

Agenda Report

TO: CITY COUNCIL **DATE:** APRIL 30, 2007
FROM: CITY CLERK
RE: CANVASS OF THE APRIL 17, 2007 GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

- (1) Accept the Certificate of Canvass.
- (2) Adopt a resolution declaring that:
 - (a) Jacque Robinson is elected to the office of member of the City Council, District 1.
 - (b) Margaret McAustin is elected to the office of member of the City Council, District 2.

BACKGROUND:

The City of Pasadena held its Primary Nominating Election on Tuesday, March 6, 2007, for the office of Mayor and for members of the City Council, Districts 1, 2, 4 and 6. Pasadena City Charter Section 1204 provides that "Any person who, at the primary election, shall receive a majority of the total vote cast for candidates for said office shall be elected to such office."

At the March 6, 2007 Primary Nominating Election, Mayoral candidate Bill Bogaard, City Council District 4 candidate Steve Haderlein, and District 6 candidate Steve Madison each received a majority of the votes cast and were re-elected for their respective offices.

In the Council District 1 and District 2 races, no one received a majority of the total votes cast for the respective offices. District 1 candidates Robin Salzer and Jacque Robinson received the highest number of votes cast for District 1. District 2 candidates Margaret McAustin and Jim Lomako received the highest number of votes cast for District 2. In accordance with City Charter Section 1204, the two candidates with the highest number of votes cast for the respective offices had their names placed on the ballot for the General Municipal Election held on April 17, 2007.

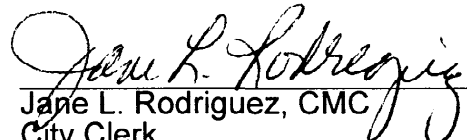
The final tally of the votes cast at the April 17, 2007 General Municipal Election is as follows:

Jacque Robinson	1,076	-	52.9%	District 1
Robin Salzer	957	-	47.0%	District 1
Margaret McAustin	1,060	-	60.8%	District 2
Jim Lomako	683	-	39.1%	District 2

FISCAL IMPACT:

The total cost of this election to the City will be shared pro rata by the Pasadena Unified School District since there was a run-off election for two of the Board of Education seats. The cost of this election will be tabulated upon receipt of all invoices, and the School District will be invoiced by the City for its pro rata share of costs, based on a formula to be established by the Registrar of Voters Office.

Respectfully submitted,


 Jane L. Rodriguez, CMC
 City Clerk

Reviewed by:



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Nicholas G. Rodriguez
Assistant City Attorney

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RESOLUTION NO.

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PASADENA DECLARING THE RESULTS
OF THE CITY'S GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
HELD ON TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 2007**

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election was held and conducted in Pasadena City Council Districts 1 and 2, on Tuesday, April 17, 2007, as required by Sections 1204 and 1205 of the Pasadena City Charter; and

WHEREAS, the votes at said election have been canvassed by the City Clerk and a copy of said canvass is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, said City Clerk has certified the results of said canvass to the City Council of the City of Pasadena.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Pasadena that:

1. The following be declared to be the results of said General Municipal Election for the office of members of the City Council, Districts 1 and 2:

DISTRICT 1

Jacque Robinson	1,076 votes	(52.9%)
Robin Salzer	957 votes	(47.0%)

DISTRICT 2

Margaret McAustin	1,060 votes	(60.8%)
Jim Lomako	683 votes	(39.1%)

2. That Jacque Robinson, having received a majority of the total votes cast for candidate for the office of member of the City Council from District 1, from which the candidate sought nomination, hereby is declared to be elected as a member of the City Council from District 1 for a full term of four years.

3. That Margaret McAustin, having received a majority of the total votes cast for candidate for the office of member of the City Council from District 2, from which the candidate sought nomination, hereby is declared to be elected as a member of the City Council from District 2 for a full term of four years.

