

APPROVED MINUTES
WATKINS CITY COUNCIL
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2022

Mayor Rowan called the special meeting to order at 7 p.m. at City Hall.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Chris Rowan, Sue Unterberger, Tootz Tschumperlin, Marc Wirz

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

One vacancy exists.

Others: Brenda Carlson, Deputy Clerk Sarah Krone and Clerk Deb Kramer

Purpose of the meeting was to canvas the November 8, 2022 election results.

The election results for the General and Special Election were reviewed.

MOTION BY WIRZ TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2022-33, RESOLUTION DECLARING 2022 GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS, SECONDED BY UNTERBERGER. MOTION CARRIED.

*RESOLUTION NO. 2022-33
CITY OF WATKINS
MEEKER COUNTY, MINNESOTA
A RESOLUTION DECLARING 2022 GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS*

WHEREAS, the Regular City Election was held at the General Election on Tuesday, November 08, 2022 to vote on offices for the Mayor, two 4-year Council positions, and special election to fill a council term expiring January 2, 2023 and the official returns of the election judges were presented, and;

WHEREAS, at 7:00 a.m. on Election Day there were 559 registered voters, and;

WHEREAS, on Election Day, 348 voters cast ballots, and;

WHEREAS, said returns were duly examined, approved, and placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Watkins City Council that it is hereby found, determined, and declared that the Regular City Election held in and for the City of Watkins on Tuesday, November 08, 2022 was in all respects duly held and the returns thereof have been duly canvassed, the votes cast at said election were:

MAYOR	Chris Rowan	286
	Write-In	19
COUNCIL (4-year Term –2 Elected)		
	Kathleen (Tootz) Tschumperlin	163
	Brenda Carlson	170
	Stephanie Eder	133
	Jennifer Nieland	94
	Write-In	4
SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL A COUNCIL TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 2, 2023 – Write-In		
	Stephanie Eder	3
	Jennifer Nieland	1
	Brenda Carlson	8
	Mike Lease	1
	Lucas Donnay	1
	Michelle Bengston	1
	Michelle Garmon	1
	Sherri Blonigen	1
	Dave Hokanson	2
	Jerry Oster	2
	Marc Wirz	1
	Dennis Loch	1
	Frank Eder	1

IT IS HEREBY FOUND AND DECLARED that the following candidates for the office of Mayor and Council elected at the November 08, 2022 Regular City Election for the respective terms is as follows:

Mayor	2-Year Term	Chris Rowan
Council	4-Year Term	Kathleen (Tootz) Tschumperlin
Council	4-Year Term	Brenda Carlson

IT IS HEREBY FOUND AND DECLARED that the following write-in for the special election to fill a council term starting upon certification and expire January 2, 2023 is as follows:

Term to expire January 2, 2023 Brenda Carlson

This foregoing resolution was adopted this 17th day of November, 2022 on a motion by Councilor _____, seconded by Councilor _____ . Motion carried.

ATTEST: (SEAL)

Chris Rowan, Mayor

Debra S. Kramer, Clerk

MOTION BY WIRZ TO ADJOURN THE MEETING, SECONDED BY UNTERBERGER. MOTION CARRIED.

Adjourned at 7:02 p.m.

Submitted by

Deb Kramer
Clerk

ATTEST:

Chris Rowan
Mayor