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Mayor and Members of the City Council
STAFF REPORT
For the Meeting of September 9, 2024

Title/Subject

Public Notice of the November 5, 2024 General Election of Councilors At-Large & Mayor-Candidate Listing.

Summary and Background

Notice is being given that on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 the City of Hermiston will hold an election for your choice of four (4) candidates for the office of Councilor At-Large and Mayor for four-year terms, expiring December 31, 2028. Candidates are listed below:

- Councilor At-Large
 - Jeff Kelso
 - Josh Roberts
 - Luz Martell
 - Allen Hayward
 - Maria E. Duron
 - Bryan Nailau Miller
- Mayor
 - Doug Primmer

Attached you will find the Public Notice for the General Election – Candidate Listing, which is being published in the local newspaper and posted at the following locations: City Hall, Library, Post Office, and on the City's website and social media sites.

Councilor At-Large

The City Charter States the four (4) candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall be elected into office.

Mayor

As a reminder, the Primary Election results determined Doug Primmer received the majority of all votes cast for Mayor; and as such, the City Charter states that only his name shall be printed on the General Election Ballot with no other name printed on the ballot in opposition, with the exception of one space left blank for electors to insert a name of any person they wish to vote for.

Tie-In to Council Goals

Community Communication and Engagement

Fiscal Information

Apart from a modest publication cost, there is no financial impact.

Alternatives and Recommendation**Alternatives**

None. Information Only

Recommended Action/Motion

None. Information Only

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