Adopted at the regular meeting of the City Council on the _____ day of _____, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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Nicholas G. Rodriguez
Assistant City Attorney

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Jane L. Rodriguez, CMC
City Clerk

EXHIBIT A

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

I, Jane L. Rodriguez, City Clerk of the City of Pasadena, California, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct Canvass of the Votes Cast at the General Municipal Election for City Council Districts 1 and 2 held in the City of Pasadena on April 17, 2007.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the total ballots cast for City Council district races in the General Municipal Election are as follows:

REGISTERED VOTERS IN DISTRICTS (1 & 2)	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST
18,048	1,991	1,821	3,812 (21.1%)

FOR MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL - TWO DISTRICTS ONLY (including Absentee Votes):

FOR DISTRICT 1

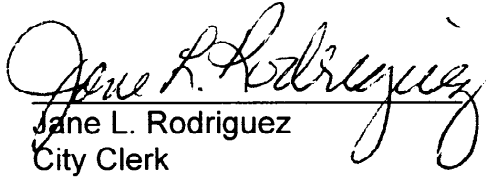
Jacque Robinson	1,076 votes	(52.9%)
Robin Salzer	<u>957</u> votes	(47.0%)
Total Votes Cast:	2,033	
Blank voted*	10	
Over voted**	<u>1</u>	
Total Ballots Tabulated	2,044	

FOR DISTRICT 2

Margaret McAustin	1,060 votes	(60.8%)
Jim Lomako	<u>683</u> votes	(39.1%)
Total Votes Cast:	1,743	
Blank voted*	21	
Over voted**	<u>4</u>	
Total Ballots Tabulated	1,768	

Total Ballots Cast (Districts 1 & 2): **3,812**

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Pasadena this 25th day of April, 2007.


Jane L. Rodriguez
City Clerk



*Blank voted means a voter elected not to cast a vote for that particular race.
**Over voted means a voter cast more votes than allowed for a particular race (i.e., voted for more than one candidate in a race).

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CITY OF PASADENA

GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION – APRIL 17, 2007

SUMMARY REPORT BY DISTRICT

	REGISTERED VOTERS	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	VOTER TURNOUT
DISTRICT 1	8,577	1,065	979	2,044	23.8%
DISTRICT 2	<u>9,471</u>	<u>926</u>	<u>842</u>	<u>1,768</u>	18.6%
TOTAL	18,048	1,991	1,821	3,812	21.1%

COUNCIL DISTRICT 1 STATISTICS

CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	REGISTERED VOTERS	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST
5150002	464	88	79	167
5150005	1,346	248	174	422
5150007	1,635	152	119	271
5150021	1,605	198	128	326
5150040	1,306	81	132	213
5150042	765	85	86	171
5150183	<u>1,456</u>	<u>213</u>	<u>261</u>	<u>474</u>
TOTAL	8,577	1,065	979	2,044 (23.8%)

CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 1

PRECINCT NO.	ROBINSON	SALZER
5150002	99	68
5150005	289	133
5150007	169	100
5150021	126	199
5150040	98	114
5150042	94	75
5150183	<u>201</u>	<u>268</u>
TOTAL	1,076	957

COUNCIL DISTRICT 2 STATISTICS

CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	REGISTERED VOTERS	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST
5150022	2,387	91	117	208
5150025	823	132	95	227
5150034	1,389	173	159	332
5150049	1,257	174	120	294
5150057	780	63	49	112
5150058	1,392	160	134	294
5150180	<u>1,443</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>168</u>	<u>301</u>
TOTAL	9,471	926	842	1,768 (18.6%)

CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 2

PRECINCT NO.	McAUSTIN	LOMAKO
5150022	105	99
5150025	129	97
5150034	202	129
5150049	228	61
5150057	61	49
5150058	163	127
5150180	<u>172</u>	<u>121</u>
TOTAL	1,060	683

"Absentee Ballots Cast" includes Provisional Ballots

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