

**ST. GEORGE CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING
AUGUST 26, 2025 4:00 P.M.
ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE ROOM**

PRESENT:

**Mayor Michele Randall
Councilmember Jimmie Hughes
Councilmember Dannielle Larkin
Councilmember Natalie Larsen
Councilmember Michelle Tanner
Councilmember Steve Kemp**

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

**City Manager John Willis
City Attorney Ryan Dooley
City Recorder Christina Fernandez**

OTHERS PRESENT:

Genna Goodwin, Washington County Chief Deputy Clerk

CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION, AND FLAG SALUTE:

Mayor Randall called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance. An invocation was offered by Rabbi Helene Ainbinder and The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Mayor Randall.

Link to call to order, invocation, and flag salute: [00:00:00](#)

CANVASS OF THE 2025 MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION:

BACKGROUND and RECOMMENDATION: Pursuant to §20a-4-301, Utah Code Annotated, the Mayor and City Council are the Board of Municipal Canvassers for the City of St. George. The Board of Municipal Canvassers shall meet to canvass the returns for the municipal general election, at the usual place of their meeting no sooner than 7 days after the election and no later than 14 days after the election.

Link to presentation from City Recorder Christina Fernandez, including discussion between the City Council, Genna Goodwin, Washington County Chief Deputy Clerk, Mayor Randall, and Ms. Fernandez: [00:03:10](#)

The results of the election are as follows:

Number of active registered voters:	54,467
Number of ballots returned and counted:	17,497
Total persons challenged (Ballots not counted):	2,091
Total persons who were issued a provisional ballot:	16
Number of provisional ballots not counted:	3
In-Person Voting:	300

This number includes early voting and election day voting at the Dixie Center

Mayor Race:

Total votes cast for each candidate:

Brannon R Razo	473
Michele Randall	7,312
Aros Mackey	3,313
Jimmie B Hughes	6,597
Overvotes:	29
Undervotes:	85
Contest totals	17,809

City Council Race:

Total votes cast for each candidate:

Nathan Caplin	3,299
Greg Aldred	4,724
Jami Leavitt	5,629
Natalie Larsen	6,372
Shane Losee	2,562
Michelle Tanner	7,635
Bryan D. Thiriot	2,233
Overvotes:	66
Undervotes:	3,098
Contest totals	35,618

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Link to motion: [00:07:49](#)

MOTION:

A motion was made by Councilmember Larkin to certify the results as presented.

SECOND:

The motion was seconded by Councilmember Kemp.

VOTE:

Mayor Randall called for a vote, as follows:

Councilmember Hughes – aye
Councilmember Larkin – aye
Councilmember Larsen – aye
Councilmember Tanner – aye
Councilmember Kemp – aye

The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

ADJOURN:

Link to motion: [00:08:30](#)

MOTION:

A motion was made by Councilmember Tanner to adjourn and reconvene in a work meeting.

SECOND:

The motion was seconded by Councilmember Larkin.

VOTE:

Mayor Randall called for a vote, as follows:

Councilmember Hughes – aye
Councilmember Larkin – aye
Councilmember Larsen – aye
Councilmember Tanner – aye
Councilmember Kemp – aye

The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

/s/Christina Fernandez

Christina Fernandez, City Recorder