



**CITY OF LOS ALTOS  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
November 24, 2015**

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**Agenda Item # 2**

**SUBJECT:** Adopt Resolution No. 2015-37, accepting the Certificate of Election Results from the Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters for the November 3, 2015 Special Municipal Election and declaring the results to be final

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**BACKGROUND**

On July 28, 2015, the City Council placed on the ballot a bond measure for the construction and improvement of Hillview Community Center and Park. Measure A was voted upon at a special municipal election on November 3, 2015. California State Elections Code Section 9269 requires the City to pass a resolution declaring the results of the election.

**EXISTING POLICY**

None

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL CONSIDERATION**

None

**DISCUSSION**

Measure A asked registered Los Altos voters the following question:

“To replace the nearly 70-year old Hillview Community Center with a new facility to provide needed recreation and activity space and meeting rooms; to meet current handicapped and earthquake safety codes; to build community pool facilities; and to improve Hillview Park, open space and sports fields, shall the City of Los Altos issue \$65,000,000 of bonds at the lowest available legal interest rates with all funds staying in Los Altos to benefit local residents, seniors and children?”

The Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters completed the official canvass of returns for the City’s election and has certified the votes cast. A total of 9,428 votes were cast. The following details the results of the election:

	<b>NUMBER OF VOTES</b>	<b>% OF VOTES CAST</b>
Yes	2,724	28.89%
No	6,704	71.16%

The total number of voters voting in the election was 9,428 or 52.9% of 17,838 registered voters.

**PUBLIC CONTACT**

Posting of the meeting agenda serves as notice to the general public.

**FISCAL/RESOURCE IMPACT**

None

**ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW**

Not applicable

**RECOMMENDATION**

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**ALTERNATIVES**

Not applicable

Prepared by: Jon Maginot, City Clerk/Assistant to the City Manager

Approved by: Marcia Somers, City Manager

**ATTACHMENT:**

1. Resolution No. 2015-37

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**RESOLUTION NO. 2015-37**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS  
RECITING THAT A SPECIAL ELECTION WAS HELD IN THE CITY OF LOS  
ALTOS ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2015, CONFIRMING THE RESULTS  
OF THE CANVASS AND DECLARING THE RESULT**

**WHEREAS**, a Special Municipal Election was held and conducted in the City of Los Altos, California on Tuesday, November 3, 2015, for the purpose of submitting a bond measure for the construction and improvement of Hillview Community Center and Park to registered voters of the City of Los Altos (Measure A); and

**WHEREAS**, notice of the election was given in time, form and manner as provided by law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters canvassed the returns of the election and has certified the results to the City Council.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Los Altos hereby declares as follows:

- A. That the canvass is confirmed;
- B. That the total number of ballots cast in the City of Los Altos in the election is set forth in the Registrar of Voters' Certificate of Election attached as Exhibit A;
- C. That the results of the election are as follows:

	<b>NUMBER OF VOTES</b>	<b>% OF VOTES CAST</b>
Yes	2,724	28.89%
No	6,704	71.16%

- D. That as a result of the election, two-thirds of the voters voting on Measure A did not vote in favor of it, and that the measure was not carried, and shall not be deemed adopted and ratified.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Los Altos at a meeting thereof on the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 2015 by the following vote:

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSENT:  
ABSTAIN:

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Janis C. Pepper, MAYOR

Attest:

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Jon Maginot, CMC, CITY CLERK

# County of Santa Clara

## Registrar of Voters

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San Jose, CA 95112  
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November 10, 2015

Mr. Jon Maginot  
City Clerk  
City of Los Altos  
1 N. San Antonio Road  
Los Altos, CA 94022

RE: Certification of Election Results – November 3, 2015 Consolidated Election

Dear Mr. Maginot:

Enclosed are the Certificate of Election Results, Official Results and Statement of Votes for the contest in your jurisdiction.

Pursuant to Elections Code Section 15400, the Governing Board should accept the Statement of Votes and Certificate of Election Results, and declare the totals to be the final results of the election.

Please call 408-282-3041 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shannon Bushey".

