From:

Cretekos, George

Sent:

Saturday, November 17, 2018 11:09 AM

To:

Kuligowski, Patricia

Cc: Subject: Call, Rosemarie; Akin, Pam council vacancy

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the following was received as a message on my facebook page from wayne carothers--gnc

Dear George I read about the upcoming vacant council seat. If I could help in that matter I would be honored to do so: I have no intentions to run in 2020.

From:

Kuligowski, Patricia.

Sent:

Monday, November 19, 2018 10:04 AM

To:

City Council

Cc:

Akin, Pam; Burrows, Scott; Call, Rosemarie; Castelli, Joelle Wiley; Horne, William

Subject:

FW: Potential Vacancy on Council

For public record

From: Cretekos, George <george.cretekos@myclearwater.com>

Sent: Saturday, November 17, 2018 11:12 AM
To: Howard Warshauer <captainhw@gmail.com>

Cc: Kuligowski, Patricia < Patricia. Kuligowski@myClearwater.com>

Subject: Re: Potential Vacancy on Council

thanks, howard--waiting for letter which provides official notification of resignation, then council will begin formal process--gnc

From: Howard Warshauer < captainhw@gmail.com >

Sent: Friday, November 16, 2018 12:10 PM

To: Bob Cundiff; David Allbritton; Cretekos, George; Hamilton, Hoyt; Horne, William; Caudell, Doreen

Subject: Potential Vacancy on Council

Dear City Manager Horne, Mayor Cretekos, and Council Members,

I just finished watching last night's Council Meeting. What a difficult decision that must have been for Council Member Caudell.

Most of you know my background as commissioner for 4 terms in West Palm Beach and my involvement with many boards, committees, non profits, and other organizations in Clearwater.

I am ready, willing, and able to serve as Council Member. Additionally, I have no intention to run for office now or in the future. My learning curve would be minimal as I know how government works and many of the important issues in Clearwater.

It would be my honor to serve the citizens of Clearwater at this important time in its history.

Thanks for your consideration.

Howard Warshauer

From:

Cretekos, George

Sent:

Monday, November 19, 2018 4:56 PM

To:

Sheila-Al Cole

Cc:

Kuligowski, Patricia; Call, Rosemarie; Akin, Pami

Subject:

Re: City Council

thanks, sheila—we will be discussing this probably at our 12/6 meeting—advising colleagues and staff—gnc

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From: george cretekos < gcretekos@hotmail.com > Sent: Monday, November 19, 2018 4:51 PM

Subject: Fw: City Council

To Co. 1 W. City Council

To: Cretekos, George <george.cretekos@myclearwater.com>

From: Sheila Cole <shemail@tampabay.rr.com>
Sent: Saturday, November 17, 2018 9:51 AM

To: George Cretekos Subject: City Council

Surprised by Doreen's resignation and how it was done.

I respectfully ask that the Council appoint me to fill the open seat.

Over the years I have served our City as: President and Executive Director of the Clearwater Beach Chamber of Commerce, President of many City offices and programs including: The Coalition of Clearwater Homeowners Assoc., The Island Estates Civic Association, The original Jolley Trolley Board, The Clearwater Arts Foundation, City Beautification Board, Past President and present member of the Code Board as well as other Clearwater City programs and committees.

If you feel I would be an asset, I would be honored to serve.

Sheila Cole

Frank L. Dame 407 Leeward Island Clearwater, FL 33767 727-692-2655 fldame@gmail.com

DATE: 11/16/18

TO: City Council Members

FROM: Frank L. Dame

Subject: City Council Interim Member Consideration

Mayor and Council members:

I am submitting this questionnaire for each of you to consider me for interim council member to fill the vacancy of Council member Doreen Caudell's seat. I hope you will view me as a viable candidate for this interim position to contribute in the collective determination of our City's future in the coming years:

1. What is your understanding of the Council's duties and responsibilities?

Under Clearwater's form of government, the City Council is similar to the board of directors of a company. It sets policies and approves the City's budget. The City Manager essentially reports to the Council and administers policies established by the Council and the everyday activities of the City. The Council also establishes tax rates, approves code variances and annexations, reviews and approves large City contracts. Since the City Manager and City Attorney report to the Council, the Council is also charged with the performance evaluation of these two individuals.

2. Have you ever observed a Council meeting either in person or on C-View, the City's TV station?

Yes, I have attended and spoke at many City Council Meetings and regularly watch meetings on C-View.

- 3. What background and/or qualifications do you have that you feel would qualify you to serve on the Council?
 - President of GTE Leasing Company (VP GM of Verizon Credit Corp merger with GTE/Bell Atlantic).
 - Vice President of Sales and Marketing of Progress Telecom, a wholesale broadband and wireless infrastructure company of Progress Energy 2000 -2002
 - Exec VP/COO Clearwater Marine Aquarium 2008 present
 - Served as a member of the Marine Advisory Board for the City from 2004 2008
 - Graduate of Clearwater's Citizen's Academy.
 - Former member of the Citizens Advisory Committee 2005 to review of the City's Comprehensive Plan.

