



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Friday, November 8, 2024, 12:00 p.m. (noon)

Special Meeting: Canvass Municipal Election Results

- 1. Roll Call/Determination of Quorum**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 3. Approval of Agenda**
- 4. New Business: Canvass Municipal Election Returns**
- 5. Adjournment**



STAFF MEMO

Prepared by: Betsy Steuber, City Clerk	Meeting Date: 11/08/2024	<input type="checkbox"/> Consent Agenda Item <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Agenda Item <input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing	Agenda Item # 4.1
Reviewed by: Matt Skaret, Administrator	Item: Canvass City of Fairmont 2024 Election Results		
Presented by: Betsy Steuber, City Clerk	Action Requested: Motion to Approve the City of Fairmont 2024 Election Results as Presented		
Vote Required: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Simple Majority <input type="checkbox"/> Two Thirds Vote <input type="checkbox"/> Roll Call	Staff Recommended Action: Approval Board/Commission/Committee Recommendation:		

REFERENCE AND BACKGROUND

The City Council, as the canvassing board for city elections, needs to canvass the election returns and declare the results after the general election, which was held November 5, 2024.

The Abstract of Votes Cast is prepared by the Martin County Auditor/Treasurer and will be presented to the City Clerk upon completion. Once this information is received, it will be attached to the agenda.

The City Council, by canvassing, is certifying the names of the persons receiving votes and the number of votes received by each office voted on. Additionally, the City Council is certifying the number of votes for and against the City ballot question.

BUDGET IMPACT

SUPPORTING DATA/ATTACHMENTS

Abstract of Votes Cast (to be attached, once received)

Abstract of Votes Cast
In the Precincts of the City of Fairmont
State of Minnesota
at the State General Election
Held Tuesday, November 5, 2024

as compiled from the official returns.

Summary of Totals
City of Fairmont
Tuesday, November 5, 2024 State General Election

Number of persons registered as of 7 a.m.	5952
Number of persons registered on Election Day	583
Number of accepted regular, military, and overseas absentee ballots and mail ballots	1854
Number of federal office only absentee ballots	8
Number of presidential absentee ballots	0
Total number of persons voting	5134

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KEY TO PARTY ABBREVIATIONS

NP - Nonpartisan

Council Member At Large (Fairmont)

NP Joseph Kallemeyn 1282	NP Britney Kawecki 2099	NP Michele Miller 1386	WI WRITE-IN 17
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Council Member Ward 2 (Fairmont)

NP James Kotewa 593	NP Amber Hansen 409	NP Jodie Whitmore 373	WI WRITE-IN 4
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Council Member Ward 3 (Fairmont)

NP Terry K. Riggs 270	NP Randy Lubenow 489	NP Tom Winter 118	NP Edward Paschke 62	WI WRITE-IN 7
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Council Member Ward 4 (Fairmont)

NP Todd Smith 413	NP Wayne Hasek 584	WI WRITE-IN 12
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CITY QUESTION 1 (Fairmont)

NP YES 1596	NP NO 3394
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Detail of Election Results
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Precinct	Persons Registered as of 7 A.M.	Persons Registered on Election Day	Total Number of Persons Voting
46 0035 : FAIRMONT W-1 P-1	694	70	630
46 0040 : FAIRMONT W-1 P-2	968	74	877
46 0050 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-1	728	57	657
46 0055 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-2	969	69	838
46 0065 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-1	599	65	496
46 0070 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-2	678	93	557
46 0080 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-1	650	76	555
46 0085 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-2	666	79	524
City of Fairmont Total:	5952	583	5134

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Office Title: Council Member At Large (Fairmont)

Precinct	NP Joseph Kallemeyn	NP Britney Kawecki	NP Michele Miller	WI WRITE-IN
46 0035 : FAIRMONT W-1 P-1	189	220	179	1
46 0040 : FAIRMONT W-1 P-2	267	315	238	1
46 0050 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-1	169	287	166	1
46 0055 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-2	216	354	215	2
46 0065 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-1	112	224	125	4
46 0070 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-2	93	258	139	3
46 0080 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-1	129	216	178	2
46 0085 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-2	107	225	146	3
Total:	1282	2099	1386	17

Office Title: Council Member Ward 2 (Fairmont)

Precinct	NP James Kotewa	NP Amber Hansen	NP Jodie Whitmore	WI WRITE-IN
46 0050 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-1	210	205	187	2
46 0055 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-2	383	204	186	2
Total:	593	409	373	4

Office Title: Council Member Ward 3 (Fairmont)

Precinct	NP Terry K. Riggs	NP Randy Lubenow	NP Tom Winter	NP Edward Paschke	WI WRITE-IN
46 0065 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-1	129	245	52	31	4
46 0070 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-2	141	244	66	31	3

Total:	270	489	118	62	7
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Office Title: Council Member Ward 4 (Fairmont)

Precinct	NP Todd Smith	NP Wayne Hasek	WI WRITE-IN
46 0080 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-1	203	313	7
46 0085 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-2	210	271	5
Total:	413	584	12

