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CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING
OCTOBER 7, 1993

CALL TO ORDER Mayor Feaster called the October 7, 1993, Special Meeting of the City Council to order at 7:30 pm.

ROLL CALL Present: Feaster, Jones, Metcalfe, Trantham, Vanasse,
Absent: Warner, Wintersteen

APPROVAL/AGENDA M/M by Vanasse, 2nd by Jones to approve the agenda as presented. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

ELECTION CERTIFICATION CANVASS AND CERTIFICATION OF THE OCTOBER 5, 1993, MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The City Clerk reported that 22 absentee ballots (all valid registered voters) had been received and, out of a total of 43 questioned ballots received, 30 were valid voters. The questioned ballots were verified by Region IV of the Division of Elections.

motion M/M by Metcalfe, 2nd by Trantham to disqualify the 13 questioned ballots in accordance with the State Election law, as the voters were determined to be ineligible to vote in the current election. Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Feaster advised Council that the State Election Office would notify those voters who had been disqualified.

Councilmen Vanasse, Trantham, Metcalfe and Jones tallied the ballots as the City Clerk read the ballots and the City Manager observed the reading of the ballots.

motion M/M by Metcalfe, 2nd by Vanasse to accept and certify the election results of the October 5, 1993, municipal election as follows:

Proposition #1: Should Ordinance #93-23 imposing a use tax of 5% on all alcoholic beverages brought or sent into the City of Bethel become law:

Yes = 315
No = 450

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City Council:

Donna J. Chris	=	691
Tad Miller	=	496
Donald E. Tubbs	=	496
Allan Wintersteen	=	582

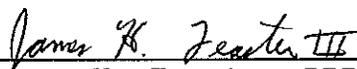
Voice Vote. Motion carried unanimously.

A copy of a ballot statement detailing the results of the October 5, 1993, election is attached as part of these official minutes. In addition, a breakdown of the total number of votes cast in the election follows:

Precinct #1	167
Precinct #2	373
Precinct #3	220
Absentee	<u>22</u>
Sub-total	782
Less invalid questioned ballots	<u>(13)</u>
Total	769

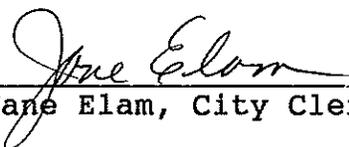
motion M/M by Trantham, 2nd by Jones to adjourn.
Voice vote. Motion carried unanimously.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 12th DAY OF October, 1993.



James H. Feaster III, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jane Elam, City Clerk

**RESULTS OF OCTOBER 5, 1993
CITY OF BETHEL
GENERAL ELECTION**

	COUNCIL CANDIDATES	Precinct #1	Precinct #2	Precinct #3	Absentee/Question	Total
	CHRIS, Donna J.	136	321	193	19 / 22	691
	HASTIE, John L. II	38	74	48	3 / 7	170
	MILLER, Tad	95	235	134	18 / 14	496
	TUBBS, Donald E.	98	230	137	17 / 14	496
	WINTERSTEEN, Allan	108	277	166	16 / 15	582
	Write-in	24	45	19	1 / 6	95
	TOTALS	499	1,182	697	74 / 78	2,530 (Total)
		Total Divided by 4 (seats)				632.5
		Multiplied by 40%				253
	PROPOSITION #1 Should Ordinance #93-23 Imposing a Use Tax of 5% on all Alcoholic Beverages Brought or Sent into the City of Bethel Become Law?					
	Yes	63	146	88	10 / 8	315
	No	97	198	122	12 / 21	450
	TOTAL VOTERS	167	373	220	22 / 43	782
				Less 13 questioned ballots disqualified		-13
						769