



Four members of the Cleveland City Council took their oaths of office Monday and began four-year terms.

Tom Cassada, Dale Hughes, Avery Johnson, and David May, Jr. were elected to new terms in the August city elections. Each repeated their oath of office before Circuit Judge Mike Sharp. The ceremony took place at the Museum Center at Five Pointes. Family members and well-wishers attended the ceremony along with other city officials.

Tom Cassada joined the Council serving his first term representing the Third District.

Councilman Dale Hughes was re-elected in August city elections to represent the Fifth District. Hughes has served six years on the Council.

Councilman Avery Johnson has served on the Council twenty-two years and nine months. He did not seek re-election from the Third District. Instead he was elected citywide as one of two at-large Council members.

Councilman David May Jr. has served on the Council for twenty years. He was unopposed in the August city elections for another term representing the Fourth District.

After taking their oaths of office, the four joined Councilmen Richard Banks and Charlie McKenzie for a brief official meeting.

The Council reappointed Barrett Painter as city judge.

The ceremony began with the posting of the United States flag by the Junior ROTC of Bradley Central High School.



Bradley High School Junior ROTC



Councilman Tom Cassada takes the oath of office surrounded by family.



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Councilman Dale Hughes begins a new term accompanied by family.





Councilman Avery Johnson was sworn into office as a councilman at large, accompanied by family.



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Councilman David May Jr. repeats the oath of office as his family watches.

