



**CITY OF LA MARQUE
CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MINUTES
of
March 23, 2026**

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
Mayor Bell called the meeting to order at 4:11 p.m.
2. ROLL CALL
PRESENT:
Keith Bell
Joe Compian Mayor
Kimberley Yancy Mayor Pro Tem/ District B
Joseph Lowry District A
(arrived at 4:27 District C
p.m.) District D
Tonia Griffin (arrived
at 4:32 p.m.)
3. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION
There was no citizen participation.
4. EXECUTIVE SESSION
Mayor Bell recessed the regular meeting and entered into executive session at 4:17 p.m.
 - 4.I. Section 551.074 (Personnel Matter)
5. ACTIONS TAKEN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION
Mayor Bell closed the executive session and reconvened the regular meeting at 5:26 p.m.
 - 5.I. Section 551.074 (Personnel Matter)
Mayor Bell announced that the council interviewed both Clear Career Professionals and JG Consulting.
Mayor Pro Tem Compian was impressed by the caliber of companies that applied. He made a motion to retain Clear Career Professionals as the city manager search firm. Council member Griffin seconded.
Mayor Bell reiterated that both organizations are very distinguished, and he thanked them both for their kindness, candor, and time.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

6. REQUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no requests or announcements.

7. ADJOURNMENT

Council member Yancy made a motion to adjourn. Mayor Pro Tem Compian seconded.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

***Meeting was adjourned at 5:34 p.m.*