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# SALT LAKE CITY CORPORATION

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES  
CITY RECORDER

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MAYOR

## COUNCIL TRANSMITTAL

  
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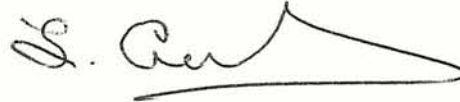
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TO: Salt Lake City Board of Canvassers  
Carlton Christensen, Chair

Date: September 10, 2009

FROM: Lyn Creswell, Administrative Services Director



SUBJECT: Certification of Canvass of Election for the Salt Lake City Municipal Primary Election Held  
September 15, 2009

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Certification

BUDGET IMPACT: None

DISCUSSION:

**Issue Origin:** Section 20A-4-301, Utah Code Ann., 1953, as amended, requires the Mayor and the municipal legislative body as the board of municipal canvassers for the municipality to meet to canvass the returns from a municipal primary election, no sooner than three days after the election and no later than seven days after the election.

**Analysis:** Salt Lake County, as the contracted election officer for Salt Lake City, has submitted the election returns of the Primary Election which includes all votes cast during in-office and early voting days, on Election Day, and all absentee ballots returned by the proper date. The City Recorder's Office has prepared the attached report which constitutes the official canvass.

**Recommendation:** That the Mayor and City Council convene as the Board of Canvassers at the regularly scheduled City Council meeting on Tuesday, September 22, 2009 for the purpose of adopting a motion accepting the official canvass of the September 15, 2009 Salt Lake City Municipal Primary Election.

STATE OF UTAH )  
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CITY AND COUNTY OF SALT LAKE )

WE THE UNDERSIGNED, APPOINTED AS THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS FOR THE MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION HELD IN SALT LAKE CITY, IN THE STATE OF UTAH, ON TUESDAY, THE 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2009, FOR THE OFFICES OF COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR COUNCIL DISTRICTS 1 AND 3 FOR FOUR YEAR TERMS EACH, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT CANVASS OF SAID ELECTION, AS THE SAME APPEARS FROM THE OFFICIAL RETURNS MADE BY THE POLL WORKERS OF ELECTION IN VARIOUS ELECTION DISTRICTS IN SALT LAKE CITY, AND THE RESULTS BEING THAT THE TWO PERSONS FOR EACH OFFICE INDICATED, RECEIVING THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF VOTES FOR SAID OFFICE, WILL BE PLACED ON THE NOVEMBER 3, 2009 MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT.

WITNESS OUR HANDS AND SEAL THIS 22<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2009.

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Carlton Christensen, Council Member

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Van Turner, Council Member

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K. Eric Jergensen, Council Member

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Luke Garrott, Council Member

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Jill Remington Love, Council Member

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J T Martin, Council Member

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Søren Simonsen, Council Member

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Ralph Becker, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Christine Meeker, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
Salt Lake City Attorney's Office

Date 9-10-09

By [Signature]