

THE COUNCIL

City of New Orleans

STACY HEAD  
Councilmember At Large

JASON ROGERS WILLIAMS  
Councilmember At Large

SUSAN G. GUIDRY Councilmember District "A"	LATOYA CANTRELL Councilmember District "B"	NADINE M. RAMSEY Councilmember District "C"	JARED C. BROSSETT Councilmember District "D"	JAMES AUSTIN GRAY II Councilmember District "E"
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AGENDA

Special Organizational Meeting of the City Council  
held in City Hall Council Chamber  
on Monday, May 5, 2014 at 12:00 P.M.

PRESIDENT  
STACY HEAD  
Councilmember-At-Large



VICE PRESIDENT  
JASON ROGERS WILLIAMS  
Councilmember-At-Large

3. INVOCATION - REV. DR. NORWOOD THOMPSON, JR., REV. ANTHONY RIGOLI, O.M.I. AND IMAM RAFEEQ H. NUMAN
4. PRESENTATION OF COLORS - WARREN EASTON HIGH SCHOOL COLOR GUARD
5. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG - CONSTITUENT REPRESENTATIVES
6. NATIONAL ANTHEM - IMAGE MUSIC
- 6a. OATH OF OFFICE

REGULAR AGENDA

1. PRESIDENT'S CALL - LORA W. JOHNSON, CLERK OF COUNCIL

PRESIDENT'S CALL

Ms. Lora W. Johnson

Clerk of Council

1300 Perdido Street - Room 1E09

New Orleans, LA 70112

Dear Ms. Johnson:

RE: SPECIAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING, MAY 5, 2014

Pursuant to Section 3-107 (1) of the Home Rule Charter of the City of New Orleans, I am calling a Special Council Meeting beginning at Noon Monday, May 5, 2014, in the Council Chamber. This will be the organizational meeting for the new City Council and may include any other matter that may properly come before the Council.

Please make the necessary arrangements to have the organizational meeting cable cast live and taped for re-cablecast in the future.

If you have any questions, please let know.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Jacquelyn B. Clarkson

Council President

cc: All Councilmembers  
Mitchell J. Landrieu, Mayor  
Evelyn F. Pugh  
Calvin Aguillard  
Lydia Glapion-Days  
Tom Stratton  
Officer Louis Martinez, Jr.  
Denise Estopinal  
Eric Granderson  
Ron Pursell  
Kenny Chenier

Pursuant to the above call, the Council of the City of New Orleans met this day in Special Session at 12:00 p.m., in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Council President, Stacy Head, presiding.

2. ROLL CALL - LORA W. JOHNSON, CLERK OF COUNCIL

On calling the role the following Councilmembers answered to their names:

Brossett  
Cantrell  
Gray  
Guidry  
Head (President)  
Ramsey  
Williams (Vice President)

Seven member constituting a quorum.

1. MOTION - NO. M-14-173 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS HEAD, WILLIAMS, GUIDRY, CANTRELL, RAMSEY, BROSSETT AND GRAY

**Brief:**

Electing Councilmember-at-Large Stacy Head to serve as President of the Council for the term May 5, 2014 to May 7, 2015.

M-14-173

**MOVED BY: Williams**

**SECONDED BY: Cantrell**

**ACTION: Adopt**

**YEAS: Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams - 7**

**NAYS: 0**

**ABSENT: 0**

**RECUSED: 0**

**AND THE MOTION PASSED**

2. MOTION - NO. M-14-174 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS HEAD, WILLIAMS, GUIDRY, CANTRELL, RAMSEY, BROSSETT AND GRAY

**Brief:**

Electing Councilmember-at-Large Jason Williams to serve as Vice-President of the Council for the term May 5, 2014 to May 7, 2015.

M-14-174

**MOVED BY: Gray**

**SECONDED BY: Guidry**

**ACTION: Adopt**

**YEAS: Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams - 7**

**NAYS: 0**

**ABSENT: 0**

**RECUSED: 0**

**AND THE MOTION PASSED**

3. [MOTION - NO. M-14-175 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS HEAD, WILLIAMS, GUIDRY, CANTRELL, RAMSEY, BROSSETT AND GRAY](#)

**Brief:**

Electing Clerk of Council Lora W. Johnson and Assistant Clerk of Council Sharon B. Temple, respectively.

