

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-17

A RESOLUTION OF THE FLAGSTAFF CITY COUNCIL, ORDERING AND CALLING A PRIMARY ELECTION, IF NECESSARY, TO BE HELD ON JULY 21, 2026, AND A GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2026

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Flagstaff City Charter and the Arizona Revised Statutes, the City of Flagstaff's next regularly scheduled elections will be held on July 21, 2026, if necessary, and November 3, 2026, for the purpose of nominating and/or electing one Mayor and three Councilmembers; and

WHEREAS, Article IX, Section 5(b) of the Flagstaff City Charter provides that in the event that no more than two candidates file nomination petitions for each vacancy in office, the Primary Election may be dispensed with; and

WHEREAS, the Council may consolidate the election with any other election conducted in the City on November 3, 2026 as applicable.

ENACTMENTS:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. It is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City of Flagstaff, Arizona, a Primary Election on Tuesday, July 21, 2026 to nominate candidates for three councilmember seats whose names shall appear on the ballot at the general election to be held on November 3, 2026. In the event that no more than two candidates for each vacancy qualify for the ballot, the Primary Election may be dispensed with.

SECTION 2. Only persons who are qualified electors of the City shall vote at the Election. Coconino County registration and voting lists will be used for the municipal election. The last date to register to vote is June 22, 2026 to be eligible to vote in the Primary Election and October 5, 2026 to be eligible to vote in the General Election.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk is authorized to enter into any agreements with the Coconino County Elections Department and any necessary vendors to provide election services.

SECTION 4. The polling places used in the City will be the polling places established by Coconino County. The polls will be open from 6:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Election Day.

SECTION 5. The Election shall be held, conducted and canvassed in conformity with the provisions of the general election laws of the State of Arizona, except as otherwise provided by law.

SECTION 6. All expenditures as may be necessary to order, notice, hold and administer the Election are hereby authorized, which expenditures shall be paid from current operating funds of the City.

SECTION 7. The City Clerk is hereby further authorized to take all other necessary action to facilitate the Election.

SECTION 9. In all particulars not recited in this Resolution, the elections shall be held and conducted in accordance with the election laws of the State of Arizona, except as otherwise provided by the City Charter.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Flagstaff this 21st day of April, 2026.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY