



**MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF STACY IN THE COUNTY OF CHISAGO AND THE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA PURSUANT TO DUE CALL AND  
NOTICE THEREOF**

**SPECIAL MEETING**  
**APRIL 16, 2024 6:00 p.m.**  
**33155 HEMINGWAY AVE, STACY MN 55079**

**Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Utecht at 6:01 p.m.

**Present**

**Present:** Mark Utecht, Marie Lawrence, Jennie Hirsch (Carlson), Dennis Thieling, and Tim Sawatzky

**Absent:** None

**Others Present:** Tanya Smolke and Angie Comstock

**Purpose of the Special Meeting**

The purpose of the meeting is to canvass the special election results.

**Action**

There was a discussion on how the undervotes are calculated. The clerks' department will research this and report back to the Council.

Mayor:

Mark Utecht won the seat for Mayor.

Council Vacancies W1/P1:

Tim Sawatzky won the seat for the 2-year 8-month term.

Dennis Thieling won the seat for the 8-month term.

Council Vacancies W2/P2:

Jeff Barrett won the seat for the 2-year 8-month term.

Carolyn Cagle won the seat for the 8-month term.

Motion by M. Utecht to accept the election results as published. Second by D. Thieling. Members M. Utecht, T. Sawatzky, M. Lawrence, D. Thieling, and J. Hirsch (Carlson) voted yes. Mayor Utecht declared the motion carried.

Election results are attached.

**Adjourned at 6:35p.m.**

Motion by M. Utecht to adjourn. Second by T. Sawatzky. . Members M. Utecht, T. Sawatzky, M. Lawrence, D. Thieling, and J. Hirsch (Carlson) voted yes. Mayor Utecht declared the motion carried.

Angie Comstock, Deputy City Clerk



Special Meeting – April 16, 2024

**Canvass of Special Election Held on April 9, 2024**

		Election Day Voting			
Mayor	Candidate	Cast Votes	Undervotes	Overvotes	Write-in
		429	4	0	0
	Mark Utecht	251			
	Rick Keller	171			
	Tim Berrini	7			


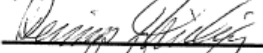

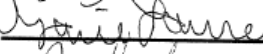
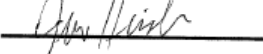
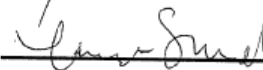
Council Member Write In Votes (P1/W1)	
Marie Lawrence	7
Carolyn Cagle	6
John Scott	5
Jeff Barrett	3
Mark Utecht	1
James Johnson	1

		Election Day Voting			
Council W1/P1	Candidate	Cast Votes	Undervotes	Overvotes	Write-in
		128	70	0	24
	Tim Sawatzky	73			
	Dennis Thieling	55			

**Mayor** 8 month term Mark Utecht  
**Council Member W1/P1** 2 year 8 month term Tim Sawatzky  
**Council Member W1/P1** 8 month term Dennis Thieling  
**Council Member W2/P2** 2 year 8 month term Jeff Barrett  
**Council Member W2/P2** 8 month term Carolyn Cagle

		Election Day Voting			
Council W2/P2	Candidate	Cast Votes	Undervotes	Overvotes	Write-in
		534	110	0	0
	Jeff Barrett	178			
	Carolyn Cagle	153			
	Brian Seekon	70			
	John Scott	74			
	Brandon Price	59			

We hereby certify the official election results:

  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Mark Utecht, Mayor  
  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Dennis Thieling, Council Member  
  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Tim Sawatzky, Council Member  
  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Marie Lawrence, Council Member  
  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Jennie Hirsch (Carlson), Council Member  
  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Tanya Smolke, City Clerk

