RESOLUTIOIN NO. 00-131

A RESOLUTION OF THE RIDGECREST CITY COUNCIL RECITING THE FACT OF THE CONSOLIDATED GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 7, 2000, DECLARING THE RESULT AND SUCH OTHER MATTERS AS PROVIDED BY LAW

WHEREAS, a Consolidated General Municipal Election was held and conducted in the City of Ridgecrest, California on Tuesday, November 7, 2000 as required by law; and

WHEREAS, notice of the election was given in time, form and manner as provided by law, that voting precincts were properly established; that election officers were appointed and that in all respects the election was held and conducted and the votes were cast, received and canvassed and the returns made and declared in time, form and manner as required by the provisions of the Elections Code of the State of California for the holding of elections in general law cities; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 00-59, adopted June 21, 2000, the County Election Department canvassed the returns of the election and has certified the results to this City Council, the results are received, attached and made a part hereof as "Exhibit A".

NOW, THEREFORE, THE RIDGECREST CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the whole number of ballots cast in the City except absent voter ballots was 7925.

That the whole number of absent voter ballots cast in the City was 1863 making a total of 9788 ballots cast in the City.

Section 2. That the names of the persons voted for at the election of Members of the City Council full term are as follows:

1. Carter, Ron
2. Laire, Howard
3. Morgan, Steven P.
4. Pope, Carter
5. Rollins, Steven M.
6. Slaughter, John

Section 4. That the number of votes given at each precinct and the number of votes given in the City to each of the persons above named for the respective offices for which the persons were candidates were as listed in "Exhibit A" attached.

Section 5. The City Council does declare and determine that Ron Carter was elected as Member of the City Council for the full term of four years, that Steven P. Morgan was elected as Member of the City Council for the full term of four years, and that Steven M. Rollins was elected as Member of the City Council for the full term of four years.

Section 6. The City Clerk shall enter on the records of the City Council of the City, a statement of the result of the election showing: (1) The whole number of ballots cast in the City; (2) the names of the persons voted for; (3) for what office each person was voted for; (4) the number of votes given at each precinct to each person; and (5) the total number of votes given to each person.

Section 7. The City Clerk shall immediately make and deliver to each of the persons so elected a Certificate of Election signed by the City Clerk and authenticated that the City Clerk shall also administer to each person elected the Oath of Office prescribed in the Constitution of the State of California and shall have them subscribe to it and file it in the office of the City Clerk. Each and all of the persons so elected shall then be inducted into the respective office to which they have been elected.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 6th day of December, 2000, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Darnell, Council Members Carter, Holloway, Morgan, and Rollins

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

Donna Darnell

Donna Darnell, Mayor

ATTEST:

Rita Gable

Rita Gable
Deputy City Clerk