

Request for City Council Action

Date: April 28, 2015

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| Agenda Section: Consent Agenda No. 5 | Originating Department: City Clerk's Office |
| Item: Resolution Proclaiming Results of the April 7, 2015 Consolidated General Election No. 5.5 | Approved: |

A Consolidated General Election was held April 7, 2015, for the purpose of electing one (1) Mayor and three (3) City Council members.

The Jackson County Canvassing Board canvassed the votes and certified the results of the Municipal Election on April 21, 2015. The City Council is now asked to adopt a Resolution formally proclaiming the results of the election. The sole purpose of the Resolution is to document the election results for inclusion in the permanent records of the City. The Resolution proclaiming the results of the Municipal Election held on April 7, 2015, is attached.

Recommended Action

The Council is requested to approve the Resolution proclaiming the results of the Municipal Election held on April 7, 2015.

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| Engineering Approval Obtained | Finance Approval Obtained | Legal Approval Obtained | Approval Obtained | Manager's Approval Obtained |
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Council Action: Motion by _____ 2nd by _____ to _____

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-R-___

**A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE RESULTS OF THE CONSOLIDATED
GENERAL ELECTION HELD WITHIN THE CITY OF CARBONDALE,
JACKSON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, ON THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL, 2015**

WHEREAS, a consolidated general election was conducted in the City of Carbondale, Illinois, on the 7th day of April, 2015, for the purpose of electing one (1) person for the office of Mayor (one four-year term) and three (3) persons for the office of City Council Member (three four-year terms); and,

WHEREAS, the election was called in accordance with law, the votes were cast, and the Canvassing Board of Jackson County has canvassed the votes and declared the results of the election; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Carbondale desires to proclaim and declare the results of the consolidated general election so that the results are included in the permanent records of the City of Carbondale;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That a consolidated general election was held pursuant to law in the City of Carbondale, Jackson County, Illinois, on the 7th day of April, 2015; and,

2. That the consolidated general election was held for the purpose of electing one (1) person for the office of Mayor (one four-year term) and three (3) persons for the office of City Council Member (three four-year terms); and,

3. That on the 21st day of April, 2015, the Canvassing Board of Jackson County canvassed the votes of the consolidated general election and proclaimed and declared:

A. That the total number of ballots requested and received was 2,656;

B. That in the election for Mayor (one four-year term), John “Mike” Henry received a total of 1,622 votes and was declared elected;

C. That in the election for Mayor, Jane Adams received 979 votes and was not elected;

D. That in the election for City Council Member (three four-year terms), Tom Grant received a total of 1,242 votes, Adam Loos received a total of 1,151 votes, and Navreet Kang received 1,088 votes and all were declared elected;

E. That in the election for City Council member, Angela K. Kaye received a total of 913 votes, Lance D. Jack received a total of 885 votes, Anna Durrett received a total of 691 votes, and Rebel Pinkston received a total of 470 votes and none were elected; and

4. That the City Council of the City of Carbondale, Illinois, hereby accepts the results of the consolidated general election as proclaimed by the Canvassing Board of Jackson County; and

5. That this Resolution be spread at length upon the minute records of the City Council of the City of Carbondale, Illinois.

This Resolution passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Carbondale on the 28th day of April, 2015.

APPROVED: _____
Donald D. Monty, Acting Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Jennifer R. Sorrell, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO LEGALITY AND FORM:

P. Michael Kimmel, City Attorney