



## **Report to City Council**

**To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council**

**From: Susan M. Domen, MMC, City Clerk**

**Date: August 21, 2018**

**Subject: Cancellation of Election for District No. 1**

### **Recommendation**

adopt A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE ELSINORE, CALIFORNIA, APPOINTING BRIAN TISDALE AS THE ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE FOR DISTRICT No. 1 AND CANCELLING THE ELECTION FOR SAID DISTRICT ON THE NOVEMBER 6, 2018, GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

### **Background**

On June 26, 2018, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2018-087 calling for the Regular election for District Nos. 1 and 3. The Nomination Period for persons interested in being a candidate in either District closed at 4:00 p.m. on August 10, 2018. One person, Brian Tisdale, filed papers and qualified to be on the ballot for District No. 1.

### **Discussion**

Election Code Section 10229 allows for the City Council to take one of the following actions when there is only one or no nominated candidates:

- 1) Appoint to the office the person who has been nominated (prior to the 75<sup>th</sup> day before the election).
- 2) Appoint to the office an eligible elector if no one has been nominated.
- 3) Hold the election, if either no one or only one person has been nominated.

The person appointed, if any, shall qualify and take office and serve exactly as if elected at a municipal election for the office.

On August 15, 2018, the City Clerk published in the Press Enterprise, posted on the City's website and on the bulletin board outside of City Hall the attached Notice of Facts as required by Elections Code Section 10229. Such Notice must be published for 5 days prior to the City Council's consideration of the aforementioned options.

By approving the attached Resolution, the City Council election for District No. 1 will be cancelled and Brian Tisdale will be appointed to the office of City Council for District No. 1. Pursuant to Elections Code Section 10229 (b), if the City Council appoints the candidate by the 75<sup>th</sup> day before the election (August 23, 2018), no write-in candidacy statements will be accepted.

**Fiscal Impact**

The fiscal impact will be a realization of savings in the cost of the election, to be determined and billed by the County after the election has been finalized.

**Exhibit**

A - Resolution

B- Notice of Facts