

AGENDA

Raymore City Council Regular Meeting
City Hall – 100 Municipal Circle
Monday, April 8, 2024
6:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. New Business - First Reading

A. Declaring April 2, 2024 Election Results - Emergency Reading

Reference: - Agenda Item Information Sheet (pg 3)
- Bill 3889 (pg 5)
- Election Certification (unofficial results) (pg 9)

The ballot count included in Bill 3889, at time of this publication, is the unofficial result from the County Clerk until receipt of the official statement of certification. The official statement of certification will be available the night of the meeting.

5. Oath of Office

- Newly Elected Officials

6. Adjournment

*Short reception to follow.
The Raymore City Council Special Meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m.*



CITY OF RAYMORE
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION FORM

DATE: April 8, 2024

SUBMITTED BY: Erica Hill

DEPARTMENT: City Clerk

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ordinance	<input type="checkbox"/> Resolution	<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing
<input type="checkbox"/> Agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	

TITLE / ISSUE / REQUEST

Bill 3889: Declaring the April 2, 2024 Election Results - Emergency Reading

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL/STRATEGY

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Award To:
Amount of Request/Contract:
Amount Budgeted:
Funding Source/Account#:

PROJECT TIMELINE

Estimated Start Date	Estimated End Date
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STAFF RECOMMENDATION

OTHER BOARDS & COMMISSIONS ASSIGNED

Name of Board or Commission:
Date:
Action/Vote:

LIST OF REFERENCE DOCUMENTS ATTACHED

Unofficial Election Results

REVIEWED BY:

Jim Feuerborn

BACKGROUND / JUSTIFICATION

Outlined in Raymore City Charter Section 9.3, the City Council shall declare the results of any municipal election at the next regularly scheduled Council meeting.

A municipal election was held on April 2, 2024, for Council members from each of the City's four wards for two-year terms and whether or not to impose a local use tax. The ballot counts included in Bill 3889 at the time of release of the agenda and Council packet are the unofficial results. The official statement of certification of the election results will be distributed at the April 8 Council meeting.

In order to promote efficiency of the City's business items and permit the newly elected officials to begin their terms, Bill 3889 is presented as an emergency reading in its entirety.

BILL 3889

ORDINANCE

“AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RAYMORE, MISSOURI, DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE APRIL 2, 2024, ELECTION AND DECLARING THIS BILL AS AN EMERGENCY.”

WHEREAS, a general municipal election was held on April 2, 2024; and,

WHEREAS, Section 9.3 of the Raymore City Charter calls for the Council to declare the election results at the next regularly scheduled Council meeting following the election.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAYMORE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. It is hereby found and determined by a canvass of the votes by the City Council of the City of Raymore, Missouri, at the election held on April 2, 2024, in conformity with the Comprehensive Election Act of 1977; Revised Statutes of Missouri; the provisions of the Charter; and Ordinances of the City of Raymore as follows:

Councilmember from Ward 1

2-Year Term

CANDIDATE

TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED

Brian Mills

263

Reginald Townsend

151

The City Council does find that Brian Mills is the candidate for Councilmember Ward 1 who received the highest number of votes and shall hold the office for a two-year term, until a successor is duly elected or appointed and qualified according to law.

Councilmember from Ward 2

2-Year Term

CANDIDATE

TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED

Thomas Circo

360

The City Council does find that Thomas Circo is the candidate for Councilmember Ward 2 who received the highest number of votes and shall hold the office for a two-year term, until a successor is duly elected or appointed and qualified according to law.

Councilmember from Ward 3

2-Year Term

CANDIDATE

TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED

Jay D. Holman

339

The City Council does find that Jay D. Holman is the candidate for Councilmember Ward 3 who received the highest number of votes and shall hold the office for a two-year term, until a successor is duly elected or appointed and qualified according to law.

Councilmember from Ward 4

2-Year Term

CANDIDATE

TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED

Sonja Abdelgawad

445

The City Council does find that Sonja Abdelgawad is the candidate for Councilmember Ward 4 who received the highest number of votes and shall hold the office for a two-year term, until a successor is duly elected or appointed and qualified according to law.

QUESTION P

Shall the City of Raymore, Missouri impose a local use tax at the same rate as the total local sales tax rate, provided that, if the local sales tax rate is reduced or raised by voter approval, the local use tax rate shall also be reduced or raised by the same action?

	<u>TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED</u>
Yes	895
No	1,032

The City Council does find that the Question was not approved by the voters of the City of Raymore.

Section 2. It is further found, declared, and determined that notice of said election was duly given and published in the manner provided by law and that said election was held and conducted in all respects in conformity with the Constitution and laws of the State of Missouri governing elections and subject to the provisions for Charter Cities.

