

City of Nevada

"SPECIAL" COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, May 11, 2021 7:00P.M.

Location: City Hall
424 E. FM 6
Nevada, Texas 75173

MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER:

TIME: 7:03P.M.

Mayor Pro Tem Gwen Garlington, Kerrie Longoria, Karl Fisher

B. CITIZENS TO SPEAK BEFORE THE COUNCIL

*This time is reserved for citizens to discuss items not listed on the Agenda. Citizens who have requested time to speak before the Council or who have signed the Sign-In sheet prior to the Council Meeting, may have three (3) minutes to address the Council. However, by law no action or discussion may be undertaken on these items, unless they are placed on the agenda of a future meeting. **No Citizens to speak***

C. BUSINESS

1. Discuss/Take Action: *Gwen Garlington makes a motion to accept the Canvas of Votes from Collin County. Kerrie Longoria 2nds, all in favor, aye, motion carries.*

a. Canvas of Votes for New Mayor and Council.

Mayor Pro Tem, Gwen Garlington, read the 2021 Canvas of Votes provided by Collin County Elections Administrator, Bruce Sherbet. (Official Canvas of Votes documents on page 2 and 3 of the Minutes)

Roll call

Opposed

Gwen Galrington

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Kerrie Longoria

Karl Fisher

STATE OF TEXAS

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**CANVASS OF THE
CITY OF NEVADA
GENERAL ELECTION**

COUNTY OF COLLIN

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MAY 1, 2021

I, Bruce Sherbet, the undersigned Elections Administrator of Collin County, do hereby certify that I have made an actual check and comparison of all the ballots tabulated as voted with the Return Sheets, and the unused ballots as recorded on the Register of Official Ballots. I, therefore, make the following report of my findings from the May 1, 2021 City of Nevada General Election that was held in Collin County, Texas.

I hereby certify the results to be a full, true and correct tabulation, audit and count of the votes cast in the said election.

WITNESS, my hand on this the 7th day of May 2021.



Bruce Sherbet
Elections Administrator
Collin County

Summary Results Report
General and Special Election
May 1, 2021

Final Results
Combined Accumulated Totals
Collin County

Mayor Nevada
Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provisional Ballots	Limited Ballots
Benito Ponce	166	100.00%		63	103	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	166	100.00%		63	103	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	54			23	31	0	0	0
Contest Totals	220			86	134	0	0	0

Councilmember, Place 1 Nevada
Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provisional Ballots	Limited Ballots
Joe Cleveland	91	44.83%		38	53	0	0	0
Mike Laye	112	55.17%		40	72	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	203	100.00%		78	125	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	17			8	9	0	0	0
Contest Totals	220			86	134	0	0	0

Councilmember, Place 3 Nevada
Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provisional Ballots	Limited Ballots
Kerrie Longoria	112	52.58%		40	72	0	0	0
Paul Breitzman	101	47.42%		43	58	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	213	100.00%		83	130	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	7			3	4	0	0	0
Contest Totals	220			86	134	0	0	0

Councilmember, Place 4 Nevada
Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provisional Ballots	Limited Ballots
Karl Fisher	148	100.00%		56	92	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	148	100.00%		56	92	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	72			30	42	0	0	0
Contest Totals	220			86	134	0	0	0

Councilmember, Place 5 Nevada
Vote For 1

	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provisional Ballots	Limited Ballots
Gary Killian	123	66.49%		50	73	0	0	0
Elisabeth Garlington D.C.	62	33.51%		19	43	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	185	100.00%		69	116	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	35			17	18	0	0	0
Contest Totals	220			86	134	0	0	0

2. Discuss/Take Action: *The City Mayor and Council swearing in ceremony was performed by Jim Shepherd, the City attorney.*

a. Administer the Oath of Office for Mayor and Council 2021.

Mayor - Benito Ponce

Place 1 - Mike Laye

Place 3 - Kerrie Longoria

Place 4 - Karl Fisher

Place 5 - Gary Killian

The meeting is officially turned over to the new City Mayor, Benito Ponce. Mayor Ponce gave a short speech, and proceeded with the meeting.

Council in attendance: Mayor Ponce, Mike Laye, Gwen Garlington, Kerrie Longoria, Karl Fisher, Gary Killian

3. Discuss/Take Action: *Gwen Garlington motions to nominate Kerrie Longoria as Pro Tem, Gary Killian 2nds, all in favor aye, motion carries.*

a. Vote for Mayor Pro Tem.

4. Discuss/Take Action: *Kerrie Longoria motions to table until the next meeting. Gary Killian 2nds, all in favor aye, motion carries.*

a. Lexington Development Agreement.

5. Discuss/Take Action: *Gwen Garlington makes a motion to accept the withdrawal letter from 5W Construction, Mike Laye 2nds, all in favor aye, motion carries.*

a. Warren St. Project, accept the bid withdrawal from Michael Williams with 5W Construction LLC., and reject all other bids this project.

D. REPORTS

1. Community ISD Council Representative (*Need new council member assigned*)

Karl Fisher motions for Gary Killian to be the new Council to report CISD, Kerrie Longoria 2nds, all in favor aye, motion carries. Gary Killian is the New Council Representative for CISD.

2. Mayor's Report - Suggestions for next meeting.

a. *Mayor Ponce is implementing a Work Session Meeting on the 1st and 3rd Monday, before the council meetings on Tuesdays.*

b. *New format for the Agenda and Work Session going forward.*

3. City Secretary Report (Judy Hill) NO

E. CONSENT AGENDA

All items under 'E' Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will not be separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately.

1. Council Meeting April 20, 2021 Minutes.

Kerrie Longoria motions to table April 20, 2021 Minutes for changes to verbiage, Karl Fisher 2nds, all in favor aye, motion carries.

<u>Roll call</u>	<u>Opposed</u>
Gwen Galrington	0
Kerrie Longoria	
Karl Fisher	

F. ADJOURNMENT: 8:00P.M.



Mayor Ponce



City Secretary, Judy Hill