

Village of Dolton  
Special Meeting – INAUGURATION  
Via Zoom – Livestream on YouTube  
Saturday, May 8, 2021

MINUTES

MISTRESS OF CEREMONIES: Dorothy A. Brown-Cook  
Welcome Newly Elected Mayor, Clerk and Trustees  
This is a historic day for Dolton with the first black female and youngest Mayor.

Seating begins with incoming Police Chief Robert M. Collins and Fire Chief Steven A. McCain, Deputy Clerk Sharon Harris (in the absence of Clerk Mary K. Duggan), Outgoing Trustee Debra Denton; Current Trustees Andrew Holmes, Edward Steave and Jason House (Re-elected); Newly Elected Trustees Kiana Belcher and Brittany Norwood; Newly Elected Clerk Alison Key; Newly Elected Mayor Tiffany Henyard.

WELCOME: Cleo Jones, President of Dolton Park District  
On behalf of the Dolton Park District Commissioners and employees welcomed all dignitaries, residents to the swearing in.

CALL TO ORDER: In the absence of Mayor Riley H. Riley and Clerk Mary K. Duggan the Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees was called to order at 4:30pm  
By Deputy Clerk Sharon Harris. Quorum Established.

MOTION TO APPOINT TRUSTEE JASON HOUSE, MAYOR PRO TEM.  
Motion by Trustee Holmes Second by Trustee Ed Steave. No Discussion.

ROLL CALL

AYES: 4 Trustee Denton, Holmes, Steave and Henyard

NAYS: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

ABSENT: 1 Trustee Brown

Motion passed

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/

PRAYER Led by: Juliana Elizabeth Cordoba/Pastor William Fleshman, Abundant Living Christian Center.

SWEARING IN: Mayor-Elect Tiffany A. Henyard, The Honorable D. Renee Jackson, Judge  
(Amendment to Agenda) Circuit Court of Cook County.

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NATIONAL ANTHEM: Mayor Pro Tem House announce soloist – Talia Warr

SWEARING IN/  
SIGNING OF THE OATH: Mayor Pro Tem House announces swearing in of Clerk Alison Key,  
The Honorable Justice Nathaniel Howse, Illinois Appellate Court, First  
District.

Trustee Elects: Kiana L. Belcher  
Jason M. House  
Brittany J. Norwood  
The Honorable Justice Cynthia Cobbs,  
Appellate Court First District.

Trustee House announces tribute song for Mayor Elect Tiffany A. Henyard, song by  
Soloist – Faith Pittman, Rise Up, by Andra Day

Trustee House announces the presentation of flowers by:  
Cook County Board President Toni Pretwinkle  
Speaker of the House Chris Welsh

Trustee House presents: Mayor Tiffany Aiesha Henyard for the Mayor Inaugural Address (attached)

Mayor Henyard makes first appointments of Dolton: Robert M. Collins as Police Chief and  
Steven A. McCain as Fire Chief. Swearing-in and signing of the Oath of Office by Newly Elected Clerk  
Alison Key.

CLOSING PRAYER: Pastor Anthony W. Williams, Martin Luther King Community Church

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Mayor Tiffany A. Henyard

ROLL CALL:

AYES: 5 Trustees House, Holmes, Steave, Belcher and Norwood

ABSENT: 1 Trustee Brown

Motion Passed.

The meeting adjourned at:

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Alison Key, Village Clerk

APPROVED by the Board of Trustee this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021

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Tiffany A. Henyard, Mayor