

**RESOLUTION NO. 2015-03**

**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 12th day of May, 2015 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) 1,163 persons actually voted in said election
- (B) Of the votes cast for Mayor/Commissioner in favor of Mel Magidson, Jr., 515 & James "Bo Knows" Patterson, 643 votes; 0 over votes and 5 under votes. Therefore, James "Bo Knows" Patterson is hereby declared elected to said office of Mayor/Commissioner as he received the greater vote of the total votes cast.
- (C) There were no votes cast in Commissioner, Group I as William P. Thursbay did not have any opposition and was therefore returned to office.
- (D) Of the votes cast in Commissioner, Group II in favor of David A. Ashbrook, 438 and Tynalin "Tan" Smiley, 273 votes; 0 over votes and 11 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 9, 2015, between David A. Ashbrook and Tynalin "Tan" Smiley, respectively.

**SECTION 4.** It is hereby ascertained, found determined and declared that the Run-Off Election held on June 9, 2015 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) 903 persons actually voted in said Run-Off Election.
- (F) Of the votes cast in Commissioner, Group II in favor of David A. Ashbrook 459 & Tynalin "Tan" Smiley, 444 votes including 2 provisional ballots; 0 over votes and 0 under votes. Therefore, David A. Ashbrook is declared elected to said office of Commissioner, Group II as he received the greater vote of the total votes cast with a margin of win of 1.66%.


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 10th day of June 2015.

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

  
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Mayor Melvin C. Magidson, Jr.

ATTEST:

  
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Charlotte M. Pierce, City Clerk