

CITY OF TEXAS CITY
SPECIAL CALLED CITY COMMISSION MEETING

AGENDA

MAY 15, 2024 - 4:00 P.M.

KENNETH T. NUNN COUNCIL ROOM - CITY HALL
1801 9th Ave. N.
Texas City, TX 77590

PLEASE NOTE: Public comments and matters from the floor are generally limited to 3 minutes in length. If you would like to request to speak, please do so in advance of the meeting by filling out a Request To Address Commission form. All in attendance are required to remove hats and/or sunglasses (dark glasses) during meetings and to also silence all cell phones and electronic devices.

- (1) ROLL CALL
- (2) INVOCATION
- (3) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- (4) CANVASSING ELECTION RESULTS
 - (a) Consider and take action on Resolution No. 2024-062, Canvassing the election returns for the City of Texas City's General Election held on Saturday, May 4, 2024. (City Secretary)
 - (b) Oath of Office: Oath of Office given to candidates who are declared winners from the May 4, 2024, Texas City General Election. (City Secretary)
 - (c) Ceremonial Oath of Office: Each newly sworn-in Officer may have a Ceremonial Oath administered by a person of their choosing. (City Secretary)
- (5) PUBLIC COMMENTS
- (6) COMMISSIONERS' COMMENTS
- (7) MAYOR'S COMMENTS
- (8) ADJOURNMENT

NOTICE OF ANY SUBJECT APPEARING ON THIS AGENDA, REGARDLESS OF HOW THE MATTER IS STATED, MAY BE ACTED UPON BY THE CITY COMMISSION.

NOTICE: The City of Texas City will furnish free transportation to handicapped individuals via a 4-door sedan for anyone wishing to attend the City Commission meetings. Call 948-3111, City Secretary's Office before noon on Monday preceding the meeting to make arrangements.

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NOTICE OF THE MEETING WAS POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 1801 9TH AVENUE NORTH, TEXAS CITY, TEXAS, AND ON THE CITY'S WEBSITE, ON THE DATE LISTED BELOW PRIOR TO 4:00 P.M.

RHOMARI LEIGH
CITY SECRETARY
POSTED: MAY 10, 2024

AI-7296

(4) (a)

CITY COMMISSION SPECIAL CALLED MTG

Meeting Date: 05/15/2024

Submitted By: Rhomari Leigh, City Secretary

Department: City Secretary

Information

ACTION REQUEST

Consider and take action on Resolution No. 2024-062, Canvassing the election returns for the City of Texas City's General Election held on Saturday, May 4, 2024. (City Secretary)

BACKGROUND (Brief Summary)

RECOMMENDATION

Fiscal Impact

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RESOLUTION NO. 2024-062

A RESOLUTION CANVASSING THE ELECTION RETURNS FOR THE CITY OF TEXAS CITY'S GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE FROM AND AFTER ITS PASSAGE AND ADOPTION.

WHEREAS, on the 15th day of May 2024, the City Commission of the City of Texas City, Texas, convened in a Special City Commission Meeting at the Kenneth Nunn Council Room, with the following members present, to wit:

Dedrick D. Johnson, Mayor
Thelma Bowie, City Commissioner At-Large
Abel Garza, Jr., City Commissioner At-Large
DeAndre Knoxson, City Commissioner District 1
Felix Herrera, City Commissioner District 2
Dorthea Jones Pointer, City Commissioner District 3
Jami Clark, City Commissioner District 4

constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings, were the following:

_____, introduced a resolution and order and moved its adoption. This motion was seconded by _____, and the motion carried with it the adoption and order prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes:
Nays:

THE RESOLUTION IS AS FOLLOWS:

FOR CITY:

**A MAYOR AND SIX COMMISSIONERS,
EACH TO SERVE FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS.**

WHEREAS, there came to be considered the returns of the general election held on the 4th day of May 2024, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and six Commissioners, each to serve for a period of two years, hereinafter named officials, and it appears from said returns, duly and legally made, that there were 2,020 cast votes at said election; 2,020 valid and legal votes were counted; cumulative and precinct reports are attached hereto as **Exhibit "A"**, and that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

Mayor	Number of Votes
Dedrick Johnson, Sr. (Unopposed),	1,563

Commissioner At-Large	Number of Votes
Andrew Walker Berry, II	282
Abel Garza, Jr.	1,002
Kevin Yackly	306
Thelma Bowie	1,246

Commissioner District 1	Number of Votes
Gilbert Robinson	273
DeAndre' Knoxson	300

Commissioner District 2	Number of Votes
Felix Herrera III	297
Shepherd Shelton	29
Keith Love	307

Commissioner District 3	Number of Votes
Chris Sharp	101
Dorthea Jones Pointer 77	77
Judith Silva	67