Section 3. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Section 4. Emergency Reading. This Bill is declared and authorized as an emergency, and will be read in its entirety, to promote the administration of government and permit the newly elected officials to begin their terms.

Section 5. Effective Date. The effective date of approval of this Ordinance shall be coincidental with the Mayor’s signature and attestation by the City Clerk.

DULY READ THE FIRST TIME THIS 8TH DAY OF APRIL, 2024.

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE ABOVE ORDINANCE WAS APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 8TH DAY OF APRIL, 2024, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

Councilmember Abdelgawad
Councilmember Baker
Councilmember Barber
Councilmember Burke III
Councilmember Engert
Councilmember Forster
Councilmember Holman
Councilmember Townsend

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Erica Hill, City Clerk

Kristofer P. Turnbow, Mayor

Date of Signature

Registered Voters 73,837 - Total Ballots 8,745 : 11.84%

40 of 40 Precincts Reporting 100.00%

PLEASANT HILL COUNCILMAN AT LARGE		
Number of Precincts	4	
Precincts Reporting	4	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	1,025	
ROBERT "ROBBIE" GEAR	404	39.41%
JACKIE RALSTON-EMO	612	59.71%
WRITE IN	9	0.88%

PLEASANT HILL PROPOSITION P3		
Number of Precincts	4	
Precincts Reporting	4	100.00%
Total Votes		
	1,098	
YES	810	73.77%
NO	288	26.23%

PLEASANT HILL PRECINCT 22 COUNCIL		
Number of Precincts	2	
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	229	
MICHELLE NEWBERRY	221	96.51%
WRITE IN	8	3.49%

PLEASANT HILL PROPOSITION 4		
Number of Precincts	4	
Precincts Reporting	4	100.00%
Total Votes		
	1,094	
YES	347	31.72%
NO	747	68.28%

PLEASANT HILL PROPOSITION P1		
Number of Precincts	4	
Precincts Reporting	4	100.00%
Total Votes		
	1,100	
YES	663	60.27%
NO	437	39.73%

RAYMORE WARD 1 COUNCILMEMBER		
Number of Precincts	2	
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	417	
BRIAN MILLS	263	63.07%
REGINALD TOWNSEND	151	36.21%
WRITE IN	3	0.72%

PLEASANT HILL PROPOSITION P2		
Number of Precincts	4	
Precincts Reporting	4	100.00%
Total Votes		
	1,100	
YES	713	64.82%
NO	387	35.18%

RAYMORE WARD 2 COUNCILMEMBER		
Number of Precincts	3	
Precincts Reporting	3	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	414	
THOMAS CIRCO	360	86.96%
WRITE IN	54	13.04%

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40 of 40 Precincts Reporting 100.00%

RAYMORE WARD 3 COUNCILMEMBER			
Number of Precincts	3		
Precincts Reporting	3	100.00%	
Vote For 1			
Total Votes	349		
JAY D. HOLMAN	339	97.13%	
WRITE IN	10	2.87%	

STRASBURG MAYOR			
Number of Precincts	2		
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%	
Vote For 1			
Total Votes	10		
GREG McCLURE	8	80.00%	
WRITE IN	2	20.00%	

RAYMORE WARD 4 COUNCILMEMBER			
Number of Precincts	3		
Precincts Reporting	3	100.00%	
Vote For 1			
Total Votes	479		
SONJA ABDELGAWAD	445	92.90%	
WRITE IN	34	7.10%	

STRASBURG NORTHWARD ALDERMAN 2 YEAR TERM			
Number of Precincts	2		
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%	
Vote For 1			
Total Votes	3		
WRITE IN	3	100.00%	

RAYMORE QUESTION P			
Number of Precincts	7		
Precincts Reporting	7	100.00%	
Total Votes			
	1,927		
YES	895	46.45%	
NO	1,032	53.55%	

STRASBURG NORTHWARD ALDERMAN 1 YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM			
Number of Precincts	2		
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%	
Vote For 1			
Total Votes	3		
WRITE IN	3	100.00%	

RIVERVIEW ESTATES TRUSTEE			
Number of Precincts	2		
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%	
Vote For 3			
Total Votes	51		
DAVE WILBANKS	16	31.37%	
WILLIAM L BARRY IV	18	35.29%	
JAMIE MARSH	17	33.33%	
WRITE IN	0	0%	

STRASBURG SOUTHWARD ALDERMAN 2 YEAR TERM			
Number of Precincts	2		
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%	
Vote For 1			
Total Votes	4		
WRITE IN	4	100.00%	