



City Council Agenda Item

City Council Meeting Date: April 21, 2020

TO: Jim Throop, City Manager

FROM: Stacey Haddon, City Clerk
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SUBJECT: Adoption of Resolution No. 6314(20) Declaring the Results of the Consolidated Primary Presidential Election Held in Lompoc on March 3, 2020

Recommendation:

Staff recommends the City Council adopt Resolution No. 6314(20) (attached), which recites the facts and declares the results of the Consolidated Primary Presidential Election held on March 3, 2020, as provided by the County Clerk-Recorder-Assessor and Registrar of Voters Certification of Election Results of the Official Canvass.

Discussion:

As noted in Exhibit A of Resolution No. 6314(20), the County Clerk has canvassed the returns of the election and provided the City with an official Certification of Election Results of the Official Canvass and Certified Results. The City Council is requested to adopt a resolution reciting the results as determined by the Election:

- Measure I2020 – relating to a 1% sales tax, the electorate did vote in favor of it; and the measure was carried, and shall be deemed adopted and go into effect ten days after the date the vote is declared by the City Council of the City of Lompoc, pursuant to Election Code section 9217. Measure I2020 (Ordinance No. 1672(19)) is attached hereto as Exhibit B of Resolution No. 6314(20).

Fiscal Impact:

Earlier in the year, the City took the appropriate steps to consolidate the election with the Presidential Primary Election. This action minimized the cost to the City of the election to be reimbursed to Santa Barbara County consistent with past elections. The City budgeted approximately \$25,000 in the Biennial Budget Fiscal Years (Budget) 2019-2021 for election costs. While Santa Barbara County will not invoice the City for the March 3, 2020, election immediately, the prior election reimbursement cost was \$17,258.49 for the November 2019 election cycle to provide context for the cost of the most recent election.

While these costs were authorized with the Budget and affirmed with the actions to consolidate the City's election with the County's process, the action to certify the election does not have a fiscal impact other than the time to create this staff report, the related resolution and the time to present this item.

Conclusion:

City Council must adopt Resolution No. 6314(20), declaring the results of the Consolidated General Election, including the results of the vote on the 1% sales tax measure.

Respectfully submitted,

Stacey Haddon, City Clerk

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL TO THE CITY COUNCIL:

Jim Throop, City Manager

Attachment: Resolution No. 6314(20)