

**MINUTES**  
**SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUMA, ARIZONA  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, YUMA CITY HALL  
ONE CITY PLAZA, YUMA, ARIZONA  
**NOVEMBER 21, 2024**  
**5:00 p.m.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**Mayor Nicholls** called the City Council meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

**ROLL CALL**

Councilmembers Present: Morales, Smith, McClendon (telephonic), Morris, Shoop, Shelton (telephonic), and Mayor Nicholls  
Councilmembers Absent: None  
Staffmembers Present: Acting City Administrator, John D. Simonton  
Various Department Heads or their representative  
City Attorney, Richard W. Files  
City Clerk, Lynda L. Bushong

**I. 2024 GENERAL ELECTION CANVASS**

R2024-063 – 2024 City of Yuma General Election Canvass (adopt the results of the November 5, 2024, City of Yuma General Election through the official canvass) (Admin/Clk)

**Motion** (Morris/Smith): To amend Exhibit A of Resolution R2024-063, to include a total of 983 rejected ballots for the City of Yuma’s 2024 General Election, as required by statute. Voice vote: **approved** 7-0.

There were no speakers or Council discussion so the Mayor entertained a motion for adoption of Resolution R2024-063.

Motion (Smith/Morales): to adopt Resolution R2024-063, City of Yuma General Election Canvass.

**Bushong** displayed the following title(s):

**Resolution R2024-063**

**A resolution of the City Council of the City of Yuma, Arizona, declaring and adopting the Official Canvass of the results of the General Election held on November 5, 2024** (electing one candidate to fill an at-large seat for the office of councilmember; one at-large seat for Municipal Judge; and referring the following question to the qualified electors: Proposition 425 relating to the compensation of City Officials) (Adm/Clk)

Roll call vote: **adopted** 7-0.

**II. EXECUTIVE SESSION/ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, **Mayor Nicholls** adjourned the meeting at 5:05 p.m. No Executive Session was held.

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Lynda L. Bushong, City Clerk

APPROVED:

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Douglas J. Nicholls, Mayor

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Approved at the City Council Meeting of:

City Clerk: \_\_\_\_\_