



City of ALACHUA

THE GOOD LIFE COMMUNITY

Board of Canvassers Minutes April 12, 2022

Mayor Gib Coerper
Member Mike DaRoza
Member Jovante Hayes

City Manager Mike DaRoza
Deputy City Clerk LeAnne Williams
City Attorney Marian Rush

The City Commission will conduct a
Board of Canvassers
At 8:00 PM
to address the item(s) below.

Meeting Date: April 12, 2022

Meeting Location: James A Lewis Commission Chambers

15100 NW 142 Terr.

BOARD OF CANVASSERS MEETING MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Led by Chair Gib Coerper.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Member Mike DaRoza moved to approve the agenda; seconded by Member Jovante Hayes.

Chair Coerper opened the floor for comments. There were no comments.

Passed by unanimous consent.

I. AGENDA ITEMS

A. Canvass Precinct Results

Deputy City Clerk LeAnne Williams presented the results from the precincts.

Member DaRoza moved to accept the tapes from the precincts; seconded by Member Hayes.

Chair Coerper opened the floor for comments.

Chanae Jackson spoke on her objections to early voting.

City Attorney Marian Rush informed Ms. Jackson that the City of Alachua does not participate in early voting.

Passed by unanimous consent.

B. Canvass Provisional and Unscanned Ballots

Deputy City Clerk Williams presented two provisional ballots from Precinct 53.

Member DaRoza moved to accept the provisional ballots from the voters who had identification issues; seconded by Member Hayes.

Passed by unanimous consent.

C. Canvass Vote by Mail Ballots

Deputy City Clerk Williams presented the roll for the Vote-By-Mail ballots for the Board to review.

Deputy City Clerk Williams presented the Vote-By-Mail ballots for the Board, candidates, and public to view.

Gloria Jones-Andrews asked what was the purpose of looking at the Vote-By-Mail ballots.

Member DaRoza stated it's the board, the candidates', and the public's right to look at the ballots.

City Attorney Rush stated this was Item C. Canvass of Vote-By-Mail Ballots. The ballots are spread on the table for you to view the signatures.

The Vote-By-Mail ballots were opened and counted.

D. Call and Certify the Election

Deputy City Clerk Williams asked would the Board of Canvassers to approve the completion of the Certification of Election, with Edward Potts receiving 715 votes and over 50% of the votes?

Member DaRoza moved to Certification of Election with Edward Potts winning Commission Seat 2 by a count of 715 to Gregory E. Pelham, Sr.'s 625 votes. ; seconded by Member Hayes.

Chair Coerper opened the floor for comments.

Ms. Jackson stated objections to the Certification of the Election.

City Attorney Rush reminded Ms. Jackson the City of Alachua only participates in in-person voting and Vote-By-Mail voting.

Ms. Jones- Andrews asked how to change the law to allow Early Voting.

City Attorney Rush stated at this meeting, the focus was on the certification of this election.

Passed by unanimous consent.

Deputy City Clerk Williams had Member Hayes draw a random slip from a box to determine which precinct would be audited. Member Hayes drew Precinct 03, Seat 02.

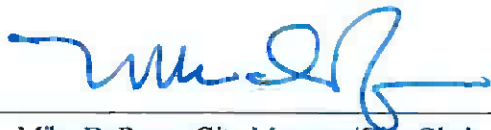
Deputy City Clerk Williams announced the audit would take place April 13, 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the James A. Lewis Chambers.

ADJOURN

Member DaRoza moved to adjourn; seconded by Member Hayes.

Passed by unanimous consent.

ATTEST:



Mike DaRoza, City Manager/City Clerk

BOARD OF CANVASSERS OF THE
CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA



Gib Coerper, Mayor