

Agenda Report

TO:

CITY COUNCIL

DATE: MARCH 15, 2001

FROM:

CITY CLERK

RE:

CANVASS OF MARCH 6, 2001 CONSOLIDATED DISTRICT PRIMARY

NOMINATING ELECTION AND SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

RECOMMENDATION:

1. Accept the Certificate of Canvass.

- 2. Adopt a resolution declaring:
 - The following persons are elected to the office of City Council: (a)

Chris Holden Victor Gordo

District 3 District 5

Sidney F. Tyler, Jr. District 7

The result of votes cast for Measure A (An Initiative Ordinance of the City of Pasadena Favoring Completion of the 710 Freeway), Measure B (Charter Amendment Prohibiting Local Public Officials from Receiving a Public or Campaign Advantage from Recipients of Certain Public Benefits), and Measure C (A Proposed Ordinance of the City of Pasadena in Favor of a Citywide Transportation and Traffic Management Plan and Related to the City's Position Regarding the 710 Freeway), are as follows:

	YES	<u>NO</u>	
Measure A	9,654 (58.3%)	6,908 (41.7%)	Passed
Measure B	8,845 (60.1%)	5,865 (39.9%)	Passed
Measure C	7,232 (44.8%)	8,912 (55.2%)	Failed

BACKGROUND:

The City of Pasadena held its District Primary Nominating Election on Tuesday, March 6, 2001, for 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 vote cast for candidates for said office shall be elected to such office."

MEETING OF 3/19/2001

AGENDA ITEM NO. __7.C.1.

At the March 6th election, District 3 candidate Chris Holden and District 7 candidate Sidney F. Tyler, Jr. each received the majority of votes from their districts and were re-elected to the office of Councilmember, Districts 3 and 7, respectively. District 5 candidate Victor Gordo also received the majority of district votes and was elected to the office of Councilmember, District 5.

Special municipal elections were called and consolidated with the district primary nominating election to submit to the voters of the City of Pasadena Measures A, B, and C referenced above.

Pursuant to Article VII of the Pasadena City Charter, also consolidated with the City district primary municipal election was the primary nominating election for members of the Board of Education. Board of Education Seats 1, 3, and 5 were open for election, as well as two new Seats 6 and 7 which were approved by voters on November 7, 2000, as a result of a Charter Reform study on School District governance. The official canvass results for the Pasadena Unified School District election are submitted directly to the Board of Education.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The total cost of this election to the City will be shared pro rata by the Pasadena Unified School District, based on a formula to be established by the Registrar of Voters Office. 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.

A total of \$491,448 was initially budgeted in the City Clerk's Department, Election Division, FY 2001 budget for the estimated cost of the consolidated primary and general elections. An additional \$34,000 was added to this base budget for County Registrar signature verification costs for two initiative petitions (for Measures A and B) and costs associated with adding all three measures to the ballot.

There will be no City of Pasadena general municipal election, as the above-referenced candidates for the three Council district races were elected in the primary election by majority vote. There will be a Pasadena Unified School District general election on April 17, 2001, for Board of Education Seats 6 and 7, as no candidates for these two seats received a majority of votes in the primary nominating election. The Pasadena Unified School District will be invoiced the full cost for the upcoming April 17th PUSD general election.

Respectfully submitted,

Reviewed by:

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 CONSOLIDATED DISTRICT PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION AND SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS HELD MARCH 6, 2001

WHEREAS, a District Primary Nominating Election in Districts 3, 5 and 7 of the City of Pasadena was called by the City Council to be held on March 6, 2001, to be consolidated with the Pasadena Unified School District Primary Nominating Election for Seats 1, 3, 5, 6, and 7, to be held on said date; and

WHEREAS, Special Municipal Elections were called by the City Council, to be consolidated with the City District Primary Nominating Election to be held on March 6, 2001, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of Pasadena the following three measures: Measure A - An Initiative Ordinance of the City of Pasadena Favoring Completion of the 710 Freeway; Measure B - A Charter Amendment Prohibiting Local Public Officials from Receiving a Public or Campaign Advantage from Recipients of Certain Public Interests; and Measure C - A Proposed Ordinance of the City of Pasadena in Favor of a Citywide Transportation and Traffic Management Plan and Related to the City's Position Regarding the 710 Freeway; and

WHEREAS, the votes at said consolidated District Primary Nominating Election and Special Municipal Elections 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 District Primary Nominating Election:

FOR DISTRICT 3

Chris Holden 789 votes (100.0%)

FOR DISTRICT 5

Victor Gordo 1,217 votes (77.5%) Tim Wendler 354 votes (22.5%)

