

RESOLUTION NO. 3227-1114

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVONDALE, ARIZONA, DECLARING AND ADOPTING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 2014.

WHEREAS, the City of Avondale (the "City"), Arizona, held a general election on November 4, 2014 (the "Election"), for the election of one Council Member; and

WHEREAS, on September 25, 2014, Charles A. Vierhout, a candidate whose name was already printed on the ballots, submitted a statement of withdrawal as a candidate from the General Election; and

WHEREAS, the Election returns, which are depicted on Exhibit A attached hereto, have been presented to, and have been canvassed by, the Council of the City of Avondale.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVONDALE as follows:

SECTION 1. The recitals above are hereby incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2. The total number of registered voters was 32,826, the total number of ballots cast at the Election, as shown by the poll lists, was 10,336 and the total rate of return was 31.49%.

SECTION 3. The number of provisional ballots was 745 and 117 ballots were found to be ineligible.

SECTION 4. The votes cast for the candidates for Council Member were as follows:

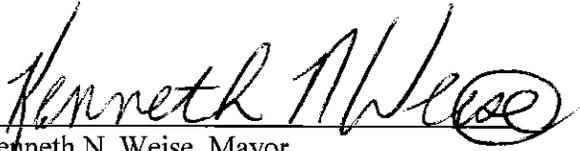
Sierra, Lorenzo	<u>4,318</u>
Vierhout, Charles A. (withdrawn)	<u>3,622</u>

SECTION 5. It is hereby found, determined and declared of record, that Lorenzo Sierra received the majority of valid votes cast at the General Election, and the City Clerk is directed to issue a certificate of election.

SECTION 6. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

SECTION 7. The Mayor, the City Manager, the City Clerk and the City Attorney are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Council of the City of Avondale, November 17, 2014.



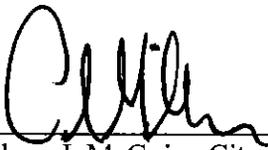
Kenneth N. Weise, Mayor

ATTEST:



Carmen Martinez, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Andrew J. McGuire, City Attorney

EXHIBIT A
TO
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[Election Returns]

(See following page.)

