

CITY OF UNALASKA  
UNALASKA, ALASKA

**CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION**

THE UNALASKA CITY COUNCIL hereby certifies the results of the General Municipal Election held October 4, 2022, as presented by the Election Board and Canvass Committee, as follows:

<u>OFFICES / CANDIDATES / QUESTIONS</u>	<u>VOTE TALLY</u>
<b>CITY COUNCIL SEAT CC-A MAYOR</b>	
Dennis M. Robinson .....	131
Vincent M. Tutiakoff, Sr. ....	348
Write-ins .....	1
<b>CITY COUNCIL SEAT CC-C</b>	
Darin Nicholson .....	239
Brenda Baker.....	204
Write-ins .....	5
<b>CITY COUNCIL SEAT CC-D</b>	
Daneen Looby .....	408
Write-ins .....	14
<b>SCHOOL BOARD SEAT SB-C</b>	
Bob Cummings .....	410
Write-ins .....	11
<b>SCHOOL BOARD SEAT SB-D</b>	
Nicole Bice.....	184
David Gibson .....	264
Write-ins .....	6

The Unalaska City Council, with this certification, hereby declares the following:

1. **VINCENT M. TUTIAKOFF, SR.** is elected to City Council Seat CC-A, Mayor, for a 3-year term expiring October 2025.
2. **DARIN NICHOLSON** is elected to City Council Seat CC-C for a 3-year term expiring October 2025.
3. **DANEEN LOOBY** is elected to City Council Seat CC-D for a 3-year term expiring October 2025.
4. **BOB CUMMINGS** is elected to School Board Seat SB-C for a 3-year term expiring October 2025.
5. **DAVID GIBSON** is elected to School Board Seat SB-D for a 3-year term expiring October 2025.

The City Clerk is authorized to deliver a copy of this Certificate of Election to every person elected.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a duly constituted quorum of the Unalaska City Council on October 11, 2022.

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Vincent M. Tutiakoff, Sr.  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Marjie Veeder, CMC  
City Clerk

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## MEMORANDUM TO COUNCIL

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To: Mayor and City Council Members  
From: Marjie Veeder, City Clerk  
Date: October 11, 2022  
Re: Canvass Committee Report; and Certification of Election Results

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**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to code, the City Council is to publicly declare and certify the election results on the first Tuesday following the election. The Canvass Committee recommends that Council certify the results as presented.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION:** This procedure is followed annually.

**BACKGROUND and DISCUSSION:** The General Municipal Election was held on October 4, 2022, following which the Election Board reconciled ballots and completed a tally of the ballots cast on Election Day.

The Canvass Committee met on October 7, 2022 to canvass the absentee, special needs and questioned ballots, and to compile final election results.

Presented to Council tonight is the Canvass Committee Report containing the final results, tallying both Election Day ballots and the ballots counted by the Canvass Committee.

**ALTERNATIVES:** None.

**RECOMMENDATION:** The City Clerk and the Canvass Committee recommend certification of the election results as presented.

**PROPOSED MOTION:** I move to certify the results of the October 4, 2022 General Election as presented by the Election Board and the Canvass Committee.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- Canvassing Committee Report
- Canvass Committee Tally
- Election Day Ballot Reconciliation Statement and attached memo regarding discrepancy
- Tabulator results from Election Day and Canvass Committee

CITY OF UNALASKA  
UNALASKA, ALASKA

**CANVASSING COMMITTEE REPORT  
OCTOBER 4, 2022 GENERAL ELECTION**

The Canvass Committee members, appointed by City Council Resolution 2022-38, consist of Council Member Shari Coleman, Deputy City Clerk Estkarlen Magdaong and City Clerk Marjie Veeder, Chair.

The Election Board completed a tally of all regular ballots cast at the polls on October 4, 2022, and supplied their reports to the Canvass Committee.

The Canvass Committee met on October 7, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. to canvass ballots not counted on Election Day, consisting of early and absentee ballots (cast both in person and by electronic transmission), special needs ballots and questioned ballots, and makes the following report.

