

# Press Release



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## **Councilman Fredd Adams resigns, effective immediately**

**(Jan. 19, 2013)** – Councilman Fredd Adams, who represents Single-Member District 4, submitted a letter of resignation Friday, Jan. 18, effective immediately.

Adams submitted his letter to the business office of Mayor Alvin New, who was out of town. “It was an immeasurable blessing for me to have dedicated so much hard work and time to the support, improvement and advancement of the City of San Angelo,” Adams wrote in his letter. “I will now have countless blessings in dedicating my future endeavors to my family and my ministry over the years to come.”

Adams had served on the Council since 2009. Single-Member District 4 is one of four Council seats slated to be filled in the May 11 election.

Under the City charter, Council vacancies shall be filled by a unanimous vote of the remaining Council member within 30 days of the vacancy. If Council members cannot unanimously agree on an appointment for the remainder of the unexpired term, the office shall be filled by a special election within 90 days of the vacancy. No election is held if the term expires before 90 days.

“I wish Councilman Adams the best,” City Manager Daniel Valenzuela. “Although we worked together for only a short time, I quickly came to admire the thoughtfulness with which he approached issues and the conviction he applied to his votes. He has been a committed public servant, so this could not have been an easy decision for him.”

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