



AGENDA ITEM ANALYSIS

Project/Issue Name: 24-R-16 A Resolution of the City Council Declaring the Results of the April 2, 2024 Municipal Election.

Submitted By: Laura Burbridge, City Clerk

Date: April 16, 2024

Issue Statement

To declare the results of the municipal election held on April 2, 2024.

Discussion and/or Analysis

On April 6, 2021, citizens of Republic were asked to vote for (8) Council seats and Mayor, a 3% sales tax for recreational marijuana, and 6 Charter amendments. The results were as follows:

MAYOR	Votes:
<u>Four Year Term</u>	
Eric Franklin	588
COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 1	
<u>Four Year Term</u>	
Eric L. Gerke	136
COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 1	
<u>One Year Term</u>	
Justin Shaw	139
COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 2	
<u>Four Year Term</u>	
Garry E. Wilson	62
Joan Stevens	8
Melanie Clark	41
Jeremy Mathis	36
COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 2	
<u>One Year Term</u>	
Kelly Young	45
Darran L. Campbell	112



COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 3

Four Year Term

Sean J. Jones	34
Christopher Updike	82
Justin D. Snider	55

COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 3

One Year Term

Brian Fields	125
Dave Gragg	52

COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 4

Four Year Term

Justin Neal	140
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COUNCIL MEMBER – WARD 4

One Year Term

Daniel Harter	126
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PROPOSITION G

Shall the City of Republic, Missouri, Impose an additional sales tax of three percent (3%) on the retail sale of adult use (non-medical) marijuana?

Yes – 421

No – 294

QUESTION 1

Shall the Charter of the City of Republic, Section 4.4(g), be amended, and new Section 6.3 be added, to reassign the duty to appoint the City Attorney from the Mayor to the City Administrator, set forth minimum qualifications and duties of the City Attorney, and set forth the term of employment for the City Attorney?

Yes – 363

No – 336

QUESTION 2

Shall the Charter of the City of Republic, Sections 3.2(c), 14.2(a) and 14.2(b), be amended to establish a schedule for the election of Councilmembers to staggered four-year terms at the General Municipal Election to be held on even years?

Yes – 514

No – 190



QUESTION 3

Shall the Charter of the City of Republic, Section 3.6(c), be amended to clarify that a vacancy in the Council shall be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term, if any, at the next regular municipal election with expiring Council seats on the ballot?

Yes – 500

No – 200

QUESTION 4

Shall the Charter of the City of Republic, Sections 3.10(f) and 3.10(g), be amended to establish requirements and procedures for the first and second reading of ordinances by title during a single open Council meeting, and for final passage of an ordinance as part of the consent agenda at an open Council meeting?

Yes – 411

No – 279

QUESTION 5

Shall the Charter of the City of Republic, Section 7.6, be repealed and a new subsection 7.3(f) be added to make capital planning part of the annual budget?

Yes – 470

No – 228

QUESTION 6

Shall the Charter of the City of Republic, Section 10.3, be repealed to allow for the administrative management of temporary permits issued for the operation of public utilities in accord with Republic Municipal Code?

Yes – 402

No – 289

Certified results are attached.

Recommended Action

Staff recommends approval.