

City Council Canvassing Board Meeting
Tuesday, September 4, 2018
5:45 PM

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Invocation – Mayor Witt
4. Roll call
5. Approval of Agenda
6. City Clerk to announce the returns of the election for the office of City Council Member District 10, and City Council Member District 14.

Need motion to accept these returns as submitted by the Columbia County Supervisor of Elections
7. Adoption of Resolution (s) declaring winner for the office City Council Member District 10 and City Council Member District 14.
 - A. City Council Resolution No. 2018-074
Declaring Eugene Jefferson as the winner for District 10
 - B. City Council Resolution No. 2018-075
Declaring Chris Greene as the winner for District 14
8. Council Comments
9. Adjournment

Reminder:

Per the Charter, new terms are effective in November 2018 at which time new oaths of office will be administered. (November 19, 2018)

**OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE
COLUMBIA COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD**

**AUGUST 28, 2018 MUNICIPAL ELECTION
CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA
CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 10 AND CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 14**

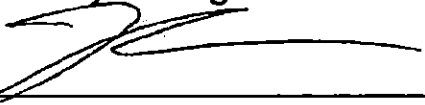
We, the undersigned, Tom Coleman, County Judge, Elizabeth "Liz" P. Horne, Supervisor of Elections and Tim Murphy, County Commissioner, constituting the Board of County Canvassers, do hereby certify from results from the Columbia County August 28, 2018 Primary Election which included the city council District 10 and city council District 14 races for the City of Lake City the following:

For the City of Lake City Councilperson District 10, the total number of votes cast was 699, of which number:


Vanessa George received 339 votes
Eugene Jefferson received 360 votes

For the City of Lake City Councilperson District 14, the total number of votes cast was 545, of which number:

Befaihtful Coker received 64 votes
Christopher Greene received 292 votes
Ricky Jernigan received 189 votes



Tom Coleman, County Judge



Liz P. Horne, Supervisor of Elections



Tim Murphy, County Commissioner

August 31, 2018
Date

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2018-074

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, DECLARING EUGENE JEFFERSON TO HAVE BEEN ELECTED CITY COUNCILMEMBER FOR DISTRICT 10 IN THE AUGUST 28, 2018, PRIMARY ELECTION.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions and requirements of the Charter of the City of Lake City, Florida ("City") and all applicable general laws of the State of Florida, VANESSA GEORGE and EUGENE JEFFERSON, properly qualified for the seat of City Councilmember for District 10 of the City in the August 28, 2018, primary election; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V, Section 512 of the City Charter the City the Council, acting in its capacity as the Canvassing Board for said election, at a special meeting on Tuesday, September 4, 2018, determined and found that the result from the canvass of the returns that VANESSA GEORGE, received 339 votes, and EUGENE JEFFERSON received 360 votes; and

WHEREAS, as the winner of a majority of the votes EUGENE JEFFERSON is entitled to be declared the duly elected City Councilmember for District 10 of the City in the August 28, 2018, primary election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter, City ordinances and other applicable provisions of the general election laws of the State of Florida,

EUGENE JEFFERSON is hereby declared to be the duly elected City Councilmember for District 10 of the City for a term of four (4) years, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 509(c) of the City Charter shall assume office at the first regularly scheduled City Council Meeting immediately following the 2018 November State General Election, upon taking and subscribing an oath or affirmation required by Section 513 of the City Charter.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council this _____ day of September, 2018.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM AND SUFFICIENT:

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2018-075

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, DECLARING CHRIS GREENE TO HAVE BEEN ELECTED CITY COUNCILMEMBER FOR DISTRICT 14 IN THE AUGUST 28, 2018, PRIMARY ELECTION.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions and requirements of the Charter of the City of Lake City, Florida ("City") and all applicable general laws of the State of Florida, BEFAITHFUL COKER, CHRIS GREENE and RICKY JERNIGAN, properly qualified for the seat of City Councilmember for District 14 of the City in the August 28, 2018, primary election; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V, Section 512 of the City Charter the City the Council, acting in its capacity as the Canvassing Board for said election, at a special meeting on Tuesday, September 4, 2018, determined and found that the result from the canvass of the returns that BEFAITHFUL COKER received 64 votes, CHRIS GREENE received 292 votes, and RICKY JERNIGAN received 189 votes; and

WHEREAS, as the winner of a majority of the votes CHRIS GREENE is entitled to be declared the duly elected City Councilmember for District 14 of the City in the August 28, 2018, primary election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter, City ordinances

and other applicable provisions of the general election laws of the State of Florida, CHRIS GREENE is hereby declared to be the duly elected City Councilmember for District 14 of the City for a term of four (4) years, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 509(c) of the City Charter shall assume office at the first regularly scheduled City Council meeting immediately following the 2018 November State General Election, upon taking and subscribing an oath or affirmation required by Section 513 of the City Charter.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council this _____ day of September, 2018.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

By: _____
Stephen M. Witt, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: _____
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM AND
SUFFICIENT:

By: _____
Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
City Attorney