



CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION GENERAL MUNICIPAL – JUNE 2, 2026

CITY CLERK

JULY 7, 2026

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BACKGROUND

- Resolution 24342 – City Council Wards 2, 4 and 6
- Resolution 24360 – Measure Z
- ROV completed Canvass, June 26, 2026
- Charter require City Council declare election results



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ELECTION RESULTS

FINAL CERTIFIED ELECTION RESULTS

VOTER TURNOUT

38.4%



Ballots Counted	550,840
Vote by Mail	505,927
Vote Center - In Person	41,893
CVR	3,020
Registered Voters	1,436,283

Riverside City Council Ward 2 (VOTE FOR 1)			
GRACIE TORRES	3,047	37.99%	<div style="width: 37.99%;"></div>
ARAM AYRA	2,865	35.72%	<div style="width: 35.72%;"></div>
MIKE VAHL	1,808	22.54%	<div style="width: 22.54%;"></div>
CHRISTEN MONTERO	300	3.74%	<div style="width: 3.74%;"></div>

Riverside City Council Ward 4 (VOTE FOR 1)			
CHUCK CONDER	5,966	45.63%	<div style="width: 45.63%;"></div>
RICH VANDENBERG	3,705	28.34%	<div style="width: 28.34%;"></div>
JESSICA QATTAWI	3,403	26.03%	<div style="width: 26.03%;"></div>

Riverside City Council Ward 6 (VOTE FOR 1)			
LUIS HERNANDEZ	2,657	50.29%	<div style="width: 50.29%;"></div>
OZ PUERTA	1,493	28.26%	<div style="width: 28.26%;"></div>
NORMA BERRELLEZ	1,133	21.45%	<div style="width: 21.45%;"></div>



ELECTION RESULTS (CONT'D)

Measures Submitted to the Voters

Measure Z - City of Riverside Services Renewal Measure (VOTE FOR 1)			
NO	34,929	58.65%	<div style="width: 58.65%;"></div>
YES	24,622	41.35%	<div style="width: 41.35%;"></div>



SPECIAL RUN-OFF ELECTION

- Next election – November 3, 2026
 - Consolidated with Statewide General Election
- Contest on the ballot:

WARD 2

Gracie Torres
Aram Ayra

WARD 4

Chuck Conder
Rich Vandenberg



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RECOMMENDATIONS

That the City Council:

1. Adopt a resolution declaring the election results for Wards 2, 4, and 6, and Ballot Measure Z;
2. Adopt a resolution calling for the Special (Runoff) Election for Wards 2 and 4;
3. Maintain the current policy setting the cost for Statement of Qualification (Candidate Statement); and
4. Direct the City Clerk to administer election duties set forth by applicable law.



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