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## Special Called City Council Meeting Agenda

12:00 p.m.

May 11, 2021

300 West Cotton Street

Jo Ann Metcalf Municipal Building

City Hall Council Chamber

### **I. Call to Order**

### **II. Citizen Comment**

### **III. Election Items**

- A. Presentation of Canvass of May 1, 2021 General Election for City Council Member District No. 1 and District No. 2 – Angie Shepard, City Secretary.
- B. Consider a Resolution declaring the results of the May 1, 2021 General Election for Council District No. 1 and District No. 2 – Angie Shepard, City Secretary. Pages 2-5

### **IV. Adjourn**

Any final action, decision, or vote on a matter deliberated in a closed meeting will only be taken in an open meeting that is held in compliance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 551. The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into a closed meeting or executive session as authorized by Texas Government Code, Sections 551.001, et seq. (the Texas Open Meetings Act) on any item on its open meeting agenda in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, including, without limitation Sections 551.071-551.088 of the Texas Open Meetings Act. In addition, the City Council may consider a vote to excuse the absence of any City Council Member for absence from this meeting or for absence from any previous City Council meeting.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aid or services are requested to contact the City Secretary's Office at 903.237.1080 at least two days before this meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. Para ayuda en español, por favor llame al 903.237.1000.

## ELECTION CANVASS

**DESCRIPTION:** Consider a Resolution canvassing the results of the May 1, 2021, General Election for expired term of Council District No.1 and District No. 2.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approval of Resolution

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:**

**STAFF CONTACT:** Angie Shepard, City Secretary  
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**COUNCIL DATE:** May 11, 2021

RESOLUTION NO.

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONGVIEW, TEXAS, DECLARING THE RESULTS OF CITY OFFICERS' GENERAL ELECTION FOR CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT NO. 1 AND DISTRICT NO. 2; DETERMINING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH THIS RESOLUTION WAS APPROVED COMPLIED WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT; MAKING OTHER FINDINGS AND PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Longview, Texas, by Ordinance No. 4289 adopted on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020, did call an election to be held on May 1, 2021, for the purpose of electing a member of the City Council for City Council Voting District No. 1 and District No. 2 to fill a term expiring May, 2021; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council did direct that said election be held and conducted and the returns thereof made in accordance with the Texas Election Code, the Charter of the City of Longview, and all other applicable statutes of the State of Texas and ordinances of the City of Longview, Texas; and,

WHEREAS, said election has been conducted in accordance with law and the election returns have been presented to and have been canvassed by the City Council; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONGVIEW, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the findings set out in the preamble to this resolution are hereby in all things approved and adopted.

Section 2. 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; that returns were duly and legally made; and that there were cast at said election valid and legal votes.

Section 3. That each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

For Member of Council, Voting District No. 1

<u>Name Of Candidate</u>	<u>Total Number Of Votes Received</u>
John A. Sims	<u>5</u>
Temple Carpenter	<u>134</u>
Jeremiah Hunter	<u>54</u>

For Member of Council, Voting District No. 2

<u>Name Of Candidate</u>	<u>Total Number Of Votes Received</u>
Nona Snoddy	<u>243</u>
Marisa R. Ward	<u>75</u>

Section 4. That, based on the results of said election, the following individual was duly elected as Member of Council of the City of Longview, Texas, to serve a three (3) year term, to-wit:

Temple Carpenter III	Member of Council, Voting District No. 1
Nona Snoddy	Member of Council, Voting Distirct No. 2

and said above-named party is hereby declared duly elected to said office, subject to the taking of the oath.

Section 5. That the City Council further finds and determines that the City Secretary posted written notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin boards located in the City Hall and outside the City Hall, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public and said notice having been so posted and remaining posted continuously for at least seventy-two (72) hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting. A copy of the return of said postings shall be attached to the minutes of this meeting and shall be made a part thereof for all intents and purposes.

Section 6. That this resolution shall become effective immediately from and after its date of passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021.

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Dr. Andy Mack  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Angie Shepard  
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Jim Finley  
City Attorney

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