

KENNEDALE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

SPECIAL MEETING | JUNE 15, 2021 AT 5:00 PM

CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS | 405 MUNICIPAL DRIVE, KENNEDALE, TX 76060

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I. CALL TO ORDER

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II. ROLL CALL

III. REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. Recognition of outgoing Councilmembers

IV. ELECTION BUSINESS

- A. Certification of official returns by the City Secretary
- B. Consider approval of a Resolution, canvassing returns and declaring results of a Runoff Election held on June 5, 2021, for the purpose of electing Councilmember Place 5
- C. Oath of Office for James Connor, Place 5 (2021-2023)

V. ADJOURNMENT

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CERTIFICATION

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE JUNE 15, 2021 KENNEDALE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA WAS POSTED INSIDE THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF CITY HALL (405 MUNICIPAL DRIVE), IN A PLACE CONVENIENT AND READILY ACCESSIBLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT ALL TIMES; AND THAT SAID AGENDA WAS POSTED AT LEAST SEVENTY-TWO (72) HOURS PRECEDING THE SCHEDULED TIME OF SAID MEETING, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 551 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE.



LESLIE E. GALLOWAY, CITY SECRETARY

MEETING DATE: JUNE 15, 2021

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS ITEM III.A.

SUBJECT

Recognition of outgoing Councilmembers

ORIGINATED BY

George Campbell, City Manager

SUMMARY

At this time, Mayor Brian Johnson and the Council may recognize any outgoing Councilmembers, who may take this time to offer statements regarding their time in office and/or offer a general farewell.

RECOMMENDATION

ATTACHMENTS

MEETING DATE: JUNE 15, 2021

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: ELECTION BUSINESS IV.A.

SUBJECT

Certification of official returns by the City Secretary

ORIGINATED BY

Leslie E. Galloway, City Secretary & Communications Coordinator

SUMMARY

At this time, the City Secretary will certify to the City Council the official election returns for canvassing of the June 5, 2021 runoff election for the purposes of electing the offices of City Council Place 5.

Official returns are expected to be received from Tarrant County Elections no later than Tuesday, June 15, and will be provided to the Council prior to the meeting.

As a result of the unofficial returns (attached), it would appear that the following are elected:

- Place 5: James Connor

RECOMMENDATION

Any motion to approve should acknowledge the Council's receipt of the certification of these official returns for the runoff election held Saturday, June 5, 2021; and approving that they be filed within the City's election register as page 75-B.

ATTACHMENTS

1.	Election Night Results	Election Night Results.pdf
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CITY OF KENNEDALE COUNCILMEMBER, PLACE 5

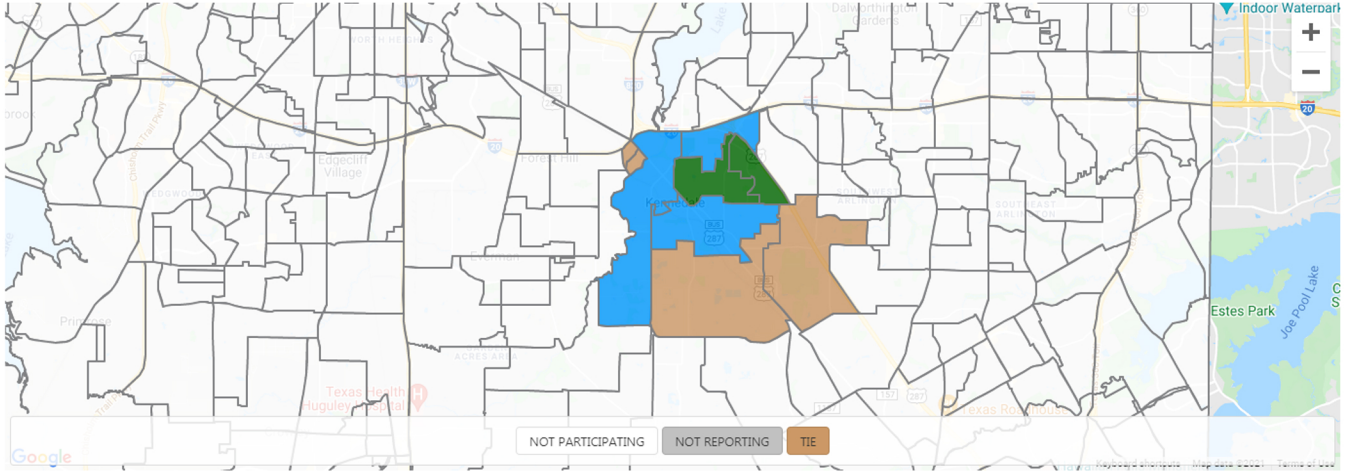
(VOTE FOR: 1)

