

**Proceedings of the City Council, City of Cape Girardeau, Mo.  
Special Session                      April 10, 2023                      LL-275**

**SPECIAL SESSION – April 10, 2023**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The Cape Girardeau City Council convened in special session on Monday, April 10, 2023, at 12:00 p.m. via internet videoconference pursuant to RSMo. Sections 610.010 and 610.015, with Mayor Stacy Kinder presiding and Council Members Mark Bliss, Robbie Guard, Dan Presson, Tameka Randle, Nate Thomas and Shannon Truxel present. The votes taken shall be regarded as if all members were physically present and in attendance at the meeting.

**ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

A Motion was made by Shannon Truxel, Seconded by Robbie Guard,, to adopt the Agenda. Motion passed. 7-0. Ayes: Bliss, Guard, Kinder, Presson, Randle, Thomas, Truxel.

**CANVASS THE RETURNS AND DECLARE THE RESULTS OF THE APRIL 4, 2023, MUNICIPAL ELECTION**

Mayor Kinder stated that the April 4, 2023, election results had been received from County Clerk Kara Clark Summers. Pursuant to Section 7.09(a) of the City Charter, the City Council canvassed the returns and declared the results of the April 4, 202, Municipal Election as follows:

**CAPE GIRARDEAU CITY QUESTION**

(3% sales tax on all tangible personal property retail sales of |adult use marijuana sold in the City of Cape Girardeau)

YES – 2,427

NO – 876

A Motion was made by Robbie Guard, Seconded by Nate Thomas, to approve. Motion passed. 7-0. Ayes: Bliss, Guard, Kinder, Presson, Randle, Thomas, Truxel.

**MEETING ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the special session ended at 2:02 p.m.

A Motion was made by Robbie Guard, Seconded by Dan Presson, to adjourn from special session and to convene in closed session for legal actions and confidential communications with legal counsel, pursuant to RSMo. Section 610.021(1).

Motion passed. 7-0. Ayes: Bliss, Guard, Kinder, Presson, Randle, Thomas, Truxel.

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Bruce Taylor, Deputy City Clerk



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Stacy Kinder, Mayor