

City Council of the City of New Castle
Special Meeting
Town Hall, 201 Delaware Street, New Castle
Monday, April 13, 2015 at 8:00 p.m.

Call to order: 8 p.m.

Roll Call:

Councilperson Megginson - absent
Councilperson Cochran - absent
Council President Ratchford
Councilperson Petty
Councilperson Vannucci - absent

Also present:

William Barthel, City Administrator
Donald Reese, Mayor
Janet Carlin, City Treasurer
Marianne Caven, Chairperson, City Board of Elections

President Ratchford welcomed Board of Elections Chairperson Marianne Caven to present the Canvass of the Vote from the City Election held on Saturday, April 11, 2015.

Board of Elections Chairperson, Marianne Caven reviewed the voting results for each candidate by machine and write-in. The vote totals were as follows:

Mayor:

Somasunderam Padmalingam, MD	293
Donald A. Reese	589
Carol Hickman	51

City Council President:

Theodore Megginson	439
Linda Ratchford	518

City Council:

William G. Blest	234
Daniel Bungy	171
John W. Cochran	238
John A. DiMondi	244
William R. Emory	58
William A. Robinett	86
Albert J. Vannucci, Jr	505
Valarie Windle	209

The President asked for any comments from Chairperson Caven on the Election Day proceedings. She reported that Drew Brooks of the State Board of Elections that is in charge of the machines was present all day. There were some problems with the write-in process and one machine had a mechanical glitch, but voting machines were available and working properly at all times.

President Ratchford thanked Chairperson Caven for her work conducting the election.

The report tallying the votes from the Board of Elections was signed by the President of City Council and the Clerk of the City making the results official.

The motion to adjourn was made by Councilperson Petty, seconded by Council President Ratchford and passed unanimously. Council adjourned at 8:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet Wurtzel
Clerk of the City of New Castle