

CITY OF JOSEPHINE, TEXAS

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-11-20

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOSEPHINE, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE NOVEMBER 7, 2023, GENERAL ELECTION FOR COUNCILMEMBERS FOR PLACE 1, PLACE 2, PLACE 3, AND PLACE 4; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS it is determined that notices of a general election were given in the form, manner and time required by law, and said election was in all respects legally held and conducted in accordance with applicable laws of the State of Texas and the proceedings calling and governing the holding of such elections; and

WHEREAS it is imperative to consider the returns of the general election held on November 7, 2023, for the purpose of electing the hereinafter named officials and determining the results placed before the qualified voters of the City; and

WHEREAS the returns of the general election have been duly and legally made and submitted to the City Council for canvassing and no protest or objection has been made to or regarding any matter pertaining to said election,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOSEPHINE, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. The result of the general municipal officers' election held November 7, 2023, as canvassed (Exhibit A attached) by the City Council is as follows:

Councilmember Place 1

	Early Voting In-Person	Early Voting Mail	Election Day In-Person	Early Voting Provisional	Total	Voting %
DOUG EWING	See Exhibit A attached					
TOTALS OVERVOTES UNDERVOTES	0	0	0	0	182	100%

Doug Ewing was unopposed for the Office of Councilmember Place One and is hereby declared to be elected to the Office of Councilmember Place One to serve a two-year term that shall expire November 20, 2025, after qualifying.

Councilmember Place 2

	Early Voting In-Person	Early Voting Mail	Election Day In-Person	Early Voting Provisional	Total	Voting %
BRAD AHLFINGER	67	0	80	0	147	
	See Exhibit A attached					
TOTALS						
OVERVOTES	0	0	0	0	0	
UNDERVOTES						

Brad Ahlfinger, having received a majority of all votes cast for the Office of City Councilmember Place Two, he is hereby declared to be elected to the Office of City Councilmember Place One to serve a term that shall expire November 20, 2025, after qualifying.

Councilmember Place 3

	Early Voting In-Person	Early Voting Mail	Election Day In-Person	Early Voting Provisional	Total	Voting %
ALEX ESQUIVEL	See Exhibit A attached					100%
TOTALS						100%
OVERVOTES	0	0	0	0	174	
UNDERVOTES						

Alex Esquivel was unopposed for the Office of City Councilmember Place Three and he is hereby declared to be elected to the Office of City Councilmember Place Three to serve a term that shall expire November 20, 2025, after qualifying.

Councilmember Place 4

	Early Voting In-Person	Early Voting Mail	Election Day In-Person	Early Voting Provisional	Total	Voting %
PAMELA SARDO	37		50		87	
	See Exhibit A attached					
TOTALS						100%
OVERVOTES	0	0	0	0	0	
UNDERVOTES						

Pamela Sardo, having received the highest number of all votes cast for the Office of City Councilmember Place Four, she is hereby declared to be elected to the Office of City Councilmember Place Four to serve a term that shall expire November 20, 2025, after qualifying.

SECTION 2. The General Election for Councilmember Place 1, Councilmember Place 2, Councilmember Place 3, and Councilmember Place 4, was duly called, notice of said election was given in accordance with the law; and (A) it appearing that Doug Ewing was unopposed, and that he thus received a majority of all votes cast for all candidates for the office of Councilmember Place One, he is hereby declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember Place One to serve a two (2) year term after qualifying and (B) it appearing that Brad Ahlfinger received a majority of all votes cast for all candidates for the office of Councilmember Place Two, he is hereby declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember Place Two to serve a two (2) year term after qualifying; and (C) it appearing that Alex Esquivel was unopposed, and that he thus received a majority of all votes cast for all candidates for the office of Councilmember Place Three, he is hereby declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember Place Three to serve a two (2) year term after qualifying and (D) it appearing that Pamela Sardo received the highest number of all votes cast for all candidates for the office of Councilmember Place 4, she is hereby declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember Place 4 to serve a two (2) year term after qualifying.

SECTION 3. This declaration of results of said election shall be entered in the Minutes of the City Council and said officers, after they have qualified and taken their oaths, shall serve during the term commencing November 20, 2023, and thereafter until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

SECTION 4. It is further found and determined that in accordance with the order of this governing body, the City Secretary posted written notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board located at City Hall, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public and said notice having been so posted and remaining posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

SECTION 5. This resolution shall become effective immediately from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOSEPHINE, TEXAS, THIS 20 DAY OF November 2023.

ATTEST:



Patti Brooks, City Secretary

APPROVED:



Jason Turney, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Robert L. Dillard III, City Attorney



EXHIBIT "A"

Summary Results Report
Joint General and Special Election
November 7, 2023

FINAL RESULTS-City of Josephine
SOVC
COLLIN COUNTY

PCT 192**Alderman Place 1 – City of Josephine**

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Doug Ewing	182	100.00%		102	80	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	182	100.00%		102	80	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	106			66	40	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

Alderman Place 2 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Jane Ridgway	105	41.67%		61	44	0	0	0
Brad Ahlfinger	147	58.33%		80	67	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	252	100.00%		141	111	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	36			27	9	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

Alderman Place 3 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Alex Esquivel	171	100.00%		97	74	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	171	100.00%		97	74	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	117			71	46	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

