



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS . 11465 WEST CIVIC CENTER DRIVE . AVONDALE, AZ 85323

SPECIAL MEETING
November 28, 2016
10:00 AM

CALL TO ORDER BY MAYOR

1 ROLL CALL BY THE CITY CLERK

2 **RESOLUTION 3347-1116 - CANVASS OF VOTES OF THE NOVEMBER 8, 2016 GENERAL ELECTION**

City Council will consider a resolution canvassing the results of the November 8, 2016 General Election. The Council will take appropriate action.

3 ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Carmen Martinez'.

Carmen Martinez
City Clerk

Council Members of the City of Avondale will attend either in person or by telephone conference call.

Los miembros del Concejo de la Ciudad de Avondale participaran ya sea en persona o por medio de llamada telefonica.

Individuals with special accessibility needs, including sight or hearing impaired, large print, or interpreter, should contact the City Clerk at 623-333-1200 or TDD 623-333-0010 at least two business days prior to the Council Meeting.

Personas con necesidades especiales de accesibilidad, incluyendo personas con impedimentos de vista u oido, o con necesidad de impresion grande o interprete, deben comunicarse con la Secretaria de la Ciudad at 623-333-1200 o TDD 623-333-0010 cuando menos dos dias habiles antes de la junta del Concejo.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to A.R.S. 1-602.A.9, subject to certain specified statutory exceptions, parents have a right to consent before the State or any of its political subdivisions make a video or audio recording of a minor child. Meetings of the City Council may be audio and/or video recorded and, as a result, proceedings in which children are present may be subject to such recording. Parents, in order to exercise their rights may either file written consent with the City Clerk to such recording, or take personal action to ensure that their child or children are not present when a recording may be made. If a child is present at the time a recording is made, the City will assume that the rights afforded parents pursuant to A.R.S. 1-602.A.9 have been waived.

De acuerdo con la ley A.R.S. 1-602.A.9, y sujeto a ciertas excepciones legales, se da aviso que los padres tienen derecho a dar su consentimiento antes de que el Estado o cualquier otra entidad política haga grabaciones de video o audio de un menor de edad. Las juntas del Concejo de la Ciudad pueden ser grabadas y por consecuencia, existe la posibilidad de que si hay menores de edad presentes estos aparezcan en estos videos o grabaciones de audio. Los padres pueden ejercitar su derecho si presentan su consentimiento por escrito a la Secretaria de la Ciudad, o pueden asegurarse que los niños no estén presentes durante la grabación de la junta. Si hay algún menor de edad presente durante la grabación, la Ciudad dará por entendido que los padres han renunciado sus derechos de acuerdo a la ley contenida A.R.S. 1-602.A.9.



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SUBJECT:

Resolution 3347-1116 - Canvass of Votes of the
November 8, 2016 General Election

MEETING DATE:

11/28/2016

TO: Mayor and Council**FROM:** Carmen Martinez, City Clerk (623) 333-1214**THROUGH:** David Fitzhugh, City Manager**PURPOSE:**

Staff is recommending adoption of a resolution canvassing the results of the November 8, 2016 General election.

DISCUSSION:

The City of Avondale held its General Election on November 8, 2016 for the election of the Mayor.

Three Council Members were elected at the August 30, 2016, but none of the candidates for Mayor was successful in obtaining the majority necessary to be declared elected at the primary election. The candidate with the top two vote totals advanced to the general election.

Council adoption of the resolution canvassing the election results was originally scheduled for the regular meeting of November 21, 2016. However, due to the fact that Maricopa County had not yet prepared the detailed reports with the information necessary for the City Attorney to prepare the resolution, Council continued adoption of the resolution to a special meeting of November 28th. Final results are as follows:

Candidate	# of votes	%
Stephanie Karlin	8,500	44.18%
Ken Weise	10,738	55.82%

There was an unprecedented 64.17% turnout at this election with 24,287 Avondale voters casting a ballot. Mayor Weise was elected Mayor to a four-year term ending on December 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff is recommending adoption of a resolution canvassing the results of the November 8, 2016 General election.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

[Resolution 3347-1116](#)

RESOLUTION NO. 3347-1116

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVONDALE, ARIZONA, DECLARING AND ADOPTING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2016.

