



City of Mesquite, Texas

Minutes - Final City Council

Thursday, November 14, 2019

6:00 PM

City Hall | Council Chamber
757 N. Galloway | Mesquite, Texas

Present: Mayor Stan Pickett and Councilmembers Tandy Boroughs, Robert Miklos, Greg Noschese, Bruce Archer and Dan Aleman, City Manager Cliff Keheley and City Secretary Sonja Land.

Absent: Councilmember Jeff Casper.

SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING - CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER - 6:00 P.M.

INVOCATION

Devin LaBay, Pulpit Minister, Mesquite Church of Christ, Mesquite, Texas.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Assistant City Manager Ted Chinn, Police Chief Charles Cato and Fire Chief Mark Kerby.

OTHER BUSINESS

- 1 Canvass results of General Election held November 5, 2019, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Councilmembers for Places, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Sonja Land, City Secretary, read the results, according to the canvass reports provided by the Dallas County and Kaufman County Elections Departments, of the General Election for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Councilmembers for Places, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 held November 5, 2019.

- 2 Consider a resolution declaring the results of the November 5, 2019, General Election and calling a runoff election to be held on December 14, 2019.

Mr. Noschese moved to approve Resolution No. 77-2019, A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF AN ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, ON NOVEMBER 5, 2019, FOR THE ELECTION OF A MAYOR AND CITY COUNCILMEMBERS FOR PLACES 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 6; ORDERING A RUNOFF ELECTION TO BE HELD DECEMBER 14, 2019; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

Number of votes cast for the Office of Mayor:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
Bruce Archer	4,628	52.47%
Stan Pickett	4,193	47.53%

Number of votes cast for the Office of Councilmember, Place 1:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
Sherry Wisdom	649	45.64%
Jenny Martinez	341	23.98%
David J. Burris	432	30.38%

Number of votes cast for the Office of Councilmember, Place 2:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
Kenny Green	565	64.87%
Dorothy Patterson	306	35.13%

Number of votes cast for the Office of Councilmember, Place 3:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
Robert Miklos	859	59.32%
Noe Villarreal	129	8.91%
Jennifer Vidler	460	31.77%

Number of votes cast for the Office of Councilmember, Place 4:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
Tandy Boroughs	616	52.38%
Bryan Odom	560	47.62%

Number of votes cast for the Office of Councilmember, Place 5:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
B. W. Smith	1,027	58.42%
Henry Brown	393	22.35%
Sergio Garcia	338	19.23%

Number of votes cast for the Office of Councilmember, Place 6:

NAME	NUMBER OF VOTES	PERCENTAGE
Daniel Aleman, Jr.	989	54.37%
Christina M. Sowell	830	45.36%

Motion was seconded by Mr. Boroughs and approved unanimously. (Resolution No. 77-2019 recorded in Resolution Book No. 58.)

3 Installation of newly elected Mayor and Councilmembers.

City Secretary Sonja Land administered the Oath of Office to Mayor Bruce Archer, Councilmembers Kenny Green, Place 2, Robert Miklos, Place 3, Tandy Boroughs, Place 4, B. W. Smith, Place 5, and Dan Aleman, Place 6.

Mr. Green and Mr. Smith entered the meeting and took their seats at the dais. Mr. Noschese left the dais.

4 Presentation of gavel to former Mayor Stan Pickett.

Mayor Bruce Archer presented former Mayor Stan Pickett with a gavel commemorating his service to the City of Mesquite.

PRESENTATION

Motley Elementary School students performed the song "Por La Vida."

PRAYER

Harry Sewell, Lead Pastor, Family Cathedral, Mesquite, Texas, and Dr. Terry Turner, Senior Pastor, Mesquite Friendship Baptist Church, Mesquite, Texas, invited ministers in attendance to come forward to participate in the closing prayer.

CLOSING REMARKS

Mayor Bruce Archer thanked everyone for attending and presented closing remarks.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Miklos moved to adjourn the meeting. Motion was seconded by Mr. Aleman and approved unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Attest:

Approved:

Sonja Land, City Secretary

Bruce Archer, Mayor