Alderman Place 4 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Pamela Sardo	82	33.47%		47	35	0	0	0
Chad Hawkins	84	34.29%		50	34	0	0	0
Douglas E. Thomas	79	32.24%		41	38	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	245	100.00%		138	107	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	43			30	13	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

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FINAL RESULTS-City of Josephine
 SOVC
 COLLIN COUNTY

LB 28**Alderman Place 1 – City of Josephine**

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Doug Ewing	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Alderman Place 2 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Jane Ridgway	0		0	0	0	0	0
Brad Ahtfinger	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Alderman Place 3 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Alex Esquivel	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Alderman Place 4 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Pamela Sardo	0		0	0	0	0	0
Chad Hawkins	0		0	0	0	0	0
Douglas E. Thomas	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

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FINAL RESULTS-City of Josephine
Combined Accumulated Totals
COLLIN COUNTY

Alderman Place 1 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Doug Ewing	182	100.00%		102	80	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	182	100.00%		102	80	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	106			66	40	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

Alderman Place 2 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Jane Ridgway	105	41.67%		61	44	0	0	0
Brad Ahlfinger	147	58.33%		80	67	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	252	100.00%		141	111	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	36			27	9	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

Alderman Place 3 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Alex Esquivel	171	100.00%		97	74	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	171	100.00%		97	74	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	117			71	46	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

Alderman Place 4 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provisional	Limited Ballot
Pamela Sardo	82	33.47%		47	35	0	0	0
Chad Hawkins	84	34.29%		50	34	0	0	0
Douglas E. Thomas	79	32.24%		41	38	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	245	100.00%		138	107	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	43			30	13	0	0	0
Contest Totals	288			168	120	0	0	0

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SOVC
COLLIN COUNTY

PCT 035**Alderman Place 1 – City of Josephine**

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Doug Ewing	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Alderman Place 2 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Jane Ridgway	0		0	0	0	0	0
Brad Ahlfinger	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Alderman Place 3 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Alex Esquivel	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Alderman Place 4 – City of Josephine

Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballots By Mail	Provision al	Limited Ballot
Pamela Sardo	0		0	0	0	0	0
Chad Hawkins	0		0	0	0	0	0
Douglas E. Thomas	0		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0		0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Contest Totals	0		0	0	0	0	0

Cumulative Results Report

Hunt County

Unofficial Results

Election Day

Special and Jurisdiction Elections

Ballots Cast

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CITY OF GREENVILLE PROPOSITION B - VOTE FOR OR AGAINST

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
FOR		92	85.98%	1,490	80.02%	1,180	77.79%	2,762	79.23%
AGAINST		15	14.02%	372	19.98%	337	22.21%	724	20.77%
Cast Votes:		107	100.00%	1,862	100.00%	1,517	100.00%	3,486	100.00%
Undervotes:		12		142		142		296	
Overvotes:		0		3		5		8	

CITY OF GREENVILLE PROPOSITION C - VOTE FOR OR AGAINST

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
FOR		63	58.33%	1,093	57.56%	850	54.31%	2,006	56.16%
AGAINST		45	41.67%	806	42.44%	715	45.69%	1,566	43.84%
Cast Votes:		108	100.00%	1,899	100.00%	1,565	100.00%	3,572	100.00%
Undervotes:		11		108		95		214	
Overvotes:		0		0		4		4	

CITY OF GREENVILLE PROPOSITION D - VOTE FOR OR AGAINST

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
FOR		69	67.65%	1,209	66.98%	948	63.16%	2,226	65.32%
AGAINST		33	32.35%	596	33.02%	553	36.84%	1,182	34.68%
Cast Votes:		102	100.00%	1,805	100.00%	1,501	100.00%	3,408	100.00%
Undervotes:		17		202		159		378	
Overvotes:		0		0		4		4	

City Council, City of Josephine, Place 1 - Vote for None or One

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
Doug Ewing		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	3	100.00%	3	100.00%
Cast Votes:		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	3	100.00%	3	100.00%
Undervotes:		0		2		5		7	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	

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Cumulative Results Report

Hunt County

Unofficial Results

Election Day

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Ballots Cast

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City Council, City of Josephine, Place 2 - Vote for None or One

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
Jane Ridgway		0	0.00%	2	100.00%	8	100.00%	10	100.00%
Brad Ahtfinger		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Cast Votes:		0	0.00%	2	100.00%	8	100.00%	10	100.00%
Undervotes:		0		0		0		0	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	

City Council, City of Josephine, Place 3 - Vote for None or One

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
Alex Esquivel		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	3	100.00%	3	100.00%
Cast Votes:		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	3	100.00%	3	100.00%
Undervotes:		0		2		5		7	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	

City Council, City of Josephine, Place 4 - Vote for None or One

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
Pamela Sardo		0	0.00%	2	100.00%	3	75.00%	5	83.33%
Chad Hawkins		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	25.00%	1	16.67%
Douglas E. Thomas		0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Cast Votes:		0	0.00%	2	100.00%	4	100.00%	6	100.00%
Undervotes:		0		0		4		4	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	

City Council, City of West Tawakoni, Place 1 - Vote for None or One

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
Kevin Featherston		0	0.00%	19	100.00%	139	100.00%	158	100.00%
Cast Votes:		0	0.00%	19	100.00%	139	100.00%	158	100.00%
Undervotes:		2		8		68		78	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	