FOR DISTRICT 7

Sidney F. Tyler, Jr. 1,911 votes (73.4%) Ciran Marie Hadjian 692 votes (26.6%)

- 2. That Chris Holden, having received a majority of the total votes cast for candidate for the office of member of the City Council from District 3, from which the candidate sought nomination, hereby is declared to be re-elected as a member of the City Council from District 3 for a full term of four years.
- 3. That Victor Gordo, having received a majority of the total votes cast for candidates for the office of member of the City Council from District 5, from which the candidate sought nomination, hereby is declared to be elected as a member of the City Council from District 5 for a full term of four years.
- 4. That Sidney F. Tyler, Jr., having received a majority of the total votes cast for candidates for the office of member of the City Council from District 7, from which

the candidate sought nomination, hereby is declared to be re-elected as a member of the City Council from District 7 for a full term of four years.

5. The following be declared to be the result of the votes cast for Measure A, submitted to the voters of the City of Pasadena at the consolidated Special Municipal Election held on March 6, 2001:

MEASURE A

Shall an Initiative Ordinance of the City of Pasadena be adopted to declare the policy of the City of Pasadena to be in favor of completing the 710 Freeway extension between the I-210 and the I-10 Freeways, and to declare that such policy could not be changed or repealed without a vote of the people?

YES 9,654 (58.3%) NO 6,908 (41.7%)

That as a result of the election, a majority of the voters voting on Measure A did vote in favor of it, and that the measure was carried, and shall be deemed adopted and ratified.

6. The following be declared to be the result of the votes cast for Measure B, submitted to the voters of the City of Pasadena at the consolidated Special Municipal Election held on March 6, 2001:

MEASURE B

Shall the Pasadena City Charter be amended to prohibit elected and appointed local public officials from receiving what is specified as a "public or campaign advantage" from recipients of certain public benefits?

YES 8,845 (60.1%) NO 5,865 (39.9%)

That as a result of the election, a majority of the voters voting on Measure B did vote in favor of it, and that the measure was carried, and shall be deemed adopted and ratified.

6. The following be declared to be the result of the votes cast for Measure C, submitted to the voters of the City of Pasadena at the consolidated Special Municipal Election held on March 6, 2001:

MEASURE C

Shall an Ordinance be adopted to require preparation of a Citywide Transportation and Traffic Management Plan and to direct that the City take no position supporting or opposing the 710 Freeway extension until that Plan and federally funded traffic improvement measures required in the Federal Government's Record of Decision approving the 710 Freeway extension are fully implemented and evaluated?

YES 7,232 (44.8%) NO 8,912 (55.2%)

That as a result of the election, a majority of the voters voting on Measure C did not vote in favor of it, and that the measure was not carried, and shall not be deemed adopted and ratified.

Adopted at the regular meeting of the City Council on the day of 2001, by the following vote:

Jane L. Rodriguez, CMC

City Clerk

APPROYED AS TO FORM:

Nicholas G. Rodriguez Assistant City Attorney

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EXHIBIT A

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) ss COUNTY OF LOS ANGELS)

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 consolidated District Primary Nominating Election and Special Municipal Election held in the City of Pasadena on Tuesday, March 6, 2001.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the total ballots cast for the City of Pasadena District Primary Nominating Election is as follows:

REGISTERED VOTERS IN AFFECTED DISTRICTS	PRECINCT BALLOTS	ABSENTEE BALLOTS	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST
29,621	4,142	1,478	5,620 (19%)

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

FOR DISTRICT 3

Chris Holden 789 votes (100.0%)
Total Votes Cast: 789

Total Votes Cast:789Non-Votes318Total District 3 Ballots Tabulated:1,107

FOR DISTRICT 5

 Victor Gordo
 1,217 votes (77.5%)

 Tim Wendler
 354 votes (22.5%)

Total Votes Cast: 1,571
Non-Votes: 59
Total District 5 Ballots Tabulated: 1,630

FOR DISTRICT 7

Sidney F. Tyler, Jr. 1,911 votes (73.4%)
Ciran Marie Hadjian 692 votes (26.6%)

Total Votes Cast:2,603Non-Votes:280Total District 7 Ballots Tabulated:2,883

Total Votes Cast (Districts 3, 5, 7): 4,963

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the total ballots cast for the Special Municipal Election held in the City of Pasadena on Tuesday, March 6, 2001, is as follows:

REGISTERED VOTERS	PRECINCT BALLOTS	ABSENTEE BALLOTS	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST
78,227	12,357	4,796	17,153 (22%)

FOR MEASURE A (AN INITIATIVE ORDINANCE) SUBMITTED TO VOTERS OF THE CITY OF PASADENA (including Absentee Votes):