Shannon Bushey  
Registrar of Voters

Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION RESULTS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA )

I, Shannon Bushey, Registrar of Voters of the County of Santa Clara, State of California, hereby declare:

1. A Consolidated Election was held in the County of Santa Clara, in the City of Los Altos, on November 3, 2015 for the purpose of submitting the following measure to the voters:

**A** To replace the nearly 70-year old Hillview Community Center with a new facility to provide needed recreation and activity space and meeting rooms; to meet current handicapped and earthquake safety codes; to build community pool facilities; and to improve Hillview Park, open space and sports fields, shall the City of Los Altos issue \$65,000,000 of bonds at the lowest available legal interest rates with all funds staying in Los Altos to benefit local residents, seniors and children?

2. The official canvass of the returns of the election was conducted by the Office of the Registrar of Voters in accordance with the appropriate provisions of the Elections Code of the State of California.

3. The Statement of Votes Cast, now on file at my office, shows the whole number of votes cast for **Measure A** in each of the precincts and the total shown is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and Official Seal this 10th day of November, 2015.



*Shannon Bushey*  
Shannon Bushey, Registrar of Voters

REGISTRATION & TURNOUT			
Santa Clara County			
Completed Precincts:	29 of 29		
Total Registration	44,085		
Precinct Reporting Ballots Cast	2,195	4.98%	
Vote by Mail Reporting Ballots Cast	15,097	34.25%	
Total Ballots Cast	17,292	39.22%	

ORCHARD SCHOOL DISTRICT			
Number to Vote For: 2			
Completed Precincts:	5 of 5		
DIANA NAZARI	370	40.04%	
KATHERINE KASOLAS-JACOBSON	346	37.45%	
MARVIC OLAIVAR	208	22.51%	

MEASURE A - CITY OF LOS ALTOS BONDS			
Completed Precincts:	8 of 8		
NO	6,704	71.11%	
YES	2,724	28.89%	

MEASURE B - UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT PARCEL TAX			
Completed Precincts:	16 of 16		
YES	5,454	74.77%	
NO	1,840	25.23%	

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	REGISTRATION	BALLOTS CAST	TURNOUT (%)		MEASURE A - CITY OF LOS ALTOS BONDS YES	NO
County of Santa Clara	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704
US Representative, District 18	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704
State Senate, District 13	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704
State Assembly District 24	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704
State Board of Equal. District 2	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704
Supervisory District 5	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704
City of Los Altos	17839	9443	52.9%		2724	6704

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	REGISTRATION	BALLOTS CAST	TURNOUT (%)		MEASURE A - CITY OF LOS ALTOS BONDS YES	NO
County of Santa Clara	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705
US Representative, District 18	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705
State Senate, District 13	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705
State Assembly District 24	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705
State Board of Equal. District 2	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705
Supervisorial District 5	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705
City of Los Altos	17839	8101	45.4%		2383	5705

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	REGISTRATION	BALLOTS CAST	TURNOUT (%)		MEASURE A - CITY OF LOS ALTOS BONDS	
					YES	NO
County of Santa Clara	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999
US Representative, District 18	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999
State Senate, District 13	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999
State Assembly District 24	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999
State Board of Equal. District 2	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999
Supervisory District 5	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999
City of Los Altos	17839	1342	7.5%		341	999

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MEASURE A - CITY OF LOS ALTOS BONDS

		REGISTRATION	BALLOTS CAST	TURNOUT (%)	MEASURE A - CITY OF LOS ALTOS BONDS	
					YES	NO
PCT 2301	Precinct Reportin	2106	164	7.8%	46	117
	Vote by Mail Rep	2106	1043	49.5%	328	711
PCT 2305	Precinct Reportin	2451	142	5.8%	40	102
	Vote by Mail Rep	2451	1127	46.0%	372	754
PCT 2309	Precinct Reportin	2157	172	8.0%	44	128
	Vote by Mail Rep	2157	1029	47.7%	370	658
PCT 2314	Precinct Reportin	2990	231	7.7%	75	156
	Vote by Mail Rep	2990	1328	44.4%	463	862
PCT 2333	Precinct Reportin	2898	177	6.1%	39	137
	Vote by Mail Rep	2898	1257	43.4%	279	976
PCT 2336	Precinct Reportin	2326	218	9.4%	39	179
	Vote by Mail Rep	2326	952	40.9%	200	752
PCT 2348	Precinct Reportin	974	76	7.8%	23	53
	Vote by Mail Rep	974	436	44.8%	165	271
PCT 2351	Precinct Reportin	1937	162	8.4%	35	127
	Vote by Mail Rep	1937	929	48.0%	208	721
GRAND TOTALS		17,839	9,443	52.9%	2,724	6,704