# REPORT OF CANVASSING COMMITTEE AND RESOLUTION AND ORDER APPROVING REPORT

## TO THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL:

We, the undersigned, your Committee of the City Council appointed on March 6, 1985, to canvass the returns of the election held in the City of Dallas on April 6, 1985, for the purpose of electing eleven members of the City Council and submitting to the qualified voters of the City certain questions as to amending the Charter of the City of Dallas, hereby report that we have carefully canvassed the returns of the election and we submit the tabulated statement of the votes received by the respective candidates and propositions, attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

On the basis of the statement of the returns of the election, it appears that candidates received the following number of votes:

## For Member of Council, Place 11:

Gardell Anthony Morehead	2,318
Starke Taylor	38,998
Max Goldblatt	35,081
John Daniel	621
Write in	10

## For Member of Council, Place 1:

Bill Milkie	2,819
Jim Hart	3,617
Ben Dickey	195
Shirley Daniels	623
Ralph Mount	1,655
Write in	0

For	Member of Council, Place 2:	
	Paul N. Fielding Adam Woods Bill Nelson Lori Palmer Joe May Write in	2,173 94 897 2,115 598 2
For	Member of Council, Place 3: Clara R. Adams Jim Richards Write in	2,014 11,846 0
For	Member of Council, Place 4:	
	James "Skip" M. Lewis Dean Vanderbilt Write in	2,536 9,263 0
For	Member of Council, Place 5:	
	Craig Holcomb Write in	9,235
For	Member of Council, Place 6:	
	Diane Ragsdale Write in	2,792 0
For	Member of Council, Place 7:	
	Jim Tyson Stan Hall John Evans Clair Woertendyke Write in	3,666 170 4,979 1,550
For	Member of Council, Place 8:	
	Thomas E. Williams Al Lipscomb August Doyle Write in	410 3,492 753 0

For Member of Council, Place 9:

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Jerry Rucker	34,926
James Garner	29,266
Charles P. Kincannon	2,459
Write in	1

For Member of Council, Place 10:

Annette Strauss	51,424
Cully Lyons	7,214
Write in	8

It appears that no candidate for Place Number 1, 2, or 7 received sufficient votes to be elected to the City Council.

It appears that a request for a recount has been been filed in accordance with Article 7.15, Subdivision 23 of the Texas Election Code for Place Nos. 9 and 11; therefore, the canvassing of the election returns for Place Nos. 9 and 11 is deferred.

In accordance with Ordinance Nos. 18625, 18626, 18627, and 18628, the following propositions were submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Dallas:

#### PROPOSITION NO. 1

## REAPPOINTMENT OF CITY TREASURER

Shall Chapter III, Section 20 of the Charter of the City of Dallas be amended to authorize the city council to reappoint the city treasurer for one additional two-year term without readvertising for bids?

# PROPOSITION NO. 2

## APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL JUDGES

Shall Chapter VIII, Section 4 of the Charter of the City of Dallas be amended to provide for the appointment of municipal judges in May of even-numbered years?

#### PROPOSITION NO. 3

#### EMPLOYEE REASSIGNMENT

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Shall Chapter XVI, Section 6 of the Charter of the City of Dallas be amended to limit to two years the period during which an employee who is reassigned because of departmental reorganization is protected from reduction in compensation?

#### PROPOSITION NO. 4

# TRIAL BOARD MEMBERS AND PROCEDURES

Shall Section 1 and Section 12 of Chapter XVI of the Charter of the City of Dallas be amended to provide for appointment of adjunct members of the civil service board having qualifications established by the city council to serve on trial boards in place of city council members and to authorize the city council to appoint a secretary to the trial board?

It appears that the following number of votes were cast respectively YES and NO on Proposition Nos. 1 through 4:

# PROPOSITION NO. 1

YES 46,830 NO 21,637

PROPOSITION NO. 2

YES 50,629 NO 14,584

PROPOSITION NO. 3

YES 50,216 NO 16,340 PROPOSITION NO. 4

YES

43,169

NO

18,925

From this tabulation it appears that Propositions Nos. 1 through 4 were approved by the qualified voters of the City of Dallas participating in the election.

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