

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-19

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VERNON, CALIFORNIA, RECITING THE FACT OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON APRIL 14, 2015, DECLARING THE RESULTS AND SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS PROVIDED BY LAW

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election was held and conducted in the City of Vernon, California, on Tuesday, April 14, 2015, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 1201, the election was conducted entirely by vote-by-mail ballot pursuant to Section 4000, et seq., of the Elections Code of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, notice of the election was given in time, form and manner as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, an election officer was appointed, vote-by-mail ballots were properly sent to all registered voters, and in all respects the election was held and conducted, the votes were cast, received and canvassed, and the returns were made and declared in the time, form and manner required by the City Charter and the Elections Code of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk canvassed the returns of the election and has certified the results to the City Council, which certification and results are received, attached and made part hereof as Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VERNON AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The City Council of the City of Vernon hereby finds and determines that the above recitals are true and correct.

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SECTION 2: The City Council of the City of Vernon finds that this action is exempt under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), in accordance with Section 15061(b)(3), the general rule that CEQA only applies to projects that may have a significant effect on the environment.

SECTION 3: One (1) voting precinct was established for the purpose of holding said Election, consisting of the regular election precinct in the City as established for the holding of State and County elections.

SECTION 4: The whole number of vote-by-mail voter ballots legally cast in the City for the General Municipal Election held on April 14, 2015, was 35, with one provisional ballot cast.

SECTION 5: The following are declared to be the results of said General Municipal Election for the office of member of the City Council:

Dennis E. Roberts	13 votes
Yvette Woodruff-Perez	21 votes
Blank	1 vote

Section 6: The City Council of the City of Vernon hereby declares that Yvette Woodruff-Perez, was elected as member of the City Council for the full term of five (5) years.

SECTION 7: The City Clerk shall immediately make and deliver to the person so elected a Certificate of Election signed by the City Clerk and authenticated.

SECTION 8: The City Clerk shall also administer to the 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. The person so elected shall then

be inducted into the respective office to which he/she has been elected.

SECTION 9: The measures voted upon at the April 14, 2015, General Municipal Election were as follows:

<u>MEASURE O:</u>		
Shall Chapter 3.7 of Article III of the Vernon City Charter be amended to clarify that the candidate(s) with the next subsequent highest number of votes in an election with multiple seats, shall be elected to fill the unexpired term or terms after all full terms of office are filled by candidate(s) who have received a higher number of votes?	YES	
	NO	

<u>MEASURE P:</u>		
Shall Chapter 7.4 of Article VII of the Vernon City Charter be amended to allow the City Council to fix the duties, tenure and compensation of officers by any means it deems appropriate?	YES	
	NO	

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SECTION 10: The number of votes given in the one voting precinct in the City for and against the measures are as listed in Exhibit A attached hereto.

SECTION 11: The City Council does declare and determine that as a result of the General Municipal Election, a simple majority of the voters voting on Measure O and Measure P, did vote in favor of all measures, and the measures were carried, and shall be deemed approved and adopted.

SECTION 12: The City Clerk, or Deputy City Clerk, shall enter on the records of the City Council of the City, a statement of the result of the election, showing:

- (1) The whole number of votes cast in the City;
- (2) The measures voted upon;
- (3) The total number of votes given in the City for

and against the measures.

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SECTION 13: The City Clerk, or Deputy City Clerk, of the City of Vernon shall certify to the passage, approval and adoption of this resolution, and the City Clerk, or Deputy City Clerk, of the City of Vernon shall cause this resolution and the City Clerk's, or Deputy City Clerk's, certification to be entered in the File of Resolutions of the Council of this City.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of April, 2015.



Name: W. Michael McCormick

Title: Mayor / ~~Mayor Pro-Tem~~

ATTEST:



Maria E. Ayala

City Clerk / ~~Deputy City Clerk~~

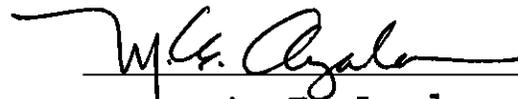
APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Brian Byun, Deputy City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

I, **Maria E. Ayala**, City Clerk / ~~Deputy City Clerk~~ of the City of Vernon, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution, being Resolution No. 2015-19, was duly passed, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Vernon at a regular meeting of the City Council duly held on Tuesday, April 21, 2015, and thereafter was duly signed by the Mayor or Mayor Pro-Tem of the City of Vernon.



Maria E. Ayala
City Clerk / ~~Deputy City Clerk~~

(SEAL)

EXHIBIT A

CITY OF VERNON – GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD APRIL 14, 2015

CITY CLERK'S CERTIFICATION OF CANVASS

I, Maria E. Ayala, City Clerk of the City of Vernon, County of Los Angeles, State of California, do hereby certify that I have canvassed the returns of the General Municipal Election held on April 14, 2015, and find that the number of votes cast were as follows:

	Councilmember Seat			Measure O			Measure P		
	Roberts	Woodruff-Perez	Blank	Yes	No	Blank	Yes	No	Blank
April 14, 2015 (Semi-final Canvassing)	13	21	1	29	4	2	27	6	2
April 20, 2015 (Final Canvassing)	No eligible ballots received.								
Total Votes Canvassed	35				35			35	


 Maria E. Ayala, City Clerk

Dated: April 20, 2015