

April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 unapproved

The City Council of the City of Wessington Springs met in special session at the Office of Finance Officer at 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 with the following members being present: Ryan Knipfer, Kari Fagerhaug, Tim Schooler, Vicki Harmdierks, Natasha Waters and with President of the Council Layton Schimke presiding. Also, in attendance was Linda Willman. Mayor Brian Bergeleen and City Attorney Gary Blue were absent.

A motion was made by Schooler, seconded by Fagerhaug to approve the agenda. Ayes: 6 Nays: 0 Motion carried.

Conflicts of Interest: Vicki Harmdierks stated conflict for the canvass of votes.

Councilman Layton Schimke announced this was the time and place for public comment.

President of the Council Layton Schimke announced this was the time to officially canvass the results from the municipal election held Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The poll book and official election results were given to the Council for review.

A motion was made by Schooler, seconded by Knipfer to approve the canvass of the April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Municipal Election for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward Councilman. Ayes: Knipfer, Schooler, Fagerhaug, Harmdierks Schimke, Nays: 0 Motion carried.

OFFICIAL CANVASS SHEET  
 DATE OF ELECTION: April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
 TYPE OF ELECTION: MUNICIPAL  
 JURISDICTION: CITY OF WESSINGTON SPRINGS

	2nd WARD	
	Mark Rosdail	Vicki Harmdierks
Ward 2	18	41
TOTAL	18	41

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)  
 )SS  
 COUNTY OF JERAULD )

We, Ryan Knipfer, Layton Schimke, Tim Schooler, Natasha Waters, and Kari Fagerhaug appointed as the Board of Canvassers because of our positions on the governing board in the jurisdiction of Wessington Springs for the Municipal election

held on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true abstract of the votes cast in the jurisdiction of Wessington Springs at the election as shown by the returns certified to the person in charge of the election.

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Ryan Knipfer

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Layton Schimke

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Tim Schooler

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Natasha Waters

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Kari Fagerhaug

Sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023.

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Linda Willman, Finance Officer

A motion was made by Knipfer, seconded by Fagerhaug to approve the following Resolution declaring the official results of the annual municipal election.

**Resolution No. 2023-4-1**

**RESOLUTION DECLARING RESULTS OF ANNUAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION.**

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Wessington Springs, South Dakota, that at the annual municipal election duly called and held in the City on April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 the results were as follows:

Councilman, Ward 2: having received a majority of all votes cast for the office Vicki Harmdierks is hereby declared elected to the office of Ward 2 Councilman for a term of two years.

Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023

APPROVED:

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Layton Schimke, President of the Council

ATTEST:\_\_\_\_\_  
Linda Willman, Finance Officer

Councilman voting for resolution: Knipfer, Schimke, Fagerhaug, Waters, Schooler  
Councilman voting against resolution: none Motion passed.

Councilman Tim Schooler left the meeting at this time.

A discussion was held on the 3 Ward Councilman position that will become open due to no petitions filed for the position. An appointment will be made at the next regular City Council meeting in May.

A discussion was held on Spring Cleanup. A date of May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 has been set.

A motion was made by Harmdierks, seconded by Knipfer to adjourn. Ayes: 5 Nays: 0 Motion carried.

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Layton Schimke, President of the Council ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Linda Willman, Finance Officer

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