

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ (CM)**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATSONVILLE CONFIRMING AND APPROVING THE CANVASS OF RETURNS AND RESULT OF GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2022, EXTENDING THE URBAN LIMIT LINE (ULL) UNTIL 2040, BUT ALLOWING THE CITY COUNCIL TO MOVE THE ULL TO INCLUDE PROPERTIES IDENTIFIED DURING THE GENERAL PLAN UPDATE, SUBJECT TO COMMUNITY INPUT AND ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW (MEASURE S)**

**WHEREAS**, the Council of the City of Watsonville, by Resolution No. 143-22 (CM), called a General Municipal Election to be held in the City on November 8, 2022, as required by law, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City a measure; and

**WHEREAS**, the General Municipal Election was held on November 8, 2022, in accordance with law, and the votes received and canvassed and the returns thereof ascertained, determined, and declared in all respects as required by law; and

**WHEREAS**, Measure S was placed on the ballot as a counter measure to Measure Q. Both measures passed, but Measure Q received more votes. Therefore, Measure Q, and not Measure S will take effect.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That the City Clerk of the City of Watsonville be and is hereby instructed to enter this Resolution on the minutes of this Council as a statement of the results of the General Municipal Election.

2. That the whole number of votes cast in the City at the General Election was **8,982** votes.

3. That at the General Municipal Election the following measure was submitted to the electors of the City and the number of votes given in the City for and against the measure (including absentee votes) were as follows:

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Measure No. **S**:

Shall the City of Watsonville maintain the restrictions on growth approved by the voters in 2002 until 2040, with the exception of any property identified by the City Council during the General Plan update, subject to community input, as being well suited for development that would create local jobs, parks, and safe spaces for kids to play, or housing for working families, seniors, and residents with disabilities?

Yes 4,286

No 4,275

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4. That the total number of votes cast in each precinct in favor of and against the measure is set forth in the County Clerk's Certification of the Votes Cast, marked Exhibit "A" and attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

5. That all absent voter ballots have been duly received and canvassed in the time, form and manner as required by law.

6. That a majority of all of the votes cast at the General Municipal Election on Measure S, were in favor of said measure, and the measure passed.

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