

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

KELLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

2A. Action

Date: May 15, 2019

SUBJECT: <u>APPROVE CANVASSING RETURNS AND DECLARE THE RESULTS</u> OF MAY 4, 2019 KELLER ISD BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTION

FISCAL NOTE: None

Background Information:

- On May 4, 2019, Keller ISD participated in a joint, county-wide general election for the purpose of electing Board members for three-year terms in Places 1, 2 and 3.
- The candidates on the ballots for Places 1, 2 and 3 were:

Place	Candidates
1	Craig Allen (unopposed)
2	Pilar Fraser, Karina Davis
3	Kris Kittle, Cindy Lotton, Jon Rodriguez

- Keller ISD Board members are elected at-large by place. Board Policy BBB(Local) states that the Method of Voting for Board members is by Plurality and "to be elected, a candidate must receive more votes than any other candidate for the place."
- Craig Allen received a plurality of the votes cast for Place 1, Karina Davis received a plurality of votes cast for Place 2 and Cindy Lotton received a plurality of the votes cast for Place 3.
- Sufficient time has elapsed since the election for canvass and Tarrant County Elections has certified the election results. The deadline for canvassing the May 4, 2019 Keller ISD Board of Trustees Election is May 15, 2019.

Administrative Considerations:

• At the time of the Canvass Meeting, the election returns will be presented for review and acceptance along with the Canvassing Order for the May 4, 2019 Board of Trustees Election.

The Superintendent recommends that the Board of Trustees accept the results of the May 4, 2019, election as certified by the Tarrant County Elections Department and approve the Order Canvassing Returns and Declaring the Results of a Trustee Election Held in Keller Independent School District on May 4, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

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