Measure A Yes - 9,654 (58.3%) Passed

No - 6,908 (41.7%)

Total Votes Cast: 16,562
Non-Votes: 591
Total Ballots Tabulated: 17,153

FOR MEASURE B (CHARTER AMENDMENT) SUBMITTED TO VOTERS OF THE CITY OF PASADENA (including Absentee Votes):

Measure B Yes - 8,845 (60.1%) Passed

No - 5,865 (39.9%)

Total Votes Cast: 14,710
Non-Votes: 2,443
Total Ballots Tabulated: 17,153

FOR MEASURE C (PROPOSED ORDINANCE) SUBMITTED TO VOTERS OF THE CITY OF PASADENA (including Absentee Votes):

Measure C Yes - 7,232 (44.8%) Failed

No - 8,912 (55.2%)

Total Votes Cast: 16,144
Non-Votes: 1,009
Total Ballots Tabulated: 17,153

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Pasadena this 15th day of March, 2001.

zne L. Rodriguez, CMC

City Clerk

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CITY OF PASADENA
PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION - MARCH 6, 2001
SUMMARY REPORT BY DISTRICT

	REGISTERED VOTERS	PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	VOTER
DISTRICT 1	10,782	1,186	546	1,732	16%
DISTRICT 2	11,323	1,655	571	2,226	70%
DISTRICT 3	9,917	764	343	1,107	11%
DISTRICT 4	12,595	2,282	829	3,141	25%
DISTRICT 5	7,368	1,319	311	1,630	22%
DISTRICT 6	13,906	3,092	1,342	4,434	32%
DISTRICT 7	12,336	2,059	824	2,883	23%
TOTAL CITY-WIDE	78,227	12,357	4,796	17,153	22%

	MEAS	MEASURE A	ME	MEASURE B	MEA	SURE C
PRECINCT NO.	YES	ON	YES	ON	YES	ON S
DISTRICT 1	1,087	562	875	595	647	959
DISTRICT 2	1,240	921	1,166	292	922	1,201
DISTRICT 3	695	362	999	385	445	570
DISTRICT 4	2,065	296	1,779	974	1,008	1,959
DISTRICT 5	966	537	833	551	969	765
DISTRICT 6	2,030	2,294	2,137	1,592	2,294	1,945
DISTRICT 7	1,541	1,265	1.489	1,003	1,220	1,513
TOTAL	9,654	806'9	8,845	5,865	7,232	8,912

COUNCIL DISTRICT 1 STATISTICS

TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	166 297 215 162 299 108 281	1,732 (16%)	MEASURE C NO	101 176 118 87 160 65 149 103	
			N YES	52 102 71 67 122 33 113 647	
ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	49 90 75 57 67 23 1115	546	MEASURE B NO	52 93 75 55 95 102 87	
PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	117 207 140 105 232 85 166	1,186	MEAS YES	82 160 103 97 164 58 132 79	
REGISTERED VOTERS	552 1,674 1,865 2,045 2,007 1,010 818	10,782	MEASURE A YES NO	,	
CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	5150002 5150005 5150007 5150008 5150021 5150183 5150193	TOTAL		5150002 5150005 5150007 5150008 5150021 5150042 5150183 5150193	

COUNCIL DISTRICT 2 STATISTICS

TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	430 436 449 300 178	2,226 (20%)	MEASURE C	NO	194					228	1,201
<u> </u>				YES	220	160	169	120	9	193	922
ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	88 123 119 77 54 54	571	MEASURE B	ON	136	146	168	96	58	<u>191</u>	765
PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	342 313 330 223 124 323	1,655	MEA	YES	236	226	219	158	101		1,166
ED			ΕA	ON	213	165	178	117	49	184	921
REGISTERED VOTERS	1,926 1,675 1,653 1,902 2,082	11,323	MEASURE A	YES	203	254	254	176	111	242	1,240
CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	5150025 5150034 5150058 5150065 5150066	TOTAL			5150025	5150034	5150058	5150065	5150066	5150181	TOTAL

COUNCIL DISTRICT 3 STATISTICS

TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	163 144 189 93 164 354	1,107 (11%)			MEASURE C	ON	78	74	108	/s 68	171	570
AST		T3			Σ	YES	69	99 (7/2	07	143	445
ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	04 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	343 UNCIL, DISTRIC	Z		E B	NO	19	49	/9	47 7	115	385
PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	123 98 145 61 121 216	764 343 FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 3	CHRIS HOLDEN	125 106 138 73 101 789	MEASURE B	YES	76	84	105	38	171	995
		FOR MEN			REA	ON	41	46	99	26 50	39 124	362
REGISTERED VOTERS	1,625 2,210 1,488 794 1,690 2,110	9,917			MEASURE A	YES	116	93	117	6 2	208	969
CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	\$150012 \$150045 \$150053 \$150194 \$150196	TOTAL	PRECINCT NO.	5150012 5150045 5150053 5150194 5150196 5150198		PRECINCT NO.	5150012	5150045	5150053	5150194	5150198 5150198	TOTAL

