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**: OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS :**

**: OF THE TOWN OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS :**

The Annual Town Meeting of the Town of the City of Peoria, Illinois, was called to order at 6:00 P.M., on April 11, 2023, by Town Clerk Stefanie Tarr, in Room 400, City Hall Building, 419 Fulton Street, Peoria, Illinois, with proper notice having been posted.

Present: Town Clerk Stefanie Tarr, Town Supervisor LaTrina Leary, Town Assessor Max Schlafley, Dr. Rita Ali, Mr. Andre Allen, Mr. Denis Cyr, Mr. Charles Grayeb, Ms. Denise Jackson, Ms. Elizabeth Jensen, Mr. John Kelly, Mr. Zachary Oyler, Mr. Timothy Riggerbach, Mr. Sid Ruckriegel, Town Attorney John Redlingshafer, Deputy Clerk II Courtney Coe, Police Chief Eric Echevarria, Township Electors, and members of the media.

**INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Town Clerk Stefanie Tarr requested a moment of silent prayer or reflection and then she led the pledge of allegiance. She explained to citizens that if they resided within the boundaries of Peoria Township and were a registered voter, they were Peoria Town Electors and they could participate in making motions or voting on items on the agenda.

**ELECTION OF MODERATOR**

Town Clerk Tarr opened the floor for nomination of a Moderator. Township citizen Ryan Hilde nominated Dr. Rita Ali to be elected Moderator; seconded by Township citizen Trina Bonds.

After the third call for nominations, Town Clerk Tarr determined there were no other nominations, and she closed the nominations.

Motion to elect Dr. Rita Ali as Moderator was approved by viva voce vote.

Dr. Rita Ali was sworn in as Moderator by the Town Clerk.

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS OF THE TOWN OF THE CITY OF PEORIA**

Mr. Timothy Riggerbach moved to approve the Statement of Financial Affairs of the Town of the City of Peoria; seconded by Mr. Andre Allen.

Motion to approve the Statement of Financial Affairs of the Town of the City of Peoria was approved by viva voce vote.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING HELD ON APRIL 13, 2021**

Mr. Timothy Riggenschach moved to approve the minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held on April 13, 2021; seconded by Mr. Sid Ruckriegel.

Motion to approve the minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held on April 13, 2021, was approved by viva voce vote.

**CITIZENS' OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE ELECTORS**

Moderator Ali stated they welcomed any general comments, however, pursuant to Public Act 095-0761, "Any matter or proposal not set forth in the published agenda shall not be considered at the Annual Town Meeting other than advising that the matter may be considered at a Special Meeting of the Electors at a later date. She said any fifteen (15) or more registered voters residing in Peoria Township may request an agenda item for consideration by submitting a request in writing to the Town Clerk signed by fifteen (15) Town Electors." She said anyone was welcome to address the group, however, no action could be taken on any item at this meeting.

Moderator Ali determined that there were no citizens who wished to address the Town Electors at that time.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Timothy Riggenschach moved to adjourn the Annual Town Meeting; seconded by Mr. Andre Allen.

Motion to adjourn the Annual Town Meeting was approved by viva voce vote.

The Annual Town Meeting was adjourned at 6:08 P.M.

  
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Stefanie Tarr, RMC, CMC, Town Clerk  
Town of the City of Peoria, Illinois

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