

RESOLUTION NO. _____

MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Coppell, Texas

May 12, 2012

CANVASS OF RETURNS AND DECLARATION OF RESULTS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT on this the 22nd day of May, 2012, at a meeting of the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas, a quorum, pursuant to § 67.004(a) of the TEXAS ELECTION CODE, being present, the meeting was called to order and the following business was transacted.

Upon motion it was unanimously ordered that the City Council consider the official returns of the general municipal election held in the City on May 12, 2012, for the election of one Councilmember for Place 2, one Councilmember for Place 4, one Councilmember for Place 6 and one Councilmember for Mayor; and for the special election of one Councilmember Place 3 and one Councilmember for Place 7.

WHEREUPON said official returns were opened, examined, canvassed and the results declared as follows:

CANVASS OF RETURNS AND DECLARATION OF RESULTS

WHEREAS, heretofore, the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas, called a municipal election under the TEXAS ELECTION CODE to be held in the City on May 12, 2012, to elect one Councilmember for Place 2, one Councilmember for Place 4, one Councilmember for Place 6, and one Councilmember for Mayor;

WHEREAS, heretofore, the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas, called a special election under the TEXAS ELECTION CODE to be held in the City on May 12, 2012, to fill the unexpired term for one Councilmember in Place 3 and one Councilmember in Place 7.

WHEREAS, immediately after said election the Presiding Judge and other officials holding said election made their returns of the results thereof to the City Council as follows, and said returns being made according to law, and duly authenticated, and it being shown that written notice of said elections were posted for the time and in the manner provided by law, and all other proceedings pertaining to said election having been shown to have been done and performed at and within the manner provided by law, and all papers pertaining thereto having been returned and filed with the City Council and no protest or objection being made to or regarding any matter pertaining to said election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas, after examining said returns and opening and canvassing the votes of said election, that the results of said general election are as follows:

That the following number of votes were cast for the following named candidate for the office of Councilmember Place 2, to wit:

NAME	EARLY VOTES	ELECTION DAY VOTES	TOTAL VOTES
Bob Mahalik	1,139	999	2,139

It appearing that Bob Mahalik received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Councilmember Place 2, Bob Mahalik is hereby declared to be elected to serve a three-year term after qualifying.

That the following number of votes were cast for the following named candidate for the office of Councilmember Place 4, to wit:

NAME	EARLY VOTES	ELECTION DAY VOTES	TOTAL VOTES
Davin Bernstein	431	434	865
Gary Roden	911	852	1,764

It appearing that Gary Roden received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Councilmember Place 4, Gary Roden is hereby declared to be elected to serve a three-year term after qualifying.

That the following number of votes were cast for the following named candidate for the office of Councilmember Place 6, to wit:

NAME	EARLY VOTES	ELECTION DAY VOTES	TOTAL VOTES
Marvin Franklin	1,118	991	2,110

It appearing that Marvin Franklin received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Councilmember Place 6, Marvin Franklin is hereby declared to be elected to serve a three-year term after qualifying.

That the following number of votes were cast for the following named candidate for the office of Mayor, to wit:

NAME	EARLY VOTES	ELECTION DAY VOTES	TOTAL VOTES
Karen Hunt	772	815	1,587
Marsha Tunnell	683	627	1,311

It appearing that Karen Hunt received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Mayor, Karen Hunt is hereby declared to be elected to serve a three-year term after qualifying.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas, after examining said returns and opening and canvassing the votes of a special election to fill the unexpired terms for Place 3 and 7, that the results of said special election are as follows:

That the following number of votes were cast for the following named candidates for the unexpired term of the office of Councilmember Place 7, to wit:

NAME	EARLY VOTES	ELECTION DAY VOTES	TOTAL VOTES
Aaron Duncan	1,114	1,012	2,127

It appearing that Aaron Duncan received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Councilmember Place 7, Aaron Duncan is hereby declared to be elected to serve the remainder of the unexpired term after qualifying.

That the following number of votes were cast for the following named candidate for the office of Councilmember Place 3, to wit:

NAME	EARLY VOTES	ELECTION DAY VOTES	TOTAL VOTES
Greg Garcia	537	438	975
Wes Mays	522	540	1,062
Margaret Lucyk	101	73	174
Mahesh Guduru	207	209	416

It appearing that Greg Garcia and Wes Mays received the most votes, but less than a majority of all votes cast for the office of Councilmember Place 3; and, being that no candidate having received a majority of votes, a run-off is hereby declared, which shall be held on June 23, 2012.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that this canvass and declaration of results of said election shall be entered in the Minutes of the City Council and that said officers, being so elected

after being qualified and having taken the oath, shall serve during the term commencing May 2012 and thereafter until a successor is duly elected and qualified.

This Resolution, declaring the results of the municipal elections shall become effective immediately after its passage.

DULY PASSED by the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas, this the 22nd day of May, 2012.

APPROVED:

DOUGLAS N. STOVER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHRISTEL PETTINOS, CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ROBERT E. HAGER, CITY ATTORNEY