

City of Sunnyvale

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REPORT TO COUNCIL

SUBJECT

Certification of November 3, 2020 Election Results - City Council Districts 2, 4 and 6 and the Office of Mayor

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

A General Municipal Election was held November 3, 2020 for the purpose of electing Council Members to City Council Districts 2, 4 and 6 and the Office of Mayor. The Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters canvassed the returns of the election and transmitted a Certification of Election Results to the City Clerk on December 3, 2020. Sunnyvale City Charter Section 601 provides that the four-year terms shall commence at the first regular meeting in January, at which the Council certifies the election results.

Pursuant to California Elections Code Section 10263 and City Charter Section 601, the attached resolution details the number of votes cast and percentage of the vote received by each candidate, and declares elected the following persons who have received the highest number of votes cast for each office:

Mayor: Larry Klein

Councilmember District Number 2: Alysa Cisneros Councilmember District Number 4: Russ Melton Councilmember District Number 6: Omar Din

The votes cast and percentage of the vote received by each candidate follows in the table below (Mayor/Councilmember-Elect name shown in bold):

Mayor

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Candidate	Votes Received	Percentage of Votes Received
Larry Klein	18,438	36.05%
Nancy Smith	17,240	33.71%
Michael S. Goldman	15,461	30.23%
Total Votes Cast:	51,139	100.00%

Councilmember District Number 2

Candidate	Votes Received	Percentage of Votes Received
Alysa Cisneros	4,242	53.66%
Josh Grossman	2,596	32.84%
Hina Siddiqui	1,067	13.50%
Total Votes Cast:	7,905	100.00%

Councilmember District Number 4

Candidate	Votes Received	Percentage of Votes Received
Russ Melton	5,670	71.26%
Paul Joseph Lesevic-Campos	2,287	28.74%
Total Votes Cast:	7,957	100.00%

Councilmember District Number 6

Candidate	Votes Received	Percentage of Votes Received
Omar Din	3,473	42.91%
Charlotte Thornton	2,653	32.78%
Leia Mehlman	1,967	24.30%
Total Votes Cast:	8,093	100.00%

Total Registration:69,204Precinct Ballots Cast:3,784Vote by Mail Ballots Cast:55,863Total Ballots Cast:59,647Voter Turnout:86.19%

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

The action being considered does not constitute a "project" within the meaning of the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15378(b)(5) in that it is a governmental, organizational or administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect changes in the environment.

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

PUBLIC CONTACT

Public contact was made by posting the Council agenda on the City's official-notice bulletin board outside City Hall, Sunnyvale Public Library and Department of Public Safety. In addition, the agenda and report are available at the Office of the City Clerk and on the City's website.

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STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Adopt the Resolution Declaring the Canvas of Returns and Results of the Consolidated General Municipal Election held November 3, 2020 for the Election of Councilmembers to City Council Districts 2, 4 and 6 and the Office of Mayor, and such other matters as provided by law.

Prepared by: David Carnahan, City Clerk

Reviewed by: Teri Silva, Assistant City Manager Reviewed by: John A. Nagel, City Attorney Approved by: Kent Steffens, City Manager

ATTACHMENT

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