

TOWN OF COPPERTON

RESOLUTION NO. R2025-10

DATE: September 17, 2025

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF COPPERTON TO CANCEL THE 2025
MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION**

WHEREAS, Utah Code § 20A-1-206 provides authorization and instruction for canceling a race in a local municipal election; and

WHEREAS, Utah Code § 20A-1-206 defines a “contested race” to mean a race in a general election where the number of candidates exceeds the number of offices to be held; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the definitions of “Race” in Utah Code Subsection 20A-1-206(1)(c), as it relates to a contest for a municipal council position that is not an at-large position and a contest for a municipal mayoral race, “Race” includes both a contest to represent a particular district of the council and a contest to represent the town as its mayor; and

WHEREAS, Utah Code Subsection 20A-1-206(3) permits Copperton to cancel a district race and/or a mayoral race in a local election because the ballots for Mayor, District C and D races will not include any contested race and there are no ballot propositions; and

WHEREAS, the Copperton Council passes this resolution, no later than 20 days before the day of the scheduled general election on November 4, 2025, that certifies the ballot for the Mayor, Districts C and D races will not include contested races and the candidates for the races are considered elected.

WHEREAS, the number of municipal officer candidates, including any eligible write-in candidates who did not file on or before August 29, 2025, for the Mayor, Districts C and D seats does not exceed the number for which the candidates have filed; and


WHEREAS, there are no other municipal ballot propositions; and

WHEREAS, the Copperton Council shall provide timely notice to the Lieutenant Governor and to the Town of Copperton pursuant to Utah Code Subsection 20A-1-206(4) that the Mayor, Districts C and D races in the local election are cancelled; and

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby resolved the Town of Copperton is canceling the 2025 races for Mayor, Districts C and D and certifies that Sean Clayton is the candidate for the Mayoral seat, Linda McCalmon is the candidate for the District D seat, and Jonathan Pratt is the write-in candidate for the District C seat for which the number of candidates does not exceed one. Sean Clayton is hereby considered to be elected to the office of Mayor, Linda McCalmon is considered to be elected to the office of Council Member for District D, and Jonathan Pratt is considered to be elected to the office of Council Member for District C.

Approved and adopted this 17th day of September 2025.

SIGNED:


Sean Clayton, Mayor

ATTEST:


Diana Baun, Copperton Town Clerk

COUNCILMEMBER	YES	NO	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Sean Clayton	X	/		/
Kathleen Bailey			X	/
Linda McCalmon	X	/		/
Kevin Severson	X	/		/
Tessa Stitzer	X	/		/

* CM Bailey was on zoom but we did not hear a response to motion.