COUNCIL DISTRICT 4 STATISTICS

TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	521 557 462 204 411 451	3,141 (25%)	MEASURE C	00	338	350	283	111	255	285	337	1,959
H				YES	163	157	167	87	131	139	164	1,008
ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	156 138 121 63 118 111	859	MEASURE B	ON	177	157	153	98	141	141	149	974
PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	365 419 341 141 293 340	2,282		YES	288	326	257	123	217	254	314	1,779
ED			RE A	0N	164	164	173	74	123	134	135	196
REGISTERED VOTERS	1,922 1,732 1,808 1,525 1,942 1,846 1,846	12,595	MEASURE A	YES	341	364	282	127	277	297	377	2,065
CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	5150003 5150015 5150070 5150072 5150074 5150090	TOTAL		PRECINCT NO.	5150003	5150015	5150070	5150072	5150074	5150079	5150090	TOTAL

COUNCIL DISTRICT 5 STATISTICS

TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	621 394 375 240	1,630 (22%)						MEASURE C	ON	284	188	110	765
								Σ	YES	261	152	107	969
ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST	106 77 83 45	311	COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5	TIM WENDLER	128 71 110	45	354	MEASURE B	ON	206	118	76	551
PRECINCT BALLOTS CAST	515 317 292 195	1,319	FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5	VICTOR GORDO	472 310 250	185	1,217	MEA	YES	310	204	135	833
REGISTERED VOTERS	2,036 2,002 2,060 1,27 <u>0</u>	7,368	FOR					MEASURE A	YES NO	344 232		ı	996 537
CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT NO.	\$150017 \$150052 \$150201 \$150213	TOTAL		PRECINCT NO.	5150017 5150052 5150201	5150213	TOTAL		PRECINCT NO.	5150017	5150052	5150213	TOTAL

COUNCIL DISTRICT 6 STATISTICS

TOTAL	BALLOTS CAST	303	684	314	799	722	622	819	308	4,434 (32%)	MEASURE C	ON	153	369	168	292	306	170	337	150	1,945
												YES	139	284	136	344	383	432	433	143	2,294
ABSENTEE	BALLOTS CAST	93	168	113	161	206	202	290	109	1,342	MEASURE B	ON	108	275	135	221	277	186	279		1,592
PRECINCT	BALLOTS CAST	210	516	201	501	516	420	529	199	3,092	MEAS	YES	151	321	133	349	338	313	373	159	2,137
EGISTERED	LERS	33	1,712	21	86	35	0/	7.7	02	96	MEASURE A	ON	141	285	127	351	385	426	433	146	2,294
REGIS	LOA	1,96	1,71	82	1,70	1,68	1,97	1,87	2,17	13,906	ME	YES	157	383	179	293	314	188	362	154	2,030
CONSOLIDATED	PRECINCT NO.	5150001	5150004	5150014	5150092	5150095	5150102	5150103	5150114	TOTAL		PRECINCT NO.	5150001	5150004	5150014	5150092	5150095	5150102	5150103	5150114	TOTAL

TOTAL	BALLOTS CAST	571	408	446	252	402	456	348	2,883 (23%)
ABSENTEE	BALLOTS CAST	147	136	137	96	112	116	98	824
PRECINCT	BALLOTS CAST	424	272	309	162	290	340		2,059
REGISTERED	VOTERS	1,983	930	1,763	2,066	1,949	1,708	1,937	12,336
									TOTAL

FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 7

		MEASURE C	ON	314	246	218	131	214	216	174	1,513
7			YES	231	146	197	103	167	224	152	1,220
CIRAN MARIE HADJIAN	105 47 105 93 126 91 692	MEASURE B	ON	209	151	161	75	136	166	105	1,003
k, JR		ME	YES	285	188	223	144	211	234	204	1,489
SIDNEY F. TYLER, JR	420 339 289 121 231 326 1,911	MEASURE A	ON	250	143	201	111	165	237	158	1,265
		MEA	YES	309	255	232	133	227	211	174	1,541
PRECINCT NO.	5150106 5150108 5150112 5150120 5150121 5150122 5150186 TOTAL		PRECINCT NO.	5150106	5150108	5150112	5150120	5150121	5150122	5150186	TOTAL

"Absentee Ballots Cast" includes Provisional Ballots