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**TEMPLE TERRACE MAYOR TENDERS RESIGNATION**

[Temple Terrace, Florida] – In a letter dated May 18, 2017, Temple Terrace Mayor Kim Leinbach tendered his resignation as Mayor. Leinbach cited an “onset of significant family health issues, coupled with the opportunity to serve once again,” as the basis for stepping down.

Leinbach was elected to the Office of Mayor November 8, 2016. He has worked more than thirty years in government public service; including, previously serving as the Temple Terrace City Manager from January 1999 through April 2013.

Leinbach shared with city officials in his letter that his desire to continue public service has led him to accept the Interim City Manager position for Plant City.

Current Temple Terrace City Manager, Charles Stephenson, offered best wishes for the departing Mayor. Stephenson added that Council Member and Vice Mayor Robert Boss will fulfill the duties of the Office of Mayor in the interim and that the city will begin preparing for a special election to seat a new Mayor.

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