

## RESOLUTION 23-2009

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BENSON, ARIZONA CANVASSING, DECLARING, AND ADOPTING THE RESULTS OF THE PRIMARY ELECTION HELD ON MARCH 10, 2009.

WHEREAS, on the 10th day of March, 2009, a primary election of the qualified electors of the City of Benson, Arizona was held for the purpose of electing one (1) mayor for a two year term and three (3) councilmembers to each serve four year terms; and

WHEREAS, the election returns, attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference, have been presented to and have been canvassed by the Mayor and City Council; and

WHEREAS, the election returns as canvassed show that there were 760 ballots cast; and

WHEREAS, the number of votes cast for each candidate is as follows:

<u>FOR MAYOR</u>	<u>VOTES RECEIVED</u>
FENN, MARK M.	523
HOUGH, FRANKLIN P.	79
SUAGEE, KATHY	151
WRITE IN	1

<u>FOR COUNCILMEMBER</u>	<u>VOTES RECEIVED</u>
DEANE, CLIFFORD	344
KING, TONEY, SR	558
LAMBERT, DAVID	545
McGOFFIN, LORI	489
TIPTON, DIANNE	141
WRITE IN	5
Rejected Ballots	0
Questioned Ballots	0

WHEREAS, pursuant to Arizona law and the Benson City Code, Chapter 2, Article 2-3, Sections 2-3-3 and 2-3-4, at the Primary Election the candidate receiving a majority of all votes cast for the office of Mayor and the candidates receiving a majority of all votes cast for the office of Councilmember shall be declared to be elected to the offices of Mayor and Councilmember effective as of the date of the General Election; and

WHEREAS, it appears that Mark M. Fenn received a number of votes constituting a majority of all the valid ballots cast for the office of Mayor and should be elected; Toney King Sr. received a number of votes constituting a majority of all the valid ballots cast for Councilmember and should be elected; David Lambert received a number of votes constituting a majority of all the valid ballots cast for Councilmember and should be elected; and Lori McGoffin received a number of votes constituting a majority of all the valid ballots cast for Councilmember and should be elected.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Benson as follows:

SECTION 1. That the total number of ballots cast at the primary election was 760.

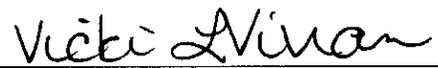
SECTION 2. That Mark M. Fenn is declared to be elected to the office of Mayor effective as of the date of the General Election; Toney King Sr. is declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember effective as of the date of the General Election; David Lambert is declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember effective as of the date of the General Election; and Lori McGoffin is declared to be elected to the office of Councilmember effective as of the date of the General Election.

SECTION 3. That election of one (1) mayor for a two year term and three (3) councilmembers to each serve four year terms was accomplished by the March 10, 2009, Primary Election and that the General Election concerning these offices is no longer required.

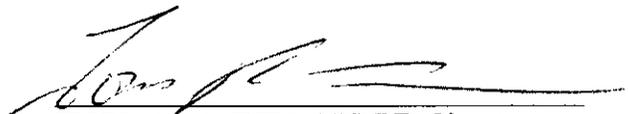
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Benson, Arizona, this 23rd day of March, 2009.

  
MARK M. FENN, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
VICKI L. VIVIAN, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
THOMAS A. BENAVIDEZ, City Attorney

**EXHIBIT A**

**OFFICIAL RESULTS**



# COCHISE COUNTY ELECTIONS / SPECIAL DISTRICTS

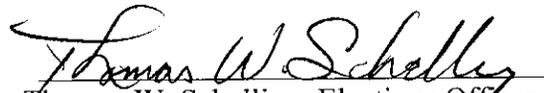
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## CERTIFICATION OF CANVASS OF THE CITY OF BENSON PRIMARY ELECTION MARCH 10, 2009

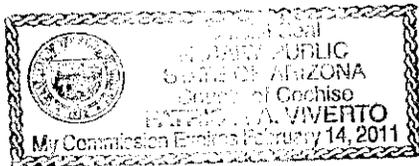
I, the undersigned, being the Election Officer of Cochise County, do hereby certify, that the copy of the Official Canvass of said election held on March 10, 2009 is attached hereto, and is a true and correct copy of the Official Canvass that has been filed in the records of the Cochise County Elections/Special Districts Office.

