

**CITY OF HELENA**  
**SPECIAL CITY COMMISSION MEETING**  
**January 13, 2020 - 4:00 P.M.**  
**Room 326, City-County Building**

**Time & Place** A special City Commission meeting was held on Monday, January 13, 2020, at 4:00 p.m. in Room 326, 316 N. Park Avenue, Helena, Montana.

**1. Call to Order, Introductions, Opening Comments.**

Mayor Collins, Commissioner Haladay, Commissioner Dean, Commissioner Logan, Commissioner O'Loughlin, Jordan Crosby, City Attorney Jodoin, City Clerk Dannai Clayborn, Jim Zadick, Judge Anne Peterson, Acting City Manager David Knoepke, Gregory Thomas.

No opening comments were made.

**2. Commission Comments.** No comments were made by the commission.

**3. Discuss Litigation Strategy With Counsel Regarding an Agency Decision**

Discussion Ms. Crosby introduced herself and associate Jim Zadick to the commission. She mentioned their firm had been retained to assist the city in working through the current situation surrounding the city manager. Mr. Zadick then recommended that the meeting be closed to the public on the basis of the litigation strategy exception to the open meetings laws. Mayor Collins then closed the meeting to the public. All in attendance except for the Commission, Ms. Crosby, and Mr. Zadick left the meeting.

**CLOSED MEETING DISCUSSION**

Meeting was then re-opened to the public.

**4. Public Comment** No public comment.

The meeting was adjourned.

/S/ WILMOT COLLINS  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/S/ THOMAS JODOIN  
CITY ATTORNEY