

**MUNICIPAL COURT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**JUNE 12, 2018**  
**2:00 P.M.**  
**MUNICIPAL PLAZA BUILDING**

<b>Members Present:</b>	Mayor Ron Nirenberg Councilmember William Cruz Shaw, Chair Councilmember Shirley Gonzales Councilmember Manny Pelaez Judge Peter Sakai
<b>Members Absent:</b>	Judge Norma Gonzales Jameene Williams
<b>Staff Present:</b>	Ed Guzman, <i>Deputy City Attorney</i> ; Camila Kunau, <i>Assistant City Attorney</i> ; John Peterek, <i>Assistant to the City Manager</i> ; Caitlin Krobot, <i>City Manager's Office</i> ; Denice F. Treviño, <i>Office of the City Clerk</i>

**Call to order**

Chairman Shaw called the meeting to order.

Item 2 was addressed at this time.

**2. Interview of Judicial Applicants**

Councilmember Shaw stated that each applicant would be given 3-5 minutes to speak. The following current full-time Municipal Court Judges spoke before the Committee regarding their qualifications for reappointment as a Municipal Court Judge:

Clarissa L. Chavarria  
Christine Dauphin-Lacy  
Lisa M. Gonzales  
Daniel Guerrero  
Linda D. Haynes-Harrison  
James Daniel Kassahn  
Carla Marie Obledo  
Margarita S. Pol  
Pedro A. Zamora

The following current part-time Municipal Court Judges spoke before the Committee regarding their qualifications for reappointment as a Municipal Court Judge:

Aida Ann Zaragoza  
Alfredo Macias Tavera  
Frank D. Sandoval

Carmen R. Rojo

The Committee interviewed the following candidates for appointment as full-time and part-time Municipal Court Judges:

Melanie Castillo  
Kristin Dow  
Mario Gutierrez  
Laura Lefton  
Kristin Mulliner  
Gabriel Quintanilla  
Michael Ramos  
Brandon Ramsey  
Javier Rocha  
Albert Uresti  
Mario Vega

### **Executive Session**

Chairman Shaw recessed the Municipal Court Oversight Committee into Executive Session at 4:05 p.m. for deliberations regarding the appointment and duties of public officers pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.074 (personnel matters).

Chairman Shaw reconvened the meeting at 4:20 p.m. and stated that no action was taken during the Executive Session.

Councilmember Pelaez moved to reappoint the following as full-time Municipal Court Judges:

Clarissa L. Chavarria  
Christine Dauphin-Lacy  
Lisa M. Gonzales  
Daniel Guerrero  
Linda D. Haynes-Harrison  
James Daniel Kassahn  
Carla Marie Obledo  
Margarita S. Pol  
Pedro A. Zamora

Reappoint the following as part-time Municipal Court Judges:

Carmen R. Rojo  
Frank D. Sandoval  
Alfredo Macias Tavera  
Aida Ann Zaragoza

and appoint Michael Ramos as a full-time Municipal Court Judge, and Melanie Castillo, Laura Lefton, and Javier Rocha as part-time Municipal Court Judges. Councilmember Gonzales seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously by those present.

**1. Approval of the Minutes from the Municipal Court Oversight Committee Meeting of May 9, 2018.**

Judge Peter Sakai moved to approve the minutes of the Municipal Court Oversight Committee Meeting of May 9, 2018. Councilmember Pelaez seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously by those present.

**Adjourn**

There being no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 4:21 p.m.

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*William Cruz Shaw, Chair*

*Respectfully Submitted*

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*Denice F. Trevino, Office of the City Clerk*