

# **County of San Mateo**

## Inter-Departmental Correspondence

**Department: ASSESSOR-COUNTY CLERK-**

**RECORDER-ELECTIONS** 

File #: 22-961 Board Meeting Date: 12/13/2022

Special Notice / Hearing: None

Vote Required: Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: Mark Church, Chief Elections Officer & Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder

**Subject:** Statement of the Results of the Vote for the November 8, 2022 Statewide General

Election

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt a resolution:

- A) Accepting the certificate of the Chief Elections Officer as the statement of the results of the vote as determined by the official canvass of the November 8, 2022, Statewide General Election (the "Election"); and
- B) Declaring the persons elected to or nominated for certain offices.

#### BACKGROUND:

On November 8, 2022, the Chief Elections Officer conducted the Election. The official canvass and an abstract or Statement of the Vote for the Election was completed and certified by the Chief Elections Officer and is now available at the Registration & Elections Division. An electronic copy of the Statement of the Vote is also published on the Registration & Elections Division website, <a href="https://www.smcacre.org">www.smcacre.org</a>, and a copy has been submitted to the Board, as required by state law.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

Within 30 days of an election the Chief Elections Officer is required to inspect, process, and count all ballots cast during an election and prepare a certified statement of the result. Upon acceptance of this certified statement, Elections Code Section 15400 directs the governing body of the jurisdiction-here, the Board of Supervisors-to declare elected or nominated to each office voted on at the Election the persons having received the highest number of votes for such office.

Staff recommends that the Board accept the certificate of the Chief Elections Officer as the statement of the results of the vote as determined by the official canvass of the Election.

In the proposed Resolution, persons will be declared elected to the following offices: one Member of the Board of Supervisors for 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisorial District; one Member of the Board of Supervisors for 3<sup>rd</sup> Supervisorial District; one Governing Board Member of the San Mateo County Community College District Trustee Area 2; and seven Superior Court Judges.

In addition, there are appointments in lieu of holding elections for the County Board of Education Trustee Areas 1, 2 and 3, the San Mateo County Community College District Trustee Area 4, and the Midcoast Community Council.

The County Attorney has reviewed and approved the Resolution as to form.

### PERFORMANCE MEASURE:

Measure	November 6, 2018	November 8, 2022
Number of registered voters in San Mateo County	399,591	432,707
Percent of Voters who voted in the Statewide General Election	72.59%	58.29%

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

There is no known fiscal impact associated with this item.