RECAP OF BALLOTS

**ELECTION DAY**

Ballots Counted on Election Day .....	451
Questioned Ballots .....	9
Special Needs Ballots .....	0
Subtotal .....	460

**EARLY AND ABSENTEE**

Early and Absentee Ballots (in person) .....	26
Early and Absentee Ballots (electronic transmission) .....	1
Special Needs Ballots .....	1
Questioned Ballots .....	0
Subtotal .....	28

Total Ballots Cast .....	488
Less Questioned Ballots Found Unqualified .....	5
<b>Total Qualified &amp; Counted Ballots .....</b>	<b>483</b>

Pursuant to UCO 4.04.020, a person may vote in a city election only if qualified to vote in state elections under AS 15.05.010; has been a resident of the city for 30 days immediately preceding the election; is registered to vote in state elections at a residence address within the city at least 30 days before the city election at which the person seeks to vote; and is not disqualified under Article V of the State Constitution.

There were 28 ballots cast by early and absentee voters, all of which were confirmed by the City Clerk to be cast by qualified voters.

There were 9 questioned ballots cast on Election Day, 4 which were determined to have been cast by qualified voters. Of the 5 questioned ballots not counted, 1 voter was not a U.S. Citizen, 2 were registered to vote in other Alaska communities, and 2 were not registered at all. The 5 questioned ballots were not opened or counted.

There were a total of 483 qualified ballots cast in the local election and counted.

The Canvass Committee tallied the Early and Absentee Ballots (28) and the Questioned-Qualified Ballots (4), for a total of 32 ballots. The results, combined with the votes cast at the polls, are attached to this report.

There were 1,853 voters on the precinct register, which documents all voters registered at an address in our community at least 30 days before Election Day. The total number of votes cast by qualified voters was 483, which is a 26% voter turnout.

The Canvassing Committee recommends certification of the election results.

DATED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 2022.



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Shari Coleman



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Estkarlen Magdaong



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Marjie Veeder, CMC  
Chair

**City of Unalaska October 4, 2022 General Election  
Canvass Committee Tally - October 7, 2022**

**ELECTION DAY**

Ballots Cast	451
Questioned Ballots (not on register)	9
Special Needs Ballots	0
	<hr/> 460

**QUESTIONED BALLOTS**

Not Qualified to Vote (not counted)	5
Qualified to Vote (counted)	4
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**EARLY AND ABSENTEE BALLOTS**

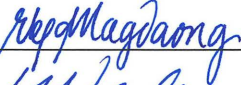
In Person Ballots	26
Email, Fax, Mail Ballots	1
Special Needs Ballots	1
Questioned Ballots	0
	<hr/> 28


Ballots to Tally by Canvass Committee 32 *(28 absentee; 4 questioned-qualified)*

	ELECTION DAY	CANVASS	TOTAL	% VOTE
<b>COUNCIL SEAT A</b>				
Dennis M. Robinson	124	7	131	27%
Vincent M. Tutiakoff, Sr.	323	25	348	73%
Write-ins	1	0	1	0%
	<hr/> 448	<hr/> 32	<hr/> 480	
<b>COUNCIL SEAT C</b>				
Darin Nicholson	219	20	239	53%
Brenda Baker	196	8	204	46%
Write-ins	4	1	5	1%
	<hr/> 419	<hr/> 29	<hr/> 448	
<b>COUNCIL SEAT D</b>				
Daneen Looby	383	25	408	97%
Write-ins	10	4	14	3%
	<hr/> 393	<hr/> 29	<hr/> 422	
<b>SCHOOL BOARD SEAT C</b>				
Bob Cummings	382	28	410	97%
Write-ins	8	3	11	3%
	<hr/> 390	<hr/> 31	<hr/> 421	
<b>SCHOOL BOARD SEAT D</b>				
Nicole Bice	175	9	184	41%
David Gibson	244	20	264	58%
Write-ins	5	1	6	1%
	<hr/> 424	<hr/> 30	<hr/> 454	

**CANVASS COMMITTEE SIGNATURES**

Shari Coleman 

Estkarlen Magdaong 

Marjie Veeder, Chair 

CITY OF UNALASKA  
General Election October 4, 2022  
Ballot Reconciliation Statement

**A. Number of Ballots Received** 2000  
Beginning Stub # 101  
Ending Stub # 2100

**B. Number of Voters and Ballots Issued**

Signatures on register	450
Questioned/Challenged ballot envelopes	9
Special Needs/PR ballot envelopes returned	0
Special Needs/PR ballot envelopes not returned	0
Spoiled ballots	+
	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>462</b> <i>☆</i>

**C. BALLOTS USED**

First unused stub #	564
Starting stub #	-
	101
<b>Total</b>	<b>463</b> <i>☆</i>

**THE TOTALS IN SECTION B AND SECTION C MUST MATCH**

*\* Discrepancy of One (1). MW*  
**CERTIFICATION**

We, the undersigned election workers, certify that to the best of our knowledge, the ballot statement information is correct and that we have disposed of the unused ballots as instructed.

