

April 25, 2023, General Municipal Election Canvassing Minutes
Monday, May 1, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.

The Common Council of the City of Morgantown met in the Public Safety Building Training Room on Monday, May 1st at 10:31 a.m. as the ex-officio board of canvassers, this being the fifth day after the election to canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election held in the City of Morgantown, West Virginia, on Tuesday, April 25, 2023.

Present: Mayor Jenny Selin. Deputy Mayor Danielle Trumble. Council Members: Bill Kawecki, and Ixya Vega, as the City of Morgantown Board of Canvassers. The following persons were present to assist the Board of Canvassers: City Clerk Christine Wade. Deputy City Clerk Heather Carl, Marvin Davis, Laura Gunter, Vanessa Reaves, Samantha Baldwin, Sandy Dent, and Michael Branard from Casto & Harris.

Councilor Vega drew Precinct #16 BOPARC Senior Center to canvass.

Motion by Councilor Kawecki, second by Mayor Selin, to set the Bond amount at \$300 if anyone decides a recount. Motion carried by acclamation.

Provisional Ballots were opened by City Clerk Christine Wade, the reason for the provisional vote was communicated to the Canvassing Board, while Deputy Clerk Heather Carl marked each provisional ballot envelope after decisions were made. The Board motioned to accept and count four out of eight provisional ballots.

Five Absentee Ballots which were received after election day but before canvass were opened by City Clerk Christine Wade. Motion carried by consensus as the Board decided to make a motion to accept the five absentee ballots. All were verified and found to be correct.

Once the count for Precinct #16 was complete, City Clerk Christine Wade read aloud all the tallies counted as Deputy City Clerk Heather Carl added them together. All counts were counted which resulted in approving the count from Precinct #16 by acclamation. The total votes cast after canvassing was 1,693.

Having completed the canvass for the April 25, 2023, General Municipal Election, the Unofficial Results were declared and 48 hours after canvass the results would become the Official Election Results for 2023. No motion was made to approve the Official Results.

There being no more business to conclude, motion by Deputy Mayor Danielle Trumble, second by Councilor Vega to adjourn at 11:38 p.m.

(Official votes for April 25, 2023, General Municipal Election is attached as Exhibit A.)

CANVASSING BOARD:



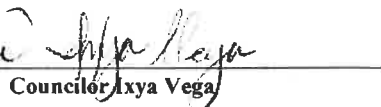
Mayor Jenny Selin



Deputy Mayor Danielle Trumble



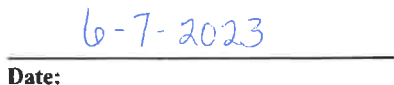
Councilor William A. Kawecki



Councilor Ixya Vega



ATTEST:



Date:

Board of Canvassers' Certificate of Votes Cast
for Candidates at the 2023 General Municipal Election


Office of the City Clerk
City of Morgantown - Monongalia County, West Virginia

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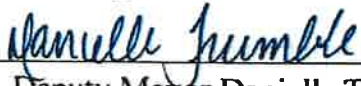
The Board of Canvassers of the City of Morgantown, State of West Virginia, having carefully and impartially examined the returns of the Election held in said county in each district thereof, on the 3rd day of May, 2023 do hereby certify that in said county for the office of City Council.

First Ward:			
<u>Joe Abu-Ghannam</u>	received	<u>994</u>	votes
<u>James Giuliani</u>	received	<u>598</u>	votes
Third Ward:			
<u>Louise "Weez" Michael</u>	received	<u>1,230</u>	votes
Fifth Ward:			
<u>Danielle Trumble</u>	received	<u>1,201</u>	votes
<u>Marly Yniguez</u>	received	<u>442</u>	votes
Seventh Ward:			
<u>Brian Butcher</u>	received	<u>893</u>	votes
<u>Ben Mayle</u>	received	<u>767</u>	votes


Given under our hands this 1st day of May 2023.



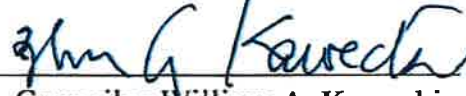
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