Commissioner District 4	Number of Votes
Jami Clark (Unopposed)	463

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF TEXAS CITY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: That said election was duly called, that notice of said election was given in accordance with law that said election was held in accordance with law, and that the following seven (7) persons were elected to the City Commission of the City of Texas City:

Dedrick D. Johnson, Sr., Mayor
Thelma Bowie, Commissioner At-Large
Abel Garza, Jr., Commissioner At-Large
DeAndre' Knoxson, Commissioner District 1
Keith Love, Commissioner District 2
Chris Sharp, Commissioner District 3
Jami Clark, Commissioner District 4

SECTION 2: That said above-named parties are hereby declared duly elected to said respective offices, subject to the taking of their oaths of office as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

SECTION 3: That it is further found and determined that, in accordance with the order of this governing body, the City Secretary posted written notice of the date, place, and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board located in City Hall, a place convenient to the public, and said notice, having been so posted, remained posted continuously for at least seventy-two (72.0) hours preceding the date of this meeting.

SECTION 4: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of May 2024.

Dedrick D. Johnson, Mayor
City of Texas City, Texas

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Rhomari D. Leigh
City Secretary

Kyle L. Dickson
City Attorney

CANVASS OF GENERAL ELECTION

I, Rhomari Leigh, City Secretary of the City of Texas City, Texas, met with the City Commission sitting as the Canvassing Board to canvass the General Election of May 4, 2024, on May 15, 2024, at the Kenneth Nunn Council Room located at 1801 9th Avenue North, Texas City, Texas.

I certify that the figures on the tally sheets correspond with the figures on the returns.

Witness my hand this 15th day of May 2024.

Presiding Officer of Canvassing Authority

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RETURNS

I, the undersigned, the presiding officer of the canvassing authority for the Texas City General Election, held on the 15th day of May 2024, Galveston County, Texas, do hereby certify that the following is a total of all votes received by each candidate as shown by the district returns. I further certify that the following vote totals include early voting votes received under Section 87.1231 of the Texas Election Code.

Mayor	Number of Votes	Percentage
Dedrick Johnson, Sr. (Unopposed),	1,563	100.00%
Commissioner At-Large	Number of Votes	Percentage
Andrew Walker Berry, II	282	9.94%
Abel Garza, Jr.	1,002	35.33%
Kevin Yackly	306	10.79%
Thelma Bowie	1,246	43.94%
Commissioner District 1	Number of Votes	Percentage
Gilbert Robinson	273	47.64%
DeAndre' Knoxson	300	52.36%
Commissioner District 2	Number of Votes	Percentage
Felix Herrera III	297	46.92%
Shepherd Shelton	29	4.58%
Keith Love	307	48.50%
Commissioner District 3	Number of Votes	Percentage
Chris Sharp	101	41.22%
Dorthea Jones Pointer	77	31.43%
Judith Silva	67	27.35%
Commissioner District 4	Number of Votes	Percentage
Jami Clark	463	100.00%

DATED this 15th day of May 2024

Presiding Officer of Canvassing Authority

contest name	choice name	total votes
City of Texas City, Mayor (Vote For 1)	Dedrick D. Johnson	1563
City of Texas City, Commissioner At-Large (Vote For 2)	Andrew Walker Berry, II	282
City of Texas City, Commissioner At-Large (Vote For 2)	Abel Garza, Jr.	1002
City of Texas City, Commissioner At-Large (Vote For 2)	Kevin Yackly	306
City of Texas City, Commissioner At-Large (Vote For 2)	Thelma Bowie	1246
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 1 (Vote For 1)	Gilbert Robinson	273
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 1 (Vote For 1)	DeAndre' Knoxson	300
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 2 (Vote For 1)	Felix Herrera III	297
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 2 (Vote For 1)	Shepherd Shelton	29
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 2 (Vote For 1)	Keith Love	307
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 3 (Vote For 1)	Chris Sharp	101
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 3 (Vote For 1)	Dorthea Jones Pointer	77
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 3 (Vote For 1)	Judith Silva	67
City of Texas City, Commissioner District 4 (Vote For 1)	Jami Clark	463

percent of votes	registered voters	ballots cast	num Precinct total	num Precinct rptg	over votes
100	33538	2020	28	17	0
9.94	33538	2020	28	17	0
35.33	33538	2020	28	17	0
10.79	33538	2020	28	17	0
43.94	33538	2020	28	17	0
47.64	6937	582	6	4	0
52.36	6937	582	6	4	0
46.92	11610	651	10	5	0
4.58	11610	651	10	5	0
48.5	11610	651	10	5	0
41.22	6683	254	7	5	0
31.43	6683	254	7	5	0
27.35	6683	254	7	5	0
100	8308	533	5	3	0

under votes

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