- Served on the Charter Review Committee 2007
- Member of the Community Development Board for 8 years (Chairman in 2016)
- Served on the Pinellas County Boating Access Task Force 2005
- Board Member of the Clearwater Region Chamber of Commerce 2009 to present (member of the Public Policy and Transportation Committee)
- Board member Clearwater Downtown Partnership 2012 2018
- Jolley Trolley Board member 2010 2012 (Chairman 2012)
- Board member of the Clearwater Beach Chamber of Commerce (Chairman 2016)
- Island Estates Civic Association Board of Directors 2003 2006 (President '05 '06)
- 4. Why do you want to serve as an Interim Councilmember?

I consider myself to have a good understanding of our city government and its departments and have a good working relationship with many City staff members.

I believe our City is in a transition to where it can become one of the greatest cities in the State of Florida. We are on the cusp of determining the best way to revitalize our City's Core and I would like contribute to the formulation of this transformation during the next two years as the decisions made will set the stage for the City's future for decades into the future. We are also determining how to best redevelop other areas of the City and formulate it's transportation needs. My background on the transportation committee for the Clearwater Regional Chamber of Commerce helps me to understand the complexities of the challenge to improve transportation alternatives for the future.

I hope you will find the above information worthy of your consideration for this interim position. If selected, it would not be my intention not to run for a City Council position in 2020 but is a path for me to contribute and be a part of the City's future.

Sincerely.

Frank L. Dame

From:

Cretekos, George

Sent: To: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 11:44 AM. Call, Rosemarie, Kuligowski, Patričia

Subject:

Fwd: Vacancy on City Council

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From: Lucile Casey < lucilecasey@gmail.com> Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 11:46:02 AM

To: Cretekos, George

Subject: Vacancy on City Council

Dear Mayor Cretekos,

Please contact me regarding the upcoming vacancy on the Clearwater City Council.

I may be interested especially if your guidelines about a femaile and not running again are appropriate.

At any rate, I would like to have a conversation with you.

I have been a Clearwater resident since 1963, served in public office on Pinellas School Board, and Florida Education Practices Commission, and am a Realtor Emeritus bringing both familiarity with neighborhoods, codes, and laws along with negotiating skills, and retired teacher in Clearwater.

Thank you for your time.

Lucile

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From:

Cretekos, George

Sent: To: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 11:34 AM Call, Rosemarie, Kuligowski, Patricia

Subject:

Fwd: Mayor Cretekos, I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself?

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From: Becca Tieder <becca@onestudent.org>
Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2018 11:29:56 AM

To: Cretekos, George

Subject: Mayor Cretekos, I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself?

Mayor Cretekos-

I have learned in the recent days that we share more than a love of our city but also many, many friends. By now I am sure someone has mentioned to you that I intend to apply (once the process is announced) for seat 2 on the Clearwater City Council. I am not writing to prematurely ask for your support, especially when we have not formally met but I do request fair consideration. Once the applications are open I will provide my credentials and my hope for Clearwater of the future.

Mr. Cretekos, I am not a politician. So I do not know if my contacting you directly is appropriate or expected. I just know that I love my city. I was born and raised in Pinellas County and have lived in Clearwater for the vast majority of my years. I think we are doing many things well and we have tremendous opportunity for growth. I firmly believe my unique, diverse and lengthy list of qualifications make me an attractive addition to your Council. If given the opportunity to meet, I would like to think you too will feel the same. Please contact me at anytime: my work cell is 813.784.7337.

Respectfully,

Becca Tieder

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November 19, 2018

VIA EMAIL & U.S. MAIL

The Honorable Mayor George Cretekos
The Honorable Bob Cundiff
The Honorable David Albritton
The Honorable Hoyt Hamilton
Clearwater City Hall
112 S. Osceola Avenue
Clearwater, FL 33756

Dear Mayor Cretekos and Councilmembers Cundiff, Albritton and Hamilton:

I am writing to recommend Rebecca Tieder for the vacancy on the Clearwater City Council.

I have known Ms. Tieder for more than 20 years. During that time, I have seen her manage a successful business, which is dedicated to preventing sexual violence. In that role she has meaningful conversations and confronts difficult topics with grace, tact, and, when appropriate, humor.

Ms, Tieder is also active in the community, chairing a program that has brought national speakers to Clearwater. She has also made innumerable contributions to the Mattie Williams Neighborhood Family Center.

Ms. Tieder is a lifelong resident of Pinellas County. She comes from a strong, local family that is dedicated to public service, with her mother having served in leadership in a number of community and national organizations and her father having been a Pinellas County circuit court judge for many years. Ms. Tieder's children attend Pinellas County Public Schools, just as she did, and she is an active and involved parent.

I whole heartedly endorse Rebecca Tieder for the vacancy on the Clearwater City Council. Please feel free to contact me if I can provide any additional information about Ms. Tieder.

Sincerely,

Ryan D. Barack

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