

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL
Rapid City, South Dakota

June 10, 2008

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a special meeting of the City Council of the City of Rapid City was held at the City/School Administration Center in Rapid City, South Dakota on Tuesday, June 10, 2008 at 12:30 P.M.

The following members were present: Council Vice President Bill Okrepkie, and the following Alderpersons: Lloyd LaCroix, Tom Johnson, Deb Hadcock, Ron Weifenbach, Karen Olson, Ron Kroeger, and Sam Kooiker; and the following Alderpersons arrived during the course of the meeting: None; and the following were absent: Bob Hurlbut and Malcom Chapman.

Other members present included Mayor Alan Hanks; and staff members present included Risk Manager/Training Officer Keith L'Esperance, Assistant City Attorney Joleen Landeen, and Administrative Coordinator Jackie Gerry.

The Chair indicated this was the time to canvas the June 3, 2008 election results.

The following Resolution was introduced, read and Johnson moved its adoption:

EMERGENCY RESOLUTION CANVASSING VOTE FOR THE ANNUAL MUNICIPAL
ELECTION HELD JUNE 3, 2008

WHEREAS there was held in the City of Rapid City, South Dakota, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of June, 2008, the Annual Municipal Election of the City of Rapid City, South Dakota, for the purpose of electing five Alderpersons of said City; and

WHEREAS at said election the total number of votes cast for the office of Alderman were as follows:

FOR THE OFFICE OF ALDERMAN FIRST WARD (TWO- YEAR TERM)	1st Precinct	2nd Precinct	3rd Precinct	4th Precinct	Total
Tom Johnson	273	244	429	57	1,003
Patti Martinson	179	189	296	52	716
Craig Kirsch	181	146	280	46	653

FOR THE OFFICE OF ALDERMAN SECOND WARD (TWO- YEAR TERM)	1st Precinct	2nd Precinct	3rd Precinct	4th Precinct	5th Precinct	6th Precinct	Total
Sam Kooiker	314	124	273	370	16	no voters	1,097
Russell Oubre	100	38	102	120	6		366

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Rapid City, as follows:

2. Tom Johnson and Patti Martinson, candidates for Alderman, Ward One, being the two candidates who received the highest number of votes cast for said office but who failed to receive a majority of all votes cast therefore, are hereby declared to be candidates for said office at a secondary election to be held on Tuesday, June 24, 2008, such secondary election to be held at the same polling places, with the same judges and clerks, and shall be conducted, returned, and canvassed and the result declared and entered on the journal of the City in the same manner as the first election.

3. Sam Kooiker having received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Alderman for the Second Ward, for a term of two years, is hereby declared to be duly elected to the office of Alderman of the City of Rapid City for the Second Ward and for the term as hereinabove set forth, and is entitled to qualify for and hold said office as provided by law.

4. Karen Gundersen Olson having been unopposed as candidate for the office of Alderman for the Third Ward, for a term of two years, is hereby declared to be duly elected to the office of Alderman of the City of Rapid City for the Third Ward, and for the term as hereinabove set forth, and is entitled to qualify for and hold said office as provided by law.

5. Lloyd LaCroix having been unopposed as candidate for the office of Alderman for the Fourth Ward, for a term of two years, is hereby declared to be duly elected to the office of Alderman of the City of Rapid City for the Fourth Ward, and for the term as hereinabove set forth, and is entitled to qualify for and hold said office as provided by law.

6. Malcom Chapman having been unopposed as candidate for the office of Alderman for the Fifth Ward, for a term of two years, is hereby declared to be duly elected to the office of Alderman of the City of Rapid City for the Fifth Ward, and for the term as hereinabove set forth, and is entitled to qualify for and hold said office as provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution is found and determined to be necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, and for the support of the municipal government and its existing public institutions, wherefor an emergency exists and this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication according to law.

DATED this 10th day of June, 2008.

ATTEST:
s/ James F. Preston
Finance Officer

CITY OF RAPID CITY
s/ Alan Hanks

(SEAL)

WARD ONE ALDERMAN
Tom Johnson

WARD ONE ALDERMAN
Ron Weifenbach

WARD TWO ALDERMAN
Deb Hadcock

WARD TWO ALDERMAN
Sam Kooiker

WARD THREE ALDERMAN

WARD THREE ALDERMAN

Bill Okrepkie

Karen Olson

WARD FOUR ALDERMAN

WARD FOUR ALDERMAN

Lloyd LaCroix

Ron Kroeger

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was seconded by Hadcock. The following voted AYE: LaCroix, Johnson, Hadcock, Okrepkie, Weifenbach, Olson, Kroeger, and Kooiker; NO: None; whereupon said Resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

As there was no further business to come before the Council at this time, the meeting adjourned at 12:41 P.M.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

ATTEST:

Mayor

Finance Officer

(SEAL)