

**Pleasant Grove City  
City Council Special Meeting Minutes  
August 27, 2019  
5:00 p.m.**

Mayor: Guy L. Fugal

Council Members: Dianna Andersen  
Eric Jensen – listening telephonically  
Cyd LeMone  
Lynn Walker  
Todd Williams

Staff Present: Scott Darrington, City Administrator  
Tina Petersen, City Attorney  
Kathy Kresser, City Recorder

The City Council and staff met in the Community Room, 108 South 100 East, Pleasant Grove, Utah.

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Fugal called the meeting to order and noted that Council Members Andersen, LeMone, Walker and Williams were present. Council Member Jensen was present telephonically but the meeting was not noticed as such, he did not make comment or vote.

- 2.** To consider for adoption a Resolution (**2019-040**) authorizing the Mayor and Municipal Council sitting as the Board of Canvassers to accept the election returns and declaring and certifying the results of the Primary Election held on August 13, 2019. *Presenter: Recorder Kresser*

Chair Fugal read the item and then turned the time over to City Recorder Kresser.

Recorder Kresser reviewed the overall statistics of the election that was provided by Utah County. She noted that there was 110 returned ballots that were not counted because the postmark was not valid. Recorder Kresser noted that she contacted the County Clerk and asked why they were not counted and the County Clerk said that they were postmarked after the deadline. Next she read the official results of the election indicating the votes that were cast for each candidate.

Board Member LeMone asked what the percentage of voter turnout for the 2017 election. Administrator Darrington replied that that information is on the County website if the Board wanted to look that up.

Board Member LeMone commented that she felt that 27.13% of voter turnout was low. Administrator Darrington responded that this number is pretty good from years past with paper

ballots. Mayor Fugal asked if the increase in voter turnout was due to the mail in ballot. Administrator Darrington replied that it was.

Chair Fugal asked if there were any further discussion, being none he called for a motion on the election results and noted that Section 2 of the resolution needed to be read into the motion.

**MOTION:** Board Member Williams moved to adopt Resolution 2019-040 authorizing the Mayor and Municipal Council sitting as the Board of Canvassers to accept the election returns of the Primary Election held on August 13, 2019 and declaring and certifying that Cyd LeMone, Eric Jensen, Brent Bullock, Dustin Phillips and Alexander Carter have received the highest number of votes and declares them nominated to proceed to the General Election. Candidate Carrie Hammond currently qualifies as the 6<sup>th</sup> candidate to proceed to the General Election. However, Candidates Carrie Hammond and Aaron Spinhirne may be the subject of an election recount as provided under 20A-4-401: “if the difference between the number of votes cast for a winning candidate in the race and a losing candidate in the race is equal to or less than .25% of the total number of votes cast for all candidates in the race, that losing candidate may file a request for a recount in accordance with Subsection (1)(d).” Board Member Walker seconded. A roll call vote was taken with Board Members Andersen, LeMone, Walker and Williams voting “Yea.”

### **3. ADJOURN**

Council Member LeMone moved to adjourn. Council Member Williams seconded the motion. The motion carried with the unanimous consent of the Board.

The Meeting adjourned at 5:11 pm.

The City Council Minutes of August 27, 2019 Special Meeting were approved by the City Council on September 3, 2019

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Kathy T. Kresser, MMC  
City Recorder

*(Exhibits are in the City Council Minutes binders in the Recorder's office.)*