Election Clerk: *Shelly Blakeley*  
Shelly Blakeley

Election Clerk: *Thomas Roufos*  
Thomas Roufos

Election Clerk: *Alicia Aguilar*  
Alicia Aguilar

Election Judge: *Estylen Magdaong*  
Estylen Magdaong

Election Judge: *Marjie Veeder*  
Marjie Veeder

October 6, 2022

**MEMO**

Re: Ballot Reconciliation Statement  
October 4, 2022 local general election

The State of Alaska provides a precinct register for use in our local election. The register is a list of registered voters in Unalaska and Dutch Harbor. Voters are asked to sign the precinct register before being issued a ballot. If a voter's name does not appear on the register, they vote a "questioned" ballot. Questioned ballots are not tabulated on Election Day and they are not put through the vote tabulator machine.

The ballot tabulator report indicates 451 ballots were cast and tabulated, which was confirmed by a count of the physical ballots. There were 451 ballots in the ballot box.

After closing the polls, there were 450 signatures on the register. There is a discrepancy of one ballot.

There should have been 451 signatures on the register to coincide with the 451 ballots. After multiple counts, there are only 450 signatures on the register.

The most plausible explanation of the discrepancy is that a voter was issued a ballot and voted, but failed to sign the register, most likely due to inattention by poll worker.

The Election Board was unable to resolve the discrepancy of one ballot.



Marjie Veeder, CMC  
City Clerk  
Election Board Chair



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City of Unalaska  
Unalaska 2022  
Tuesday, October 4, 2022

Tabulator Name  
Absentee

Tabulator ID  
2

Voting Location  
Absentee

Voting Location ID  
2

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Total Cast : 32  
Total Voters : 32

Ballot ID: 22, Ballot Name: 22  
Ballots Cast : 32

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TOTALS for all Ballots	
Total Cast	: 32
Total Voters	: 32

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CC-A Mayor (1)	
Dennis M. Robinson	: 7
Vincent M. Tutiakoff Sr.	: 25
Write-in	: 0
Total Votes	: 32

City Council CC-C (1)	
Darin Nicholson	: 20
Brenda Baker	: 8
Write-in	: 1
Total Votes	: 29

City Council CC-D (1)	
Daneen Looby	: 25
Write-in	: 4
Total Votes	: 29

School Board SB-C (1)	
Bob Cummings	: 28
Write-in	: 3
Total Votes	: 31

School Board SB-D (1)	
Nicole Bice	: 9
David Gibson	: 20
Write-in	: 1
Total Votes	: 30

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Unit Model: ICP2 (1.4)  
Unit Serial: VAL22090069  
Protective Counter: 506  
Software Version: 5.5.2.1

Certification

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED ELECTION OFFICIALS,  
HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE ELECTION  
WAS HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LOCAL  
AUTHORITY ELECTION ACT AND REGULATIONS OF  
THIS JURISDICTION.

*M. Wader*  
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Inspector Signature

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Inspector Signature

*M. Magalanga*  
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Inspector Signature

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Inspector Signature

Poll closed  
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City of Unalaska  
Unalaska 2022  
Tuesday, October 4, 2022

Tabulator Name  
Unalaska City Hall

Tabulator ID  
1

Voting Location  
Unalaska City Hall

Voting Location ID  
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Total Cast : 451  
Total Voters : 451

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Ballots Cast : 451

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Write-in	: 1
Total Votes	: 448

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Darin Nicholson	: 219
Brenda Baker	: 196
Write-in	: 4
Total Votes	: 419

City Council CC-D (1)	
Daneen Looby	: 383
Write-in	: 10
Total Votes	: 393

School Board SB-C (1)	
Bob Cummings	: 382
Write-in	: 8
Total Votes	: 390

School Board SB-D (1)	
Nicole Bice	: 175
David Gibson	: 244
Write-in	: 5
Total Votes	: 424

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*Sully Blakeley*  
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Tuesday Oct 4 20:33:04 2022