WHEREAS, the City of Avondale (the “City”), Arizona, held a general election on November 8, 2016 (the “Election”), for the election of Mayor; and

WHEREAS, the Election returns, which are depicted on Exhibit A attached hereto, have been presented to, and have been canvassed by, the Council of the City of Avondale.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVONDALE as follows:

SECTION 1. The recitals above are hereby incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2. The total number of registered voters was 37,850, the total number of ballots cast at the Election, as shown by the poll lists, was 24,287 and the total rate of return was 64.17%.

SECTION 3. The number of provisional ballots was 1,034 and 107 ballots were found to be ineligible.

SECTION 4. The votes cast for the candidates for Mayor were as follows:

Karlin, Stephanie	<u>8,500</u>
Weise, Kenneth	<u>10,738</u>

SECTION 5. It is hereby found, determined and declared of record, that Kenneth Weise received the majority of valid votes cast at the General Election, and the City Clerk is directed to issue a certificate of election.

SECTION 6. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

SECTION 7. The Mayor, the City Manager, the City Clerk and the City Attorney are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Council of the City of Avondale, Arizona,
November 28, 2016.

Kenneth N. Weise, Mayor

ATTEST:

Carmen Martinez, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Andrew J. McGuire, City Attorney

EXHIBIT A
TO
RESOLUTION 3347-1116

[Election Returns]

(See following page.)

City of Avondale
General Election Results
November 8, 2016

	PPNO 015			PPNO 035			PPNO 117			PPNO 155			PPNO 185			PPNO 186			PPNO 341			PPNO 454			PPNO 461			PPNO 560			PPNO 684			Official Totals		
	ALVARADO Rio Vista School			AVONDALE 1st. So. Baptist Church			COLDWATER RIDGE Estrella Vista School			CRYSTAL GARDENS 1st Baptist Church GL			DESSIE Michael Anderson School			DEVONSHIRE Cornerstone Christian Church			LA REATA Corte Sierra School			ORME Collier School			PALMBROOK Litchfield 1st Baptist Church			SANTA FE Rancho Santa Fe School			WARNER Quentin School					
# REGISTERED VOTERS	1,755			1,886			2,946			4,978			2,786			5,215			2,021			6,146			3,795			2,202			4,120			37,850		
BALLOTS CAST	1,067	61%		953	51%		1,918	65%		3,307	66%		1,389	50%		3,711	71%		1,458	72%		3,907	64%		2,670	70%		1,572	71%		2,335	57%	24,287	64.17%		
MAYOR																																				
	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes	Votes Cast	% ballots	% votes
KARLIN	408	38%	47%	375	39%	51%	731	38%	48%	1101	33%	41%	559	40%	50%	1190	32%	39%	408	28%	36%	1418	36%	46%	887	33%	43%	460	29%	36%	963	41%	56%	8,500	35.00%	44.18%
WEISE	463	43%	53%	364	38%	49%	777	41%	52%	1584	48%	59%	561	40%	50%	1853	50%	61%	740	51%	64%	1672	43%	54%	1153	43%	57%	813	52%	64%	758	32%	44%	10,738	44%	55.82%
TOTALS	871			739			1508			2685			1120			3043			1148			3090			2040			1273			1721			19,238		
REJECTED BALLOTS																																				
LATE	1			1			1			4			1			4			1			9			3			1			3			29		
BAD SIGNATURE							3			3			1			4			5			2			2			3			9			32		
NO SIGNATURE	2			1			4			14			2			6			1			4			6			0			6			46		
TOTAL	3			2			8			21			4			14			7			15			11			4			18			107		
PROVISIONAL BALLOTS																																				
COUNTED	19			32			89			104			71			109			29			132			69			41			48			743		
NOT COUNTED	22			13			32			46			34			25			8			53			21			13			24			291		
TOTAL	41			45			121			150			105			134			37			185			90			54			72			1034		