Office Title: CITY QUESTION 1 (Fairmont)

Precinct	NP YES	NP NO
46 0035 : FAIRMONT W-1 P-1	215	399
46 0040 : FAIRMONT W-1 P-2	326	527
46 0050 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-1	251	394
46 0055 : FAIRMONT W-2 P-2	271	542
46 0065 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-1	129	357
46 0070 : FAIRMONT W-3 P-2	160	371
46 0080 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-1	127	419
46 0085 : FAIRMONT W-4 P-2	117	385
Total:	1596	3394

We, the legally constituted city canvassing board, certify that we have herein specified the names of the persons receiving votes and the number of votes received by each office voted on, and have specified the number of votes for and against each question voted on, at the State General Election held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024

As appears by the returns of the election precincts voting in this election, duly returned to, filed, opened, and canvassed, and now remaining on file in the office of the City of Fairmont Clerk. Witness our official signature at FAIRMONT in MARTIN County this 8th day of NOVEMBER, 2024.

Lee C. Baarts, City of Fairmont Mayor/Member of canvassing board

Michele Miller, City of Fairmont At Large Council Member/Member of canvassing board

Jay Maynard, City of Fairmont Ward 1 Council Member/Member of canvassing board

Britney Kaweck, City of Fairmont Ward 2 Council Member/Member of canvassing board

Randy Lubenow, City of Fairmont Ward 3 Council Member/Member of canvassing board

Wayne Hasek, City of Fairmont Ward 4 Council Member/Member of canvassing board

Member of canvassing board

State of Minnesota
City of Fairmont

I, BETSY STEUBER, Clerk of the City of Fairmont do hereby certify the within and foregoing 8 pages to be a full and correct copy of the original abstract and return of the votes cast in the City of Fairmont State General Election held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024.

Witness my hand and official seal of office this 8th day of November, 2024.

Betsy Steuber
City Clerk

Write in Name: At Large
City of Fairmont Municipal Election
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Row Labels	Count of Name Selected
Amber Hansen	1
Brad Buhman	1
Greg Sukalski	1
Joe Loughmiller	1
Matthew Singleton	1
Nathan Denn	1
Nobody	1
Not Assigned	5
Sonja Fortune	1
Sutton Timm	1
Terie An Larson	1
Todd Smith	1
Tom Winter	1
Grand Total	17

Write in Name: Ward 2
City of Fairmont Municipal Election
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Row Labels	Count of Name Selected
Anyone else	1
Elizabeth Denn	1
Sutton Timm	1
Todd Smith	1
Grand Total	4

Write in Name: Ward 3
City of Fairmont Municipal Eletion
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Row Labels	Count of Name Selected
Greg Sukolski	1
Joe Biden	1
No body	1
Not Assigned	2
Shari Iverson	1
Todd Smith	1
Grand Total	7

Write in Name: Ward 4
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Row Labels	Count of Name Selected
Adam Hawkins	1
Josh Newville	1
Kerry Nagel-Allen	2
Matthew Singleton	4
None of the above	1
Not Assigned	2
Robert True	1
Grand Total	12

**ELECTION JUDGE ASSIGNMENTS FOR GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 5, 2024 6:00 am to 8:00 pm**

WARD 1 PRECINCT 1	WARD 1 PRECINCT 2	WARD 2 PRECINCT 1	WARD 2 PRECINCT 2	WARD 3 PRECINCT 1	WARD 3 PRECINCT 2	WARD 4 PRECINCT 1	WARD 4 PRECINCT 2
Valerie Hooper Head Judge	Bonita Johanneck Head Judge	Nancy Gunther Head Judge	Torie Survis Head Judge	Sharon Scheff Head Judge	Mary Segar Head Judge	Carol Fuhrman Head Judge	Joan Luedtke Head Judge
June Nelson	Amelia Petersen	Wanda Saxton	Deb Kelly	Carol Carlson	Joann Woodward	Deb Aust	Colleen Pytleski
Cheryl Brooks	Sharon Elliott	Deb Alm	Kathy Peterson	Marilyn Forstrom	Barb Iverson	Marlys Rodgers	Debra Johnson
Linda Maday	Linda Bach-Quade	Teresa Davison	Mary Knapp	Patricia Fahey- Bacon	Terri Luetgers	Moni Harper	Char Kahler

VOTER ASSISTANCE/FLOAT POSITION (GREETER JUDGES)	
Barb Pannkuk	Vicky Terhark
Rhonda King	

BALLOT COUNTER JUDGE	
WARD 1 Kyle Hardie	WARD 2 Peter Bode
WARD 3 Sharon Sauer	WARD 4 Barry Altman

Alternate Judges:

Liam Bacon | Carol Brennan | Diane Kahler | Cheryl McGowan

Polling Location: Knights of Columbus Hall, 920 E. Tenth Street, Fairmont

Polling Hours: 7:00 am - 8:00 pm (JUDGES ARRIVE AT 6:00 AM AND LEAVE WHEN BALANCED)

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