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Mayor Cindy Rosenthal announces a “meet and greet” reception will be held on Tuesday, July 31st beginning 5:30 p.m. at City Hall to meet the candidates for the Ward 3 Council position. Councilmember Hal Ezzell has announced his resignation effective July 31, 2012. The remainder of this unexpired term for this Council seat extends to July 2, 2013. As directed by City Charter, any vacancy occurring on the City Council shall be filled by a majority vote of the remaining members of City Council, for a period extending until the next regular municipal election.

Five candidates have expressed interest in the appointment to fill the unexpired term. Those candidates are: Mr. Benjamin Carter, Mr. Robert Castleberry, Dr. Robert McCloy, Mr. Shawn Hook and Ms. Renee Porter.

“The Council faces an important decision in selecting a new Councilmember for Ward 3, and the input from the community, particularly residents of Ward 3 is critical” said Mayor Rosenthal. “I strongly encourage as many people as possible to come and meet the individuals who have stepped forward to serve the community and to communicate their thoughts with members of Council.”

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