

Minutes of the special meeting of the Ogden City Board of Canvass held on Tuesday, August 26, 2025, at 5:55 p.m., in the Council Chambers and via electronic meeting on the third floor of the Municipal Building, 2549 Washington Boulevard, Ogden City, Weber County, Utah.

Chair	Marcia L. White
Vice Chair	Richard A. Hyer
Council members	Bart E. Blair
	Angela Choberka
	Shaun Myers

Council Executive Director Janene Eller-Smith
Council Assistant Executive Director Glenn Symes
Council Senior Policy Analyst Steve Burton
Communications Director Brandon Garside
Communications Specialist Eric Davenport

Excused: Council members Dave Graf and Ken Richey

Also present: Mayor Benjamin K. Nadolski
Chief Administrative Officer Mara A. Brown
City Attorney Gary Williams
Management Services Executive Director Lisa Stout
Community and Economic Development Assistant Executive Director David Sawyer
City Recorder Tracy Hansen

At the request of the Chair, all present stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance led by Vice Chair Hyer.

A moment of silence was observed.

Acknowledgements: Board member Myers stated he and Chair White participated in the Weber Chamber of Commerce Legislative Affairs meeting this morning and he found it to be very insightful. Additionally, the Chamber performed a quick poll regarding economic development desires for the community, and he learned that industry is a top priority for the community; he briefly summarized the other priorities identified by the survey and concluded he is glad the Chamber is part of the Ogden community. Chair White agreed and stated many are pleased with the direction Ogden is moving in.

Consideration of certifying the August 12, 2025, Municipal Primary Election results

A memo from the City Recorder came before the Council to consider certifying the August 12, 2025, Primary General Election results. The memo stated Section 20A, Chapter 4 of the Utah State Code sets forth the election review process, designates the legislative body – the City Council – and the Mayor as the Board of Canvassers and outlines the Board’s duties for municipal elections. The City Recorder acts as the election official. The Board of Canvassers is responsible for certifying the official election results of municipal elections. Canvassing of returns for a Primary Election must occur no sooner than seven (7) days after the election and no later than fourteen (14) days after the election. After reviewing the returns, the Board must certify the results of the election and file a report that includes the following information:

1. The total number of votes cast in the Board’s jurisdiction;
2. The names of each candidate whose name appeared on the ballot;
3. The title of each ballot proposition that appeared on the ballot;
4. Each office that appears on the ballot;
5. From each voting precinct:
 - a. The number of votes for each candidate;
 - b. The number of votes for and against each ballot proposition;
6. The total number of votes given in the Board’s jurisdiction to each candidate;
7. The number of ballots that were rejected; and
8. A statement certifying that the information contained in the report is accurate.

City Recorder Hansen summarized the memo and reviewed the report of unofficial election results dated August 19, 2025. She summarized the election results for the races for Council At-Large Seat A and Council At-Large Seat B:

- Ogden City Council At-Large Seat A:
 - Alicia Washington – 2,793
 - Marcia White – 2,771

- Sherilyn Morreale – 551
- John H. Thompson – 1,167
 - Total votes cast – 7,282
- Ogden City Council At-Large Seat B:
 - Pieder Beeli – 1,031
 - Bart E. Blair – 2,702
 - Kevin Lundell – 3,576
 - Total votes cast – 7,310

Ms. Hansen noted the top two vote earners in each race will advance to the General Election; she then briefly reviewed the report regarding the number of ballots that were disqualified and cited the reasons for disqualification, noting that voters are notified of the potential for their ballot to be disqualified and given time to rectify the issue from which the disqualification would result. She concluded that it is her recommendation that the Board certify the results of the August 12, 2025, Municipal Primary Election.

Board member Choberka acknowledged the candidates who chose to run for office in Ogden City.

Ms. Hansen expressed gratitude to the Police Department for offering two officers to escort election workers from the polling location to the Weber County Elections Office to ensure safety of the staff as well as protection of the ballots.

BOARD MEMBER CHOBERKA MOVED TO CERTIFY THE RESULTS OF THE AUGUST 12, 2025, MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION. MOTION WAS SECONDED BY BOARD MEMBER MYERS, ALL VOTING AYE. Council members Graf and Richey were not present when this vote was taken.

There being no further business to come before the Board, **VICE CHAIR HYER MOVED THE MEETING ADJOURN AT 6:04 P.M. MOTION WAS SECONDED BY BOARD MEMBER MYERS ALL VOTING AYE. Council members Graf and Richey were not present when this vote was taken**

TRACY HANSEN, MMC/CRA
CITY RECORDER

MARCIA L. WHITE, CHAIR

APPROVED: October 27, 2025