

Agenda Report

May 1, 2017

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: City Clerk

SUBJECT: CANVASS OF THE APRIL 18, 2017 GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

- (1) Accept the Certificate of Canvass (Exhibit A of the resolution); and
- (2) Adopt a resolution declaring that Andy Wilson is elected as member of the City Council, District 7.

BACKGROUND:

The City of Pasadena held its Primary Nominating Election on Tuesday, March 7, 2017, for the members of the City Council, Districts 3, 5, and 7. Pasadena City Charter, Section 1204, provides that, "Any person who, at the primary election, shall receive a majority of the total votes cast for candidates for said office shall be elected to such office."

At the March 7, 2017 Primary Nominating Election, City Council District 3 candidate John J. Kennedy, and District 5 candidate Victor M. Gordo, each received the majority of votes cast from their districts, and were re-elected as members of the City Council, Districts 3 and 5, respectively.

In the Council District 7 race, of the five qualified candidates running for this office, no candidate received the required 50 plus one majority of the total votes cast. The two candidates with the highest number of votes received were Andy Wilson and Phil Hosp, and in accordance with Charter Section 1204, the two candidates with the highest number of votes cast for the respective office had their names placed on the ballot for the General Municipal Election held on April 18, 2017.


The final tally of the votes cast at the April 18, 2017 General Municipal Election for City Council District 7 is as follows:

Andy Wilson	1,793 votes	(50.5%)	District 7
Phil Hosp	1,757 votes	(49.4%)	District 7

FISCAL IMPACT:

The full cost of the April 18, 2017 election will be paid by the City of Pasadena.

Respectfully submitted,



Mark Jomsky, CMC
City Clerk

Reviewed by:



Theresa Fuentes
Assistant City Attorney

RESOLUTION NO.
A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PASADENA DECLARING THE RESULTS
OF THE CITY'S GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
HELD ON TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2017

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election was held and conducted in the City of Pasadena on April 18, 2017, for the member of the City Council, District 7, 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 member of the City Council, District 7:

DISTRICT 1

Andy Wilson	1,793 votes	(50.5%)
Phil Hosp	1,757 votes	(49.4%)

2. That Andy Wilson, having received a majority of the total votes cast for candidate for the office of member of the City Council from District 7, from which the candidate sought nomination, hereby is declared to be elected as member of the City Council from District 7, for a full term of four years.

Adopted at the regular meeting of the City Council on the _____ day of May,
2017, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Mark Jomsky, CMC
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Theresa Fuentes
Assistant City Attorney

EXHIBIT A

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

I, Mark Jomsky, 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 held in the City of Pasadena on April 18, 2017.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the total ballots cast for the City of Pasadena General Municipal Election are as follows:

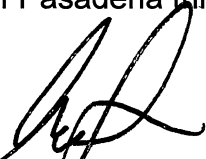
REGISTERED VOTERS IN COUNCIL DISTRICT 7	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS CAST (Including Provisionals)	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST
12,508	1,080	2,481	3,561

FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL – ONE DISTRICT ONLY (including vote by mail and provisional votes):

FOR DISTRICT 7:

Andy Wilson	1,793	votes	50.5%
Phil Hosp	1,757	votes	49.4%
Total Votes Cast:	3,550		
Blank voted*	7		
Over voted**	4		
Total Ballots Tabulated:	3,561		

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Pasadena this 26th day of April, 2017.



Mark Jomsky, CMC
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)

**CANVASS OF VOTES CAST
CITY OF PASADENA - COUNCIL DISTRICT 7
GENERAL MUNICIPAL NOMINATING ELECTION
APRIL 21, 2017**

PRECINCT	REGISTERED VOTERS	COUNCIL DISTRICT	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	MAIL BALLOTS CAST	VBM 2 AND PROVISIONAL BALLOTS	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST		
							Wilson	Hosp
5150106	2,356	7	252	481	66	799	403	393
5150108	3,415	7	385	728	142	1,255	615	639
1510121	3,863	7	196	438	92	726	398	323
5150186	2,874	7	247	465	69	781	377	402
TOTALS	12,508		1,080	2,112	369	3,561	1,793	1,757

Voter Turnout - 28.5%