

**MINUTES
TO BE
APPROVED**

**MINUTES OF THE CITY OF WEST JORDAN
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING**

**Tuesday, August 18, 2015
6:00 p.m.
Community Room, 1st Floor
8000 South Redwood Road
West Jordan, Utah 84088**

COUNCIL: Mayor Kim V. Rolfe, and Council Members, Judy Hansen, Chad Nichols, and Sophie Rice. Council Members' Jeff Haaga, Chris McConnehey, and Ben Southworth were excused.

STAFF: Bryce Haderlie, Interim City Manager, and Melanie Briggs, City Clerk.

OTHERS: Jay Thomas, JayLynn Thomas, Kevin Mertin, and Sherry Mertin.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Rolfe called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

II. BUSINESS ITEM

**CONVENE AS THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS AND APPROVE RESOLUTION 15-163,
ACCEPTING AND APPROVING THE RESULTS OF THE MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION
HELD AUGUST 11, 2015, AS SHOWN ON THE CANVASS REPORT**

Melanie Briggs stated that on August 11, 2015, the Municipal Primary Election was held to determine the candidates who would run for the Council member position in District 1, for a 4-year term. The two candidates with the most votes, will be running for election in the Municipal General Election to be held Tuesday, November 3, 2015.

The results listed below were from the end of Election Day after tabulating any Vote By Mail Ballots received in the mail by Noon on Election Day, and from the one Vote Center. At the Official Canvass, August 18, the City Council acting in the capacity of the Board of Canvassers, received the updated totals which included any valid ballots that were placed in drop boxes after Noon on Election Day; along with one provisional ballot received at the Vote Center on Election Day.

Listed below are the unofficial totals at the end of election night Tuesday, August 11:

Council District 1

Kevin Mertin – 649

Christopher M. McConnehey – 1,085

Jay Thomas – 617

Melanie Briggs reviewed the statistics received from Salt Lake County Elections with those in attendance. Certified Election Result Reports were prepared indicating the total number of votes received from each voting precinct in District 1. These reports must be adopted along with the resolution approving the canvass of the 2015 City of West Jordan Municipal Primary Election. The report was signed by the

approving Council members. The final official results for the Election were as follows:

Council District 1

Kevin Mertin – 668

Christopher M. McConnehey – 1,120

Jay Thomas – 636

The following candidates, having qualified by number of votes, will run for a four-year term at the Municipal General Election, November 5, 2015, as Council Member for Districts 1:

COUNCIL DISTRICT 1

Kevin Mertin

Christopher M. McConnehey

MOTION: Councilmember Hansen moved to approve Resolution 15-163, accepting and approving the results of the Municipal Primary Election held August 11, 2015, as shown on the Canvass Report. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Nichols.

A roll call vote was taken

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| Councilmember Haaga | Absent |
| Councilmember Hansen | Yes |
| Councilmember McConnehey | Absent |
| Councilmember Nichols | Yes |
| Councilmember Rice | Yes |
| Councilmember Southworth | Absent |
| Mayor Rolfe | Yes |

The motion passed 4-0.

Councilmember Nichols expressed appreciation to Jay Thomas and Kevin Mertin for putting their name on a ballot. The City needs to have good people to serve.

III. ADJOURN

MOTION: Councilmember Nichols moved to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Hansen and passed 4-0 in favor.

The meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

The content of the minutes is not intended, nor are they submitted, as a verbatim transcription of the meeting. These minutes are a brief overview of what occurred at the meeting.

KIM V. ROLFE
Mayor

ATTEST:

MELANIE S. BRIGGS, MMC
City Clerk

Approved this 25th day of August 2015

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