

Zoom Council Meeting - September 20, 2022

(minutes submitted by Lisa Arenholz)

Present: George Nederhoff, Lisa Arenholz, Danielle Terrell, Craig Blanchard, Maureen Hanson, Mike Christiason, and Pastor Brian King

Not Present: Troy Olson and Bob Saathoff

George called the meeting to order at 8:30 p.m.

Discussion took place identifying a concern with the Town Hall Forum scheduled for September 25th at 6:00 p.m., given the new information with Pastor Brian resigning.

A motion was made (Hanson) and seconded (Blanchard) to postpone the meeting indefinitely.

Mike Christiason asked about the Interim Pastor. George opened discussion about the Interim Pastor.

Maureen Hanson referred to the By-Laws with the ELCA that say we need to go through the ELCA for an interim pastor. Pastor Brian spoke with Bishop Kevin about an interim in May but has not heard back.

Pastor Brian said he would abstain his vote but encouraged the council to keep the Town Hall Forum.

George asked everyone to vote “yes” or “no” to postpone the Townhall forum:

It was a split vote. George rescheduled another meeting for September 21st at 8:30 p.m. to revisit the motion.

Maureen Hanson moved to table the motion. Mike Christiason seconded. Motion approved.

Pastor Brian closed in prayer

Meeting adjourned.