



Common Council Report

Agenda Item: Discussion and Possible Action to Authorize the Appointment of Additional Election Officials for the January 2022 – December 2023 Election Cycle
Meeting Date: May 17, 2022
Presenter: Jenny Salvo, City Clerk
Department: City Hall

Conformance with Strategic Plan:

- Affordability & Financial Stability
- Safe, Inclusive, Welcoming Community
- Diverse Opportunities for Fun and Life-Long Learning
- High Performing Organization with Professional Staff
- Environment for Business Success with Thoughtful Growth and Development

Summary

Per State Statutes 6.875(4) and 7.30(4)(a), Election Officials are to be nominated by the Mayor and appointed by the Common Council by December 31st prior to the next election cycle. At the December 14, 2021 Common Council meeting, the Council appointed twenty-six community members as Election Officials for the January – December 2023 election term. In March, the Council appointed an additional 7 for a total of 33.

The following individuals have expressed interest after the initial appointment in participating as Election Officials.

- Annette Smith
- Kenneth Smith

Since availability is varied for the appointed individuals, staff is in support of having additional trained officials. City Staff may assist with election administration as needed.

Recommended Motion

Staff recommends the Common Council approve the additional Election Officials listed above for the election cycle of January 2022 – December 2023.