

**CITY OF LAREDO
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING
M-2014-SC-08
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
1110 HOUSTON STREET
LAREDO, TEXAS 78040
NOVEMBER 12, 2014
12:15 P.M.**

I. CALL TO ORDER

With a quorum present, Mayor Raul G. Salinas called the meeting to order.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Raul G. Salinas led in the pledge of allegiance.

III. ROLL CALL

Raul G. Salinas,	Mayor
Mike Garza,	District I
Esteban Rangel,	Mayor Pro-Tempore, District II
Alejandro Perez, Jr.	District III
Juan Narvaez,	District IV
Roque Vela, Jr.,	District V
Charlie San Miguel,	District VI
Cynthia Liendo,	District VIII
Gustavo Guevara, Jr.	City Secretary
Carlos Villarreal,	City Manager
Cynthia Collazo,	Deputy City Manager
Horacio De Leon,	Assistant City Manager
Jesus Olivares,	Assistant City Manager
Raul Casso,	City Attorney

IV. RESOLUTIONS

1. 2014-R-111 Canvassing the returns of the General City Election held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 for:
 - 1) special city election to fill a vacancy for Council Member for District VIII;
 - 2) special election to approve a sports complex venue project to be located on the campus of Texas A&M International University as part of the City's Municipal Parks and Recreation System;

- 3) special election to approve a City of Laredo / United Independent School District joint Natatorium Venue Project to be located at the UISD Student Activity Complex on Highway 359 and Concord Hills;
- 4) and the Special City Recall Election for District VII;
- 5) authorizing the City Manager to enter into contract with the Webb County Elections Administrator for the purpose of conducting a joint election with Laredo Community College (LCC);
- 6) approving the results and ordering a special runoff election;
- 7) designating a runoff date; ordering and proclaiming a special election to fill the vacancy for Council Member District VII;
- 8) designating a special election date;
- 9) and providing for publication.

Motion to approve Resolution 2014-R-111.

Moved: Cm. Garza

Second: Mayor Pro Tem Rangel

For: 7

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

City Secretary Gustavo Guevara, Jr. read the results as follows:

CANDIDATES	EARLY VOTING	PERCENT	TOTAL (EV + Election day votes)	PERCENT
MAYOR				
Guadalupe (Lupe) Botello	600	4.07	1,003	4.17
Rolando S. Herrera	156	1.06	252	1.05
Jose S. Dorantes, Jr.	68	.46	112	.47
Pete Saenz	7922	53.80	12,831	53.34
James Joel Newland	125	.85	258	1.07
Cindy Liendo	2920	19.83	4,587	19.07
Jerry Garza	2889	19.62	4,924	20.47
MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE				
Rosie Cuellar			19,076	100.00
DISTRICT I				
Christy Jimenez Lara	249	18.74	412	19.38
Luis A. Cisneros	95	7.15	145	6.82
Jorge Ugartechea	81	6.09	153	7.20
Rudy Gonzalez Jr.	388	29.19	622	29.26
Roger Benavides	319	24.00	433	20.37

Jose U. Conde Jr.	197	14.82	361	16.98
DISTRICT II				
Esteban Rangel	965		1,587	100.00
DISTRICT III				
Abey Lugo	546	40.44	945	40.61
Ulises Salinas	136	10.07	221	9.50
Alejandro "Alex" Perez, Jr.	668	49.48	1,161	49.89
DISTRICT VI				
Charlie San Miguel	2153	91.93	3,622	92.33
Jesse G. Herrera (write-in)			66	1.79
DISTRICT VIII				
Roberto Balli	572	42.50	987	41.19
Jose Luis Maldonado	187	13.89	302	12.60
Viginia "Viky" Garcia	275	20.43	478	19.95
Rachel Ibarra	312	23.18	629	26.25
DISTRICT VII – RECALL PROPOSITION				
For Removal	1256	81.77	2,167	82.27
Against Removal	280	18.23	457	17.73
PROPOSITION #1 – SPORTS COMPLEX				
For	8115	62.48	13,468	62.47
Against	4873	37.52	8,090	37.53
PROPOSITION #2 - NATATORIUM				
For	8354	63.46	13,757	63.29
Against	4811	36.54	7,979	36.71

V. EXECUTIVE SESSION

None.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn.

Moved: Cm. Garza
Second: Cm. Liendo
For: 7

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

I, Gustavo Guevara, Jr., City Secretary, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes contained in pages 01 to 04 and they are true, complete, and correct proceedings of the Special City Council meeting held on November 12 2014.

Gustavo Guevara, Jr.
City Secretary