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Hello,

Another Council Correspondence.

Thank you,



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Greetings Mayor and Councilmembers,

I have given great thought to how we should proceed now that we are down one council member. Given the politics of our council, I believe the best way to resolve what is most likely an impasse, is to not appoint a replacement for Barbara Hamilton but have a District 1 vote for March 3.

I say this because I have listened to the Mayor who has said multiple times that it takes a "long time" to "come up to speed" for new council members to get adjusted and get used to the new system. It is the fairest system to allow the voters of District 1 to have a vote on March 3rd. Costs for an election on that date is minimal, and if the council acts prudently, we can save a lot of money for election costs. In fact, I believe that the council would have to contact the ROV by Nov. 10 in order to have a vote on March 3, 2020.

As I check the calendar of council meetings, there is only one more date (October 22) for the D1 Vote to occur on March 3rd. The next City Council meeting will be Nov. 12, just TWO days after the deadline for the March

3rd election. With the holidays approaching, many city council meetings will be cancelled, so any appointment doesn't really make sense.

I am hoping the entire council will feel as I do, that a prudent election would be the best for Carlsbad, on March 3rd.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,

Kris

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