MINUTES OF THE CITY MANAGER INTERVIEWS WORKSHOP OF THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE, FL HELD AT THE TOURIST DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL BUILDING, 150 CAPT. FRED'S PLACE ~ PORT ST. JOE, FLORIDA, FEBRUARY 6, 2012 1:00 P. M.

The following were present: Mayor Magidson, Commissioners Buzzett, Gingell, Patterson and Kennedy. Human Resource Officer Charlotte Pierce was also present.

The purpose of the Workshop was to interview two candidates for the position of City Manager for the City of Port St. Joe. A total of 44 applications were received and through a review and selection process by the Commissioners, the number was reduced to these two individuals.

The first interview was with Mr. Ted Lakey.

Mayor Magidson welcomed Mr. Lakey to the meeting and introduced the Commissioners.

Mr. Lakey has served for a number of years in county government as a Correctional Lieutenant; Superintendent / Division Chief of the Road Prison Division of Public Works, and a County Administrator.

Mr. Lakey was afforded the opportunity to share his reason for being interested in the City Manager's Position with the Commission.

A prepared list of questions was discussed with Mr. Lakey and a copy of the questions is attached.

Mr. Lakey thanked the Commission for the opportunity to interview for the position. The interview concluded at 2:10 P.M.

A brief recess was held.

The second interview was with Mr. Jim Anderson and it began at 2:20 P.M.

Mayor Magidson welcomed Mr. Anderson to the meeting. The Mayor shared that the interview would be conducted from a list of prepared questions.

Mr. Anderson currently serves as the City Clerk for the City of Port St. Joe. His work background includes serving as a Revenue Specialist / Supervisor with the Florida Department of Revenue; Mortgage Broker and Town Clerk.

Mr. Anderson was given the opportunity to share why he was applying for the City Manager's Position.

The list of prepared questions discussed with Mr. Lakey was also discussed with Mr. Anderson.

Mr. Anderson thanked the Commission for the opportunity to interview for the position. The interview was concluded at 3:10 P.M.

Mayor Magidson asked, "Where do we go from here?" The Commissioners will review their notes from the interviews and make their decision.

The City Commission will be having a regular meeting on Tuesday, February 7, 2012, at 6:00 P.M. The meeting agenda contains a bullet Under City Manager Report / Old Business the City Manager Search for discussion and update on the search.

The Mayor thanked the Commissioners for their time given to interview the candidates and work for the betterment of the City.

Mayor Magidson adjourned the Workshop at 3:40 P.M.

Approved this 21st day of Jehruary 2012.

Mel C. Magidson, Jr., Mayor

Charlotte Pierce, Human Resource Officer