SPECIAL MEETING – MARION COMMON COUNCIL – JANUARY 7, 2020 – 6:45 P.M., CITY HALL

City Clerk Kathleen Kiley called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m. She said the first thing she'll do is call roll and then she'll ask for motions for nominations for President and Vice-President.

On the call of the roll the following members were shown to be absent or present as follows:

Present: Cowgill, Luzadder, Fordyce, Cline, Brunner, Fouce, Batchelor and Cain.
Absent: Henderson.

Mrs. Kiley then told the Council they need a motion for nominations for President of the Marion City Council. Councilman Brad Luzadder said he'd like to make a motion that they appoint Councilwoman Cain to be their President for 2020. Motion was seconded by Councilman Gary Fordyce. Motion was then made by Councilman Brian Cowgill to close the nominations. Motion was seconded by Councilman Jim Brunner. The vote to elect Deb Cain as Council President was as follows: Aye: Cowgill, Luzadder, Fordyce, Cline, Brunner, Fouce and Batchelor. Nay: None. Abstain: Cain. Council President Deb Cain then took over the meeting from Mrs. Kiley. Councilman Jim Brunner said, by the way, for those who haven't heard, he's giving her (Cain) 10 Alan Miller moments of not speaking into an open microphone or she will be impeached. He's counting starting tonight. Council President Deb Cain then told the Council, at this time, they will take nominations for Vice-President. Councilman Cowgill said he'd like to nominate Brad Luzadder. Motion was seconded by Councilman Brunner. Motion was then made by Cowgill, 2nd by Brunner to close nominations. The vote to elect Brad Luzadder as Council Vice-President was as follows: Aye: Cowgill, Fordyce, Cline, Brunner, Fouce, Batchelor and Cain. Nay: None. Abstain: Luzadder. Council President Deb Cain told the Council, thank you very much, thank you for your confidence in her to take the President's seat and they have 10 minutes to relax and enjoy their time. And whoever brought the balloons, thank you.

The meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.