

# City of Northfield

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# Legislation Text

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City Council Meeting Date: January 5, 2021

**To:** Mayor & City Council

From: Lynette Peterson, City Clerk

Ben Martig, City Administrator

### **Subject:**

Consideration of Election of President Pro Tem.

#### **Action Requested:**

Staff recommends a <u>motion</u> to consider the appointment of Council Member Peterson White as President (Mayor) Pro Tem for 2021.

## **Summary Report:**

Section 3.9 of the City Charter states that "the council shall choose from its members a president pro tem who shall hold office at the pleasure of the council and shall serve as mayor in case of the mayor's absence or temporary disability".

The following are the President Pro Tem for the last five years:

2020 Councilor Grabau

2019 Councilor Ness

2018 Councilor Nakasian

2017 Councilor Peterson White

2016 Councilor Ludescher

Council may discuss or make motions to nominate particular members of the Council to fill the position.

#### **Alternative Options:**

N/A

#### **Financial Impacts:**

N/A

#### **Tentative Timelines:**

City Code Sec. 2-57 states that at the first meeting of the year Council shall choose a president pro tem.