

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SHOW LOW CITY COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2026, AT 5:00 PM IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 181 NORTH 9TH STREET, SHOW LOW, NAVAJO COUNTY, ARIZONA

1. Call to Order.

Mayor Leech called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Leech, Vice Mayor Kakavas, Councilman Adams, Councilman Clark, Councilman Hatch, Councilman Judd, and Councilman Whipple

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT: None.

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Anna Atencio, City Attorney; Justin Johnson, Deputy City Manager; and Rachael Hall, City Clerk.

GUESTS: Doug Roberts.

3. New Business

A. Consideration of Resolution No. R2026-21 Declaring and Adopting the Results of the Primary Election Held on July 21, 2026 (Rachael Hall)

Ms. Hall said Resolution No. R2026-21 outlined the unofficial results of the City of Show Low's Primary Election held on July 21, 2026. The ballot included three Council seats.

Ms. Hall said to win in the Primary Election, a candidate must receive a majority of the valid votes cast for the office of Mayor or City Council. Based on complete unofficial results, the number of votes required to be declared elected was 945 for the City Council. There were four candidates for the three Council seats (incumbents Brandt Clark, Gentry Hatch, and Derik Whipple and newcomer Doug Roberts).

Ms. Hall said results showed that for the Council seats, candidate Brandt Clark received 1,450 votes; Gentry Hatch received 1,226 votes; Derik Whipple received 1,607 votes; and Doug Roberts received 1,363 votes. Derik Whipple, Brandt Clark, and Doug Roberts each received the highest and more than the required votes needed and would be declared elected to the City Council.

Ms. Hall said adopting Resolution No. R2026-21 would declare the election results to be the official canvass, with Derik Whipple, Brandt Clark, and Doug Roberts, filling the three Council seats, respectively. The three Council members would be sworn in at the December 1, 2026, Council meeting.

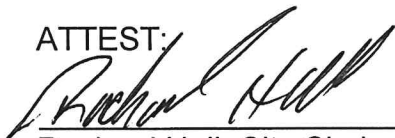
COUNCILMAN JUDD MOVED TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. R2026-21 DECLARING AND ADOPTING THE RESULTS OF THE PRIMARY ELECTION HELD ON JULY 21, 2026; SECONDED BY MAYOR LEECH; PASSED 7 TO 0 WITH MAYOR LEECH, VICE MAYOR KAKAVAS,

**COUNCILMAN ADAMS, COUNCILMAN CLARK, COUNCILMAN HATCH,
COUNCILMAN JUDD, AND COUNCILMAN WHIPPLE VOTING IN FAVOR.**

4. Adjournment

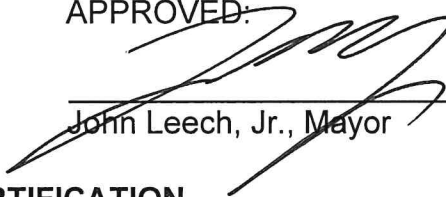
There being no further business to be brought before the Council, **MAYOR LEECH
ADJOURNED THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SHOW LOW CITY COUNCIL
OF AUGUST 4, 2026, AT 5:04 P.M.**

ATTEST:



Rachael Hall, City Clerk

APPROVED:



John Leech, Jr., Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Special Meeting of the City Council of Show Low held on August 4, 2026. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

Dated this
(SEAL)

11 day of August, 2026.



Rachael Hall, City Clerk