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Vacancy filled on Seneca City Council

**(KMZA)--A vacancy has been filled on the Seneca City Council.**

**The Council Wednesday evening approved the appointment of Joe Schmelzle to the position of Ward 1 councilman.**

**Following his appointment, Schmelzle was sworn-in by Mayor Joe Mitchell and took his seat on the council.**

**He fills the unexpired term of Lucas Koch, who resigned in July after serving on the council since January.**

**Schmelze will serve a term expiring in January 2026.**

**He was the lone individual to express an interest in filling the position.**

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