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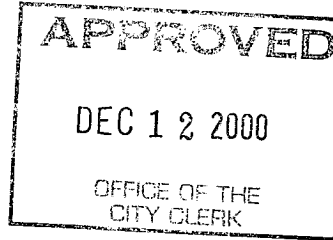
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Mayor and City Council
Sacramento, California



Honorable Members in Session:

SUBJECT: CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION RESULTS OF NOVEMBER 7, 2000
GENERAL MUNICIPAL RUN-OFF ELECTION

LOCATION: City-wide

RECOMMENDATION: This report recommends the City Council adopt the attached resolution.

CONTACT PERSON: Luann Lee, 264-7200

COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 12, 2000

SUMMARY

This report requests adoption of the attached resolution which declares the official result of the November 7, 2000 General Municipal Election, as certified by the County Registrar of Voters.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

On Tuesday, November 7, 2000, the City of Sacramento held a General Municipal Run-Off Election for the purposes of electing a Councilmember to fill a vacancy in offices of Mayor and Council District 2.

On October 26, 1999, the City council adopted resolution number 99-605 authorizing the County Office of Voter Registration and Election to canvass the returns of the election. The results have been certified by the County, and are contained in the attached Certificates of Fact. Pursuant to the results contained in the Certificates of Fact, the number and percentage of votes received by Heather Fargo for the office of Mayor and Sandy Sheedy for the office of Council District 2 is sufficient to declare them elected.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION

The County has determined that \$78,214 will cover the costs involved in conducting this election.

POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

There are no policy considerations associated with this item.


ESBD CONSIDERATIONS

There is no impact to be considered with this report.

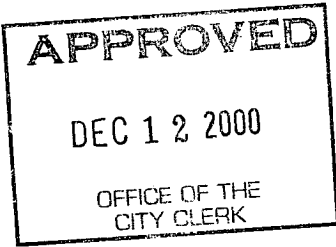
Respectfully submitted,



Luann Lee, Deputy City Clerk



Valerie Burrows, City Clerk



RESOLUTION NO. 2000-729

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

ON DATE OF _____

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, RECITING THE FACTS OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL RUN-OFF ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 7, 2000, DECLARING THE RESULTS AND SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS PROVIDED BY LAW

WHEREAS, a General Election to fill the offices of Mayor and Council District 2 was held and conducted in the City of Sacramento, California, on Tuesday, November 7, 2000, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, notice of the election was given in time, form and manner as provided by law; that voting precincts were properly established; that election officers were appointed and that in all respects the election was held and conducted and the votes were cast, received and canvassed and the returns made and declared in time, form and manner as required by the provisions of the Elections Code of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 99-605 adopted on October 26, 1999, the County Election Department canvassed the returns of the election and has certified the results to this City Council, the results are received, attached and made a part hereof as "Exhibit A".

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the number of votes cast, including absentee ballots, in the Mayoral race was 122,675 and in District 2 was 10,021.

SECTION 2. That the names of persons voted for at the election and the results of the votes cast are as follows:

<u>Mayor</u>	<u>Votes Cast</u>
* Heather Fargo	66,332
Rob Kerth	56,343

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The City Council does declare and determine that Heather Fargo was elected as Mayor.

<u>Council District 2</u>	<u>Votes Cast</u>
* Sandy Sheedy	5,285
Bill Farrell	4,736

The City Council does declare and determine that Sandy Sheedy was elected as Councilmember to District 2.

SECTION 3. That the official results of the number of votes given at each precinct and the number of votes given in the City to each of the persons above named for the offices of Mayor and Council District 2, are not yet available from the County Office of Voter Registration and Election, and will be entered into the official records when they are received.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall enter on the records of the City Council of the City, a statement of the result of the election, showing: (1) the whole number of votes cast in the City; (2) the names of the persons voted for; (3) for what office each person voted; (4) the number of votes given at each precinct to each person; and, (5) the total number of votes given to each person.

SECTION 5. That the City Clerk shall, pursuant to California Elections Code Section 10265, make and deliver to the persons so elected a Certificate of Election signed by the City Clerk and authenticated; that the City Clerk did also administer to the person elected the Oath of Office prescribed in the Constitution of the State of California and shall have them subscribe to it and file it in the office of the City Clerk. The person so elected shall then be inducted into the respective office to which she has been elected.

SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
County of Sacramento)

CERTIFICATE OF FACTS

I, Ernest R. Hawkins, Registrar of Voters of the County of Sacramento, State of California, do hereby certify that the names of the candidates shown below were submitted to the known qualified electors in the City of Sacramento for the purpose of electing one City Councilmember-District 2 at the November 7, 2000 General Election.

The results of the Official Canvass conducted by this office are as follows:

MEMBER, SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 2

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name and Votes Cast. Sandy Sheedy: 5,285; Bill Farrell: 4,736.

And that the conduct of the election and canvass of the ballots was in every respect in accordance with the election laws of the State of California.

Witness My Hand and Seal This 28th Day of November, 2000.



Ernest R. Hawkins for
ERNEST R. HAWKINS
REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
County of Sacramento
State of California

* Candidate elected