.

Human Relations Commission
Nominee(s): Arpana Ajith, Paul Epstein, Katie McGinty, Rutherford Pascal
Council to fill one vacancy (appointment effective September 22, 2026)

Katie McGinty:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilwoman Littlefield.
Rutherford Pascal:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Whitehead.
Appointment:	Rutherford Pascal was appointed to the Human Relations Commission, effective September 22, 2026.

Industrial Development Authority
Nominee(s): Michelle Gardner, Valentin Hernandez, *Charlie Kofron, *Carter Stout
Council to fill one vacancy (appointment effective October 7, 2026)

*Nominees withdrew application from consideration for current vacancy.

Valentin Hernandez:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead.
Appointment:	Valentin Hernandez was appointed to the Industrial Development Authority, effective October 7, 2026.

Library Board
Nominee(s): Douglas Connolly, Matthew Farber, Jeff Flancer, Rissel Langbecker, Emily Nalven, Vernon Noronha, *Enid Seiden
Council to fill two vacancies (appointments effective September 22, 2026)

*Nominee withdrew application from consideration for current vacancy.

(First Round)

Douglas Connelly:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Littlefield.
Jeff Flancer:	Mayor Borowsky and Vice Mayor McAllen.
Rissel Langbecker:	Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, and Kwasman.
Emily Nalven:	Councilwoman Whitehead.
Vernon Noronha:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Littlefield, and Whitehead.

(Second Round)

Rissel Langbecker:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, and Kwasman.
Vernon Noronha:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Littlefield and Whitehead.
Appointment:	Douglas Connolly and Rissel Langbecker were appointed to the Library Board, effective September 22, 2026.

Neighborhood Advisory Commission
Nominee(s): Valerie Capone, Todd Fretto, Ryan Jensen, Teri Nickerson, *George Spatola
Council to fill two vacancies (appointments effective October 11, 2026)

*Nominee withdrew application from consideration for current vacancy.

Valerie Capone:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Littlefield and Whitehead.
Todd Fretto:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Whitehead.
Ryan Jensen:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Littlefield.

Appointment: Todd Fretto and Ryan Jensen were appointed to the Neighborhood Advisory Commission, effective October 11, 2026.

Parks and Recreation Commission
Nominee(s): Marilyn Lagesse, Chass Onkst, Michael Vreeland
Council to fill two vacancies (appointments effective September 22, 2026)

(First Round)

Marilyn Lagesse:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, and Kwasman.
Chass Onkst:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead.
Michael Vreeland:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Littlefield and Whitehead.

(Second Round)

Marilyn Lagesse:	Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Littlefield, and Kwasman.
Michael Vreeland:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilwoman Whitehead.

Appointment: Marilyn Lagesse and Chass Onkst were appointed to the Parks and Recreation Commission, effective September 22, 2026.

Planning Commission
Nominee(s): Jeffrey Brand, Doug Craig, Mason Gates, David Mason, Mark McCurdy, Poonam Singh, Michael Wills
Council to fill three vacancies (appointments effective October 11, 2026)

Jeffrey Brand:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead.
Doug Craig:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead.
Mason Gates:	Mayor Borowsky.
David Mason:	Councilman Graham.
Mark McCurdy:	Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Littlefield.

Michael Wills:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilwoman Whitehead.
Appointment:	Jeffrey Brand, Doug Craig, and Mark McCurdy were appointed to the Planning Commission, effective October 11, 2026.

Tourism Development Commission
Nominee(s): Erin Press, Terri Worthington
Council to fill one Scottsdale hotelier vacancy (appointment effective September 22, 2026)

Terri Worthington:	Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead.
Appointment:	Terri Worthington was appointed to the Tourism Development Commission, effective September 22, 2026.

Transportation Commission
Nominee(s): Gerald Conover, *Carrie Cox, Lee Kauftheil, *Muhammad Shahbander
Council to fill one vacancy (appointment effective September 22, 2026)

*Nominees withdrew application from consideration for current vacancy.

Gerald Conover:	Mayor Borowsky and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, and Littlefield.
Lee Kauftheil:	Vice Mayor McAllen and Councilwoman Whitehead.
Appointment:	Gerald Conover was appointed to the Transportation Commission, effective September 22, 2026.

MOTION AND VOTE – ADJOURNMENT

Vice Mayor McAllen made a motion to adjourn the Special Meeting. Councilwoman Whitehead seconded the motion, which carried 7/0, by voice vote, with Mayor Borowsky; Vice Mayor McAllen; and Councilmembers Dubauskas, Graham, Kwasman, Littlefield, and Whitehead voting in the affirmative.

ADJOURNMENT

Vice Mayor McAllen adjourned the Special Meeting at 5:27 P.M.

SUBMITTED BY:

Ben Lane

Ben Lane
City Clerk

Officially approved by the City Council on October 20, 2026

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing Minutes are a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the Special Meeting of the City Council of Scottsdale, Arizona, held on the 22nd day of September 2026.

I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held, and that a quorum was present.

DATED this 20th day of October 2026.

Ben Lane

Ben Lane, City Clerk