

**City of Palmer
Resolution No. 23-030**

Subject: A Resolution of the Palmer City Council Accepting the Certificate of Canvass Board Results and Certifying the October 3, 2023, Regular City Election

Agenda of: October 10, 2023

Council Action: ☒ **Approved** ☐ **Amended:** _____
 ☐ **Defeated**

Originator Information:

Originator: Shelly M. Acteson, City Clerk

Department Review:

Route to:	Department Director:	Signature:	Date:
_____	Community Development	_____	_____
_____	Finance	_____	_____
_____	Fire	_____	_____
_____	Police	_____	_____
_____	Public Works	_____	_____

Certification of Funds:

Total amount of funds listed in this legislation: \$ 0.00

This legislation (√):

<input type="checkbox"/>	Creates revenue in the amount of:	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Creates expenditure in the amount of:	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Creates a saving in the amount of:	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Has no fiscal impact	

Funds are (√):

<input type="checkbox"/>	Budgeted	Line item(s): _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Not budgeted	_____

Director of Finance Signature: _____

Approved for Presentation By:

Signature:

Remarks:

City Manager	_____	_____
City Attorney	_____	_____
City Clerk	_____	_____

Attachment(s):

1. Resolution No. 23-030
2. Canvass Board Certificate of Results

Summary Statement/Background:

The City of Palmer held its Regular Election on October 3, 2023. The Canvass Board met on October 5, and 6, 2023.

Administration's Recommendation:

Adopt Resolution No. 23-030 accepting the Certificate of Canvass Board Results and certifying the October 3, 2023, Regular City Election.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

Introduced by: City Clerk through the Council

Date: October 10, 2023

Action: Approved

Vote: Unanimous

Yes:

No:

Mayor Carrington
Alcantra
Melin
Best
Anzilotti

CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA

Resolution No. 23-030

A Resolution of the Palmer City Council Certifying the Results of the October 3, 2023, Regular City Election

WHEREAS, the city of Palmer held its Regular City Election on October 3, 2023; and

WHEREAS pursuant to Palmer Municipal Code 18.35.100, the Canvass Board met on October 5 and 6, 2023, to judge the validity of absentee by-mail, early, special needs, and questioned ballots cast by voters at the October 3, 2023, Regular City Election; and

WHEREAS on October 5 and 6, 2023, the Canvass Board opened and tallied the accepted ballots; and

WHEREAS the results of the accepted ballots were added to tally of votes cast at the polls on Election Day; and

WHEREAS the results compiled by the Canvass Board are shown in the attached Unofficial Results spreadsheet, Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Palmer City Council, certify that the October 3, 2023, Regular Election was held valid to the best of our knowledge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the results of the October 3, 2023, Regular Election are certified as follows:

- a. **Jim Cooper** was elected to a three-year council member term, having received the first greatest number of votes cast for that seat.

- b. **Richard W. Best** was elected to a three-year council member term, having received the second greatest number of voters cast for that seat.

**PROPOSITION NO. 1
(ORDINANCE NO. 23-002)**

	Vote Total:
Yes	367
No	94

**PROPOSITION NO. 2
(ORDINANCE NO. 23-004-A)**

	Vote Total:
Yes	413
No	48

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the 2023 ballots may be destroyed pursuant to Palmer Municipal Code 18.35.120.

Effective Date. This resolution takes effect upon adoption.

Approved by the Palmer City Council this 10th day of October, 2023.


Shelly M. Acteson, CMC, City Clerk


Steve Carrington, Mayor

