



TOWN COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE November 21, 2022

FROM: Tammy Dixon, Town Secretary

AGENDA ITEM: Discuss and consider approval of a resolution canvassing returns and declaring the results of a Special Election held November 8, 2022, for the purpose of considering a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code (Formerly Section 4B of the Development Corporation Act of 1979) and increasing the sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets.

SUMMARY:

A Special Election was held on November 8, 2022, for the purpose of voting on a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code from the rate of one-quarter of one percent to the rate of one-eighth of one percent; and increasing the rate of sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets from one-half of one percent to the rate of five-eighths of one percent, in the Town of Bartonville.

The unofficial cumulative returns for the election were as follows: For: 786 Against: 124. The proposition received a favorable majority vote and was passed.

The Texas Election Code requires that canvassing the results takes place between the 8th day and 11th day after the election.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

N/A

RECOMMENDED MOTION OR ACTION:

Move to approve canvassing returns and declaring the results of a Special Election November 8, 2022, for the purpose of considering a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code (Formerly Section 4B of the Development Corporation Act of 1979) and increasing the sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets

ATTACHMENTS:

Draft Resolution.