

RESOLUTION 2006-R-013

CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF THE SPECIAL
ELECTION HELD ON FEBRUARY 4, 2006; AND
APPROVING THE RESULTS.

WHEREAS, by Ordinance No. 2006-O-279 introduced on November 7, 2005, the Council ordered a special election to be held on February 4, 2006 to fill the vacancy for City Official:

CITY COUNCIL MEMBER - DISTRICT VII

WHEREAS, said City Council has investigated all matters pertaining to said election, including ordering, giving notice, and the election officers holding and making return of said special election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby officially found and determined that said meeting was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all in accordance with the Election Code and the ordinance calling said special election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAREDO THAT:

Section 1: The City Council finds and determines that said election was duly called and ordered, that proper notice was duly given, that proper election officers were duly appointed prior to said election, that said election was duly held, that due returns of the result of said election were made and delivered, all in accordance with the Election Code and the ordinance calling said special election; that the City Council has duly canvassed said returns, all in accordance with the law and the ordinance calling said election.

Section 2: The City Council officially finds and determines that the following votes were cast at said election, as per attached tabulation returns included in this resolution, for the following candidates for City Council Member - District VII by the resident, qualified electors of the City of Laredo, who voted at said special election with the following results:

COUNCIL MEMBER - DISTRICT VII	TOTAL VOTES	MAJORITY
Juan Chavez	572	54.68%
Jorge A. Vera	452	43.21%
Javier "Rito" De Anda	22	2.10%

Section 3: The above returns of said special election be and are hereby approved and declared to be in due form as required by law, and that the candidate shown above received a majority of the votes for Council Member District VII and has been duly elected to the respective office, and that said successful candidate is entitled to fill the respective office by qualifying therefore as required by law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR ON THIS
THE 10TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2006.



ELIZABETH G. FLORES
MAYOR

ATTEST:



GUSTAVO GUEVARA, JR.
CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



JAIME L. FLORES
CITY ATTORNEY

Authority Conducting Election: City of Laredo
Date of Election: February 4, 2006
Type of Election: Special District VII Election

Return Sheet

Name of Candidate <i>(Nombre del Candidato)</i>	Office Sought <i>(Puesto oficial solicitado)</i>	No. of votes received <i>(Numero de votos recibidos)</i>
Juan Chavez	Councilman, District VII <i>(Unex Term)</i>	572
Jorge A. Vera	Councilman, District VII <i>(Unex Term)</i>	452
Javier "Rito" De Anda	Councilman, District VII <i>(Unex Term)</i>	22

Total Number of Voters who Voted as indicated by Poll Lists: 1052

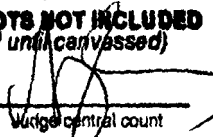
I, Oscar Villarreal, Elections Administrator for the County of Webb, Texas, do hereby certify that the above return is a true and correct return for the Special Election held on the 4th day of February, 2006.

(Yo, Oscar Villarreal, Administrador de Elecciones del Condado de Webb, Texas, por lo presente certifico que los datos de arriba son los resultados verdaderos y correctos de la Eleccion Especial que se celebro el dia 4 de Febrero de ano 2006.)

**Dated this 6th day of February, 2006
*(Fechada este dia 6 de Febrero del ano 2006.)***



Oscar Villarreal
Elections Administrator

	TOTAL VOTES	%	MAIL-IN	EARLY VOTING	ELECTION DAY	PROVISIONALS
PRECINCTS COUNTED (OF 7)	7	100.00				
REGISTERED VOTERS - TOTALS	0					
BALLOTS CAST - TOTALS	490		23	467	0	0
COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT VII, UNEXPIRED TERM						
(Vote for) 1						
(WITH 7 OF 7 PRECINCTS COUNTED)						
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JAVIER "RITO" DE ANDA	17	3.47	4	13	0	0
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Total	1.046		23	467	556	0

TOTAL VOTES
Including Early Vote
INCLUDING RESOLUTION
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COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE: 02/07.06	SUBJECT: Resolution 2006-R-013 Canvassing the returns of the Special Election held on February 4, 2006; approving the results.	
INITIATED BY: Larry Dovalina, City Manager		STAFF SOURCE: Gustavo Guevara, Jr., City Secretary
PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: On November 7, 2005, the City Council ordered a special election to be held on February 4, 2006, to fill the vacancy for City Council Member- District VII.		
BACKGROUND: None		
FINANCIAL IMPACT: none		
COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:		STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the resolution.

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City of Laredo

Special District VII Election

February 4, 2006

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Registered Voters:	2669	1743	670	3309	1181	303	1337	11212

Mail-In Ballots

Votes Cast:	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
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Councilman, Dist. VII, (Unexpired Term)								
Juan Chavez	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Jorge A. Vera	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Javier "Rito" De Anda	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4

Early Voting

Votes Cast:	93	78	37	173	19	0	67	467
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Councilman, Dist. VII, (Unexpired Term)								
Juan Chavez	59	44	23	113	13	0	45	297
Jorge A. Vera	32	32	14	53	6	0	20	157
Javier "Rito" De Anda	2	2	0	7	0	0	2	13

Election Day

Votes Cast:	176	113	15	150	42	0	66	562
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Councilman, Dist. VII, (Unexpired Term)								
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Jorge A. Vera	103	64	7	86	16	0	17	293
Javier "Rito" De Anda	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	5

Combined Totals (M-I, EV & ED)

Votes Cast:	292	191	52	323	61	0	133	1052
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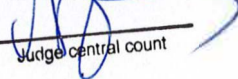
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