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June 2, 2026 Municipal Election Results

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Location: Citywide

Recommendation: Adopt a **Resolution** declaring the results of the June 2, 2026 municipal election as certified by the Sacramento County Registrar of Voters.

Contact: Mindy Cuppy, City Clerk, (916) 808-5442, mcuppy@cityofsacramento.org, Office of the City Clerk

Presenter: None.

Attachments:

- 1-Description/Analysis
- 2-Resolution Certifying Election Results
- 3-Exhibit A: Certificate of Facts

Description/Analysis

Issue Detail: The terms for incumbents in the Sacramento Council Districts 1, 3, 5, and 7 are scheduled to expire in December 2026. On November 18, 2025, and pursuant to election procedures the City Council adopted a resolution that called for a June 2, 2026 municipal election to fill these expiring terms. The City Council also adopted resolutions that consolidated the elections with the statewide primary and general election and requested authorization from the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors to allow the County Registrar of Voters to provide election services.

The election has occurred, the Sacramento County Registrar of Voters has certified the results, and the City Clerk has received the official Certificate of Facts. As contained in the certification, the number of votes received by a single candidate for Sacramento Council District 1, 3, 5, and 7 Councilmembers are sufficient to declare them elected.

Accepting the election results as certified by the Sacramento County Registrar of Voters will enter the vote into the official records of the City and allow the confirmation of officers.

Policy Considerations: The actions outlined in this report are in accordance with the California

Elections Code and the Sacramento City Charter.

Economic Impacts: None.

Environmental Considerations:

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA): The proposed action is not a project under CEQA because it is an organizational or administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment. (CEQA Guidelines §15378(b)(5).)

Sustainability: Not applicable.

Commission/Committee Action: Not applicable.

Rationale for Recommendation: The City of Sacramento held a municipal election on June 2, 2026, for the purpose of electing City Councilmembers in Districts 1, 3, 5, and 7.

Pursuant to the results published by the Sacramento County Registrar of Voters in the attached Certificate of Facts, the number of votes received by the following candidates were sufficient to declare them elected, without the need for run-off elections:

Lisa M. Kaplan, Council District 1

Karina Talamantes, Council District 3

Caity Maple, Council District 5

Rick Jennings, Council District 7

Financial Considerations: The County has not yet invoiced the City of Sacramento for the June 2, 2026 election. In November 2025, the Sacramento County Registrar provided an estimate of \$235,128 to conduct the election on behalf of the City.

Local Business Enterprise (LBE): Not applicable.

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-XXXX

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

Date Adopted

Reciting the Facts and Declaring the Results of the Municipal Election Held on June 2, 2026

BACKGROUND

- A. A municipal election was held and conducted in the City of Sacramento, California on Tuesday, June 2, 2026, as required by law.
- B. Notice of the election was given in the time, form, and manner as provided by law; that voter precincts were properly established; that election officers were appointed and that in all respect the election was held and conducted, and the votes were cast, received, and canvassed and the returns made and declared in the time, form, manner as required by the provisions of the Election Code of the State California.
- C. The Sacramento County Registrar's of Voters Office has canvassed the returns of the election and has certified the results to this City Council; the results are received, attached, and made part hereof as Exhibit A.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

That the names of persons voted for at the election for members of the City Council are as follows:

Council District 1

Lisa M. Kaplan	8,592
Jennifer "Jenn" Chawla	6,855
Venkat Mechineni	854

Council District 3

Karina Talamantes	9,176
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Council District 5

Caity Maple	7,235
Henry Harry	1,751
Santiago Mario Morales Jr.	1,630

Council District 7

Rick Jennings	14,120
Scott Lau	6,760
Mark R. Velasquez	3,989

SECTION 2.

That the number of votes given in the City to each of the persons above named for the respective offices for which the persons were candidates are listed in attached Exhibit A.

SECTION 3.

The City Council declares and determines that the following candidates were elected to a full term of four years.

Lisa M. Kaplan, Council District 1
Karina Talamantes, Council District 3
Caity Maple, Council District 5
Rick Jennings, Council District 7

SECTION 4.

The City Clerk shall at the last regularly scheduled meeting of the City Council in December 2026, and pursuant to City Charter Section 153, make and deliver to each of the persons so elected a Certificate of Election signed by the City Clerk; that the City Clerk shall also administer to each person elected, the Oath of Office prescribed in the Constitution of the State of California and shall have them subscribe to it and file in the Office of the City Clerk. Each and all persons so elected shall then be inducted into the respective office to which they have been elected.

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Exhibit A – Certificate of Facts



COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS CERTIFICATE OF FACTS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA }
County of Sacramento } ss.

I, HANG NGUYEN, Registrar of Voters, do hereby certify that the names of the candidates shown below were submitted to the known qualified electors in the County of Sacramento, State of California for the office of City of Sacramento, Council District 1 for the purposes of electing One (1) Councilmember at the June 2, 2026 Statewide Direct Primary Election.

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

Name	Total Votes Cast
*Lisa M. Kaplan	8,592
Jennifer "Jenn" Chawla	6,855
Venkat Mechineni	854

I further certify 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.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
I hereunto set my hand
and affix the official seal of
the County of Sacramento
on this **26th day of June,**
2026.

Hang Nguyen
Registrar of Voters
County of Sacramento
State of California



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County of Sacramento } ss.

I, HANG NGUYEN, Registrar of Voters, do hereby certify that the names of the candidates shown below were submitted to the known qualified electors in the County of Sacramento, State of California for the office of City of Sacramento, Council District 3 for the purposes of electing One (1) Councilmember at the June 2, 2026 Statewide Direct Primary Election.

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

Name	Total Votes Cast
*Karina Talamantes	9,176

I further certify 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.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
I hereunto set my hand
and affix the official seal of
the County of Sacramento
on this **26th day of June,**
2026.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Hang Nguyen".

Hang Nguyen
Registrar of Voters
County of Sacramento
State of California

*Elected



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I, HANG NGUYEN, Registrar of Voters, do hereby certify that the names of the candidates shown below were submitted to the known qualified electors in the County of Sacramento, State of California for the office of City of Sacramento, Council District 5 for the purposes of electing One (1) Councilmember at the June 2, 2026 Statewide Direct Primary Election.

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

Name	Total Votes Cast
*Caity Maple	7,235
Henry Harry	1,751
Santiago Mario Morales Jr.	1,630

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I, HANG NGUYEN, Registrar of Voters, do hereby certify that the names of the candidates shown below were submitted to the known qualified electors in the County of Sacramento, State of California for the office of City of Sacramento, Council District 7 for the purposes of electing One (1) Councilmember at the June 2, 2026 Statewide Direct Primary Election.

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

Name	Total Votes Cast
*Rick Jennings	14,120
Scott Lau	6,760
Mark R. Velasquez	3,989

I further certify 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.



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2026.

Hang Nguyen
Registrar of Voters
County of Sacramento
State of California

*Elected