

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-05

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida:

SECTION 1. It is hereby ascertained, found, determined and declared that the First Primary Municipal Election held on the 10th day of May, 2011 A.D., for election of City Commissioners, in Groups I and II and the Mayor/Commissioner was held in all matters, respects, and things in full and complete compliance with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Florida and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Port St. Joe.

SECTION 2. It is further ascertained, found determined and declared that applicable Florida Laws presume that each candidate will vote for himself and write-in candidates are only permissible where they have qualified as such write-in candidates prior to the scheduled election and no such qualifications were received.

- (A) 1064 persons actually voted in said election
- (B) Of the votes cast for Mayor/Commissioner in favor of Mel C. Magidson, Jr., 644 & John E Reeves, 395 votes; 0 over votes and 25 under votes. Therefore, Mel C. Magidson Jr. is hereby declared elected to said office of Mayor/Commissioner as he received the greater vote of the total votes cast.
- (C) Of the votes cast in Commissioner, Group I in favor of Bill Kennedy, 617 & Arthur "Perky" White, 435 votes; 0 over votes and 12 under votes. Therefore, Bill Kennedy is hereby declared elected to said office of Commissioner, Group I as he received the greater vote of the total votes cast.
- (D) Of the votes cast in Commissioner, Group II in favor of James "Bo Knows" Patterson, 498, Charles H. Stephens, 298 & Troy White, 267 votes; 0 over votes and 10 under votes.

SECTION 3. It is further ascertained, determined, found, declared and proclaimed that one candidate received a greater vote of the total votes cast in said First Primary Election for Commissioner Group II. It was therefore determined that a Run-Off Election was held on June 8, 2011, between Bo Patterson and Charles Stephens, respectively.

SECTION 4. It is hereby ascertained, found determined and declared that the Run-Off Election held on June 8, 2011 for Commissioner Group II was held in all matters, respects, and things in full and complete compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Port St. Joe.

SECTION 5. It is further ascertained, determined, found and declared that:

- (E) 701 persons actually voted in said Run-Off Election.
- (F) Of the votes cast in Commissioner, Group II in favor of James "Bo Knows" Patterson, 471 & Charles H. Stephens, 230 votes; 0 over votes and 0 under votes. Therefore, James "Bo Knows" Patterson is declared elected to said office of Commissioner, Group II as he received the greater vote of the total votes cast.

The City Auditor and Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to furnish said winners a Certificate of Election as, City Mayor/Commissioner, City Commissioner Group I and City Commissioner Group II, respectively, of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida.

INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of June 2011.

**BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS
CITY PORT ST. JOE, FLORIDA**



Mayor Melvin C. Magidson, Jr.

ATTEST:


Jim Anderson, City Clerk