[M-14-175](#)

**MOVED BY: Head**

**SECONDED BY: Cantrell**

**ACTION: Adopt**

**YEAS: Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams - 7**

**NAYS: 0**

**ABSENT: 0**

**RECUSED: 0**

**AND THE MOTION PASSED**

4. [MOTION - NO. M-14-176 - BY: COUNCILMEMBER HEAD](#)

**Brief:**

Confirming the following appointments made by the Council President to the Council's Standing Committees:

1. Budget, Audit, and Board of Review Committee:  
Councilmember Stacy S. Head, Chair  
Councilmember Jared C. Brossett  
Councilmember LaToya Cantrell  
Councilmember Susan G. Guidry  
Councilmember Jason Rogers Williams
2. Community Development Committee:  
Councilmember LaToya Cantrell, Chair  
Councilmember James A. Gray II  
Councilmember Susan G. Guidry  
Councilmember Stacy S. Head  
Councilmember Jason Rogers Williams
3. Criminal Justice Committee:

Councilmember Susan G. Guidry, Chair  
Councilmember LaToya Cantrell  
Councilmember Stacy S. Head  
Councilmember Nadine M. Ramsey  
Councilmember Jason Rogers Williams

4. Economic Development and Special Development Projects  
Committee:

Councilmember James A. Gray II, Chair  
Councilmember Jared C. Brossett  
Councilmember Stacy S. Head  
Councilmember Nadine M. Ramsey  
Councilmember Jason Rogers Williams

5. Governmental Affairs Committee:

Councilmember Stacy S. Head, Chair  
Councilmember Jared C. Brossett  
Councilmember LaToya Cantrell  
Councilmember Susan G. Guidry  
Councilmember Nadine M. Ramsey

6. Public Works, Sanitation, and Environment Committee:

Councilmember Nadine M. Ramsey, Chair  
Councilmember Jared C. Brossett  
Councilmember LaToya Cantrell  
Councilmember James A. Gray II  
Councilmember Stacy S. Head

7. Transportation and Airport Committee:

Councilmember Jared C. Brossett, Chair  
Councilmember James A. Gray II  
Councilmember Susan G. Guidry  
Councilmember Nadine M. Ramsey  
Councilmember Jason Rogers Williams

8. Utility, Cable, Telecommunications, and Technology  
Committee:

Councilmember Jason Rogers Williams, Chair  
Councilmember Jared C. Brossett  
Councilmember James A. Gray II  
Councilmember Susan G. Guidry  
Councilmember Stacy S. Head

[M-14-176](#)

**MOVED BY: Williams**  
**SECONDED BY: Guidry**

**ACTION: Adopt**  
**YEAS: Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams -**  
**7**  
**NAYS: 0**  
**ABSENT: 0**  
**RECUSED: 0**  
**AND THE MOTION PASSED**

At the time Councilmember Head requested a point of person privilege, for each Councilmember to say an introduction or welcome.

Swearing in the Clerk and Assistant Clerk.

5. [RESOLUTION - NO. R-14-177 - BY: COUNCILMEMBERS CANTRELL, BROSSETT, GRAY, GUIDRY, HEAD, RAMSEY AND WILLIAMS](#)

**Brief:**

Recognizing May 6th 2014 as the first ever GiveNOLA Day.

[R-14-177](#)

**MOVED BY: Brossett**  
**SECONDED BY: Williams**  
**ACTION: Adopt**  
**YEAS: Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams -**  
**7**  
**NAYS: 0**  
**ABSENT: 0**  
**RECUSED: 0**  
**AND THE MOTION PASSED**

6. ORDINANCES ON FIRST READING

7. [MEETING ADJOURNED.](#)

**MOVED BY: Head**  
**SECONDED BY: Gray**  
**ACTION: Adjourn**  
**YEAS: Brossett, Cantrell, Gray, Guidry, Head, Ramsey, Williams -**  
**7**  
**NAYS: 0**  
**ABSENT: 0**  
**RECUSED: 0**  
**AND THE MOTION PASSED**