

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-126

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, CERTIFYING THE BALLOT CONTENT FOR THE SPECIAL MAIL BALLOT RUN-OFF MUNICIPAL ELECTION FOR WARD 4 COUNCIL MEMBER TO BE HELD ON DECEMBER 5, 2023; DESIGNATING THE DROP-OFF LOCATION; AND SETTING FORTH OTHER DETAILS RELATED THERETO

WHEREAS, on October 17, 2023, the Brighton City Council approved Resolution 2023-106 calling for a Special Mail Ballot Run-off Municipal Election for Ward 4 Council Member, if necessary; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the City of Brighton Charter, the Colorado Constitution and Colorado Revised Statutes, the City of Brighton held a Coordinated Election with Adams County and Weld County on November 7, 2023; and

WHEREAS, no candidate for Ward 4 received a majority of the votes cast for such office as required in Article III, Section 3.6 of the City of Brighton Charter, thereby necessitating a special mail ballot run-off municipal election by the voters of Ward 4, to be held on December 5, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the two candidates with the highest number of votes for Ward 4 Council Member at the November 7, 2023 Coordinated Election are Kathryn Le Donne and Lloyd Worth; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article III, Section 3.6(D) of the City of Brighton Charter, the names of the candidates shall be set forth on the ballot in the same order as the candidates filed their nomination petitions with the first name being that of the first candidate to file.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That a special mail ballot run-off municipal election by the voters of Ward 4 to select the Ward 4 Council Member shall be held on December 5, 2023, between the following candidates:

- A. Kathryn Le Donne
- B. Lloyd Worth

Section 2. Every person who has attained the age of eighteen years, is a citizen of the United States, resides in Ward 4 of the City of Brighton, Colorado on December 5, 2023, as applicable, and has registered to vote on or before December 5, 2023, shall be eligible to vote in this special mail ballot run-off municipal election.

Section 3. The City Clerk is hereby appointed as the designated election official for the December 5, 2023 special mail ballot run-off municipal election.

Section 4. The City Clerk is authorized to certify the ballot content and shall notify the County Clerk of Adams County of this special mail ballot run-off municipal election and that the list of registered voters shall be supplemented on November 15, 2023, by the County Clerk, including all persons registering to vote on or before November 15, 2023.

Section 5. The City Clerk shall publish a notice of the special mail ballot run-off municipal election on November 23, 2023 and November 30, 2023.

Section 6. The City Clerk shall mail the ballots to all active registered electors in Ward 4 no later than November 20, 2023.

Section 7. The City Clerk shall appoint election judges no later than November 20, 2023.

Section 8. The designated drop-off location for the special mail ballot run-off municipal election is Brighton City Hall, 500 South 4th Avenue, Brighton, Colorado 80601, available 24 hours until 7:00 p.m. on Election Day.

Section 9. This Resolution is effective as of the date of its adoption.

RESOLVED this 9th day of November 2023.

CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO

GREGORY MILLS, Mayor

ATTEST:

NATALIE HOEL, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ALICIA CALDERÓN, City Attorney