

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARROYO GRANDE, CALIFORNIA, RECITING THE FACT OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2022, DECLARING THE RESULTS AND SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS PROVIDED BY LAW

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election was held in the City of Arroyo Grande, California, on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, notice of the election was given in time, form and manner as provided by law; that voting precincts were properly established; that election officers were appointed and that in all respects the election was held and conducted and the votes were cast, received and canvassed and the returns made and declared in time, form and manner as required by the provisions of the Elections Code of the State of California for the holding of elections in general law cities; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution Nos. 5187 and 5188, the San Luis Obispo County Clerk-Recorder canvassed the returns of the election and has certified the results, which are attached hereto and made a part herein as "Exhibit A".

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Arroyo Grande, California, that:

1. All of the above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.
2. The whole number of ballots cast in the city was 9,170.
3. The names of the persons voted for at the election for Mayor are as follows: **Caren Ray Russom, Gaea Powell, and Dale T. Hanson.**
4. The names of the persons voted for at the election for District 1 Member of the City Council are as follows: **Kathleen Secrest.**
5. The names of the persons voted for at the election for District 4 Member of the City Council are as follows: **Ben Franco, and James Robert Guthrie.**
6. The Measure voted upon at the election is as follows:

Measure D-22: *To provide funding for general governmental use in Arroyo Grande, including maintenance and repair of streets, sidewalks, stormwater and drainage facilities, and for other City programs and facilities, shall an ordinance establishing a one percent sales tax be adopted, providing approximately \$5,600,000 annually until ended by the City Council and requiring annual reports on revenues and expenditures, and review and public hearing by the City Council every five years on its necessity?*

7. The whole number of ballots cast and the number of ballots cast for the above-named offices are listed in "Exhibit A", attached hereto and made a part hereof.
8. The City Council does declare and determine that as a result of the election:

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- **Caren Ray Russom** was elected as Mayor for a full term of two (2) years;
 - **Kathleen Secrest** was elected as District 1 Member of the Council Member for a full term of four (4) years;
 - **James Robert Guthrie** was elected as District 4 Member of the City Council for a full term of four (4) years.
 - A majority of the voters voting on **Measure D-22** relating to the City's authority to increase the Transaction and Use Tax ("Sales Tax") to fund maintenance and repair of streets, sidewalks, stormwater and drainage facilities, and for other City programs and facilities did **not** vote **in favor** of it, and that the measure was not carried, and shall not be deemed adopted or ratified.
9. The City Clerk shall enter into the records of the City of Arroyo Grande a statement of the results of the election, showing: (1) The total number of ballots cast in the City; (2) the names of the persons voted for; (3) for what office each person was voted for; and (4) the total number of votes given to each person, and for and against the measure.
10. The City Clerk shall immediately make and deliver to each of the persons so elected a Certificate of Election signed by the City Clerk and authenticated; that the City Clerk shall administer to each person elected the Oath of Office prescribed in the Constitution of the State of California and shall have them subscribe to it and file it in the Office of the City Clerk. Each and all of the persons so elected shall then be inducted into the respective office to which they have been elected.
11. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

On motion by Council Member _____, seconded by Council Member _____, and on the following roll call vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

The foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted this 13th day of December, 2022.

CAREN RAY RUSSOM, MAYOR

ATTEST:

JESSICA MATSON, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

WHITNEY MCDONALD, CITY MANAGER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

TIMOTHY J. CARMEL, CITY ATTORNEY