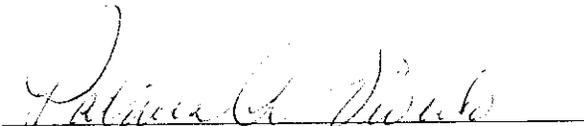
Total Voter Registration:	2841
Total Ballots Processed:	760
Ballots Rejected	0

State of Arizona  
County of Cochise

  
Thomas W. Schelling, Elections Officer

This instrument was acknowledged before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of March, 2009 by Thomas W. Schelling



  
Notary Public

My commission will expire:

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	TOTAL VOTES	%	PRECINCT	EARLY
PRECINCTS COUNTED (OF 5)	5	100.00		
REGISTERED VOTERS - TOTAL	10,150			
BALLOTS CAST - TOTAL	1,631		1,214	417
VOTER TURNOUT - TOTAL		16.07		

Northern Cochise County Hospital Dist.  
 Vote for not more than 2

COOK, KATHY M.	362	34.81	253	109
HAAS, KAY L.	314	30.19	225	89
REED, DAVE	102	9.81	63	39
SINGER, E. RICHARD	261	25.10	183	78
WRITE-IN.	1	.10	0	1
Over Votes	0		0	0
Under Votes	82		50	32

City of Benson Mayor  
 Vote for not more than 1

FENN, MARK M.	523	69.36	394	129
HOUGH, FRANKLIN P.	79	10.48	57	22
SUAGEE, KATHY	151	20.03	106	45
WRITE-IN.	1	.13	1	0
Over Votes	1		0	1
Under Votes	5		3	2

City of Benson Council Member  
 Vote for not more than 3

DEANE, CLIFFORD	344	16.52	252	92
KING, TONEY, SR.	558	26.80	426	132
LAMBERT, DAVID.	545	26.18	401	144
McGOFFIN, LORI.	489	23.49	362	127
TIPTON, DIANNE.	141	6.77	86	55
WRITE-IN.	5	.24	5	0
Over Votes	0		0	0
Under Votes	198		151	47

City of Benson Proposition 300  
 Vote for not more than 1

YES / SI.	521	71.86	396	125
NO.	204	28.14	136	68
Over Votes	0		0	0
Under Votes	35		29	6

Town of Huachuca City Mayor  
 Vote for not more than 1

NERHAN, GEORGE.	84	27.54	66	18
PERRY, DAVID A.	94	30.82	85	9
ROBERTSON, BYRON	123	40.33	108	15
WRITE-IN.	4	1.31	4	0
Over Votes	0		0	0
Under Votes	5		3	2

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	TOTAL VOTES	%	PRECINCT	EARLY
Town of Huachuca City Council				
Vote for not more than 3				
JOHNSON, DONNA . . . . .	208	30.28	179	29
KING, ALBERT . . . . .	133	19.36	111	22
SMITH, CRAIG . . . . .	177	25.76	152	25
WOODRUFF, PATRICIA . . . . .	161	23.44	144	17
WRITE-IN. . . . .	8	1.16	6	2
Over Votes . . . . .	3		3	0
Under Votes . . . . .	240		203	37
Town of Huachuca City Recall-Perry				
Vote for not more than 1				
PERRY, DAVID A. . . . .	169	90.86	146	23
WRITE-IN. . . . .	17	9.14	13	4
Over Votes . . . . .	1		1	0
Under Votes . . . . .	123		106	17
Town of Huachuca City Recall-Woodruff				
Vote for not more than 1				
WOODRUFF, PATRICIA . . . . .	159	90.34	137	22
WRITE-IN. . . . .	17	9.66	12	5
Over Votes . . . . .	0		0	0
Under Votes . . . . .	134		117	17
Town of Huachuca City Recall-Johnson				
Vote for not more than 1				
JOHNSON, DONNA. . . . .	149	90.85	128	21
WRITE-IN. . . . .	15	9.15	15	0
Over Votes . . . . .	0		0	0
Under Votes . . . . .	146		123	23
Town of Huachuca City Recall-McCullough				
Vote for not more than 1				
MCCULLOUGH, GENE . . . . .	148	91.36	129	19
WRITE-IN. . . . .	14	8.64	9	5
Over Votes . . . . .	0		0	0
Under Votes . . . . .	148		128	20
Town of Huachuca City Recall-Nerhan				
Vote for not more than 1				
NERHAN, GEORGE. . . . .	104	46.85	83	21
WOODRUFF, PATRICIA . . . . .	98	44.14	93	5
WRITE-IN. . . . .	20	9.01	16	4
Over Votes . . . . .	2		2	0
Under Votes . . . . .	86		72	14

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	TOTAL VOTES	%	PRECINCT	EARLY
REGISTERED VOTERS - TOTAL . . . . .	2,841			
BALLOTS CAST - TOTAL . . . . .	760		561	199
VOTER TURNOUT - TOTAL . . . . .		26.75		

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