

**CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM**

A Special Meeting of the Redmond City Council was called to order by Mayor Birney at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was held remotely. Council members present and establishing a quorum were: Anderson, Carson, Fields, Forsythe, Khan, Kritzer and Padhye.

The purpose of the special meeting was to interview candidates for the Parks and Trails Commission.

Mr. Jeff Aken, Senior Planner, overviewed the selection process and introduced Kristina Wayland, James Kleppe, and Jennifer Brun as candidates for the Parks and Trails Commission.

Each candidate spoke to their background, interest in the work of the Commission, and responded to Councilmember questions.

Discussion ensued regarding improving parks and trails; inclusivity in the community; plans; inclusion; park features; racial equity; and strengths.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Council the special meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

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ANGELA BIRNEY, MAYOR

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