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## New SLC Council leadership chosen

SALT LAKE CITY – City Council Members have elected a new leadership team for 2019.

At the Council's January 8 meeting, a six-member\* group chose Charlie Luke, who represents District 6, as the Chair. James Rogers, who represents District 1, was chosen as the Vice Chair.



Both Members of this new team have previously served in Council leadership.

"I'm looking forward to again serving Salt Lake City in the year ahead as Chair of the City Council," said Luke, who was first elected to the Council in 2011.

"It's challenging work, but together with my colleagues as well as residents, businesses, community partners, and other leaders we can tackle our problems and carry forward the great momentum we have in our growing City."

Rogers was elected to the Council in 2013. The team will serve a standard, one-year term beginning immediately. They take over from outgoing Chair Erin Mendenhall and Chris Wharton, who was Vice Chair.

Council Members, acting in their capacity as the Redevelopment Agency Board (RDA) are expected to choose a new RDA leadership team at the Jan. 15 meeting.

\*One Council District seat, D4, is currently vacant.

Pictured left to right: Charlie Luke, James Rogers

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