Last updated

Saturday, June 5, 2021, 11:49:47 PM (4 days ago)



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Results

Vote types



Party / Candidate

Votes

Chad Wandel

117

46.61%

Absentee: 5

Early: 63

Election: 49

James Connor

134

53.39%

Absentee: 6

Early: 88

Election: 40

Vote Cast

251

11

Absentee

151

Early

89

Election

MEETING DATE: JUNE 15, 2021

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: ELECTION BUSINESS IV.B.

SUBJECT

Consider approval of a Resolution, canvassing returns and declaring results of a Runoff Election held on June 5, 2021, for the purpose of electing Councilmember Place 5

ORIGINATED BY

Leslie E. Galloway, City Secretary & Communications Coordinator

SUMMARY

The attached Resolution declares the results of the runoff election held Saturday, June 5, 2021, for the purpose of electing City Council Place 5.

RECOMMENDATION

Approve

ATTACHMENTS

1.	R589 Canvassing Runoff Election 2021 (004)	R589 Canvassing Runoff Election 2021 (004).docx
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RESOLUTION NO. 589

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENNEDALE, TEXAS, CANVASSING RETURNS AND DECLARING RESULTS OF A RUNOFF ELECTION HELD ON JUNE 5, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 5.

WHEREAS, the City of Kennedale (the "City") is a home rule city acting under its charter adopted by the electorate, pursuant to Article XI, Section 5, of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 9 of the Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council previously ordered a runoff election for the purpose of electing Councilmember Place 5; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly held at the time and place specified after due notice as required by law had been given by posting and publication; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Texas Election Code, the City Council is required to canvass the returns and declare the results of the election; and

WHEREAS, the runoff election returns showed that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

CITY COUNCIL PLACE 5

CANDIDATE	ABSENTEE	EARLY VOTING	ELECTION DAY	TOTAL	PERCENTAGE
CHAD WANDEL	5	63	49	117	46.61
JAMES CONNOR	6	88	40	134	53.39

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

SECTION 1.

The declarations and findings contained in the preamble of this Resolution are hereby found to be true and correct and shall be made a part hereof.

SECTION 2.

The City Council hereby finds and declares that the said City Council election for City Council Place 5 was held on June 5, 2021, at which election qualified voters were given the opportunity to vote for the purpose of electing Councilmember Place 5.

SECTION 3.

The City Council further finds and declares that such returns are correct and adopts them as the returns of the election held June 5, 2021, together with the tabulation of the total number of votes received.

SECTION 4.

The City Council further finds the following persons be declared elected to the office of City Council:

That **James Connor** is hereby declared to be elected to the Office of City Council Place 5 of the City of Kennedale, Texas.

SECTION 5.

This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and it is so resolved.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENNEDALE ON THE 15th DAY OF JUNE, 2021.

APPROVED:

[CITY SEAL]

MAYOR BRIAN JOHNSON

ATTEST:

CITY SECRETARY LESLIE E. GALLOWAY

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

CITY ATTORNEY DREW LARKIN

MEETING DATE: JUNE 15, 2021

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: ELECTION BUSINESS IV.C.

SUBJECT

Oath of Office for James Connor, Place 5 (2021-2023)

ORIGINATED BY

Leslie E. Galloway, City Secretary & Communications Coordinator

SUMMARY

At this time, City Secretary Leslie E. Galloway will administer the Oath of Office.

RECOMMENDATION

ATTACHMENTS