

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-04

RESOLUTION REQUESTING INCLUSION OF PAYSON CITY IN THE MUNICIPAL ALTERNATE VOTING METHODS PILOT PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the State of Utah by its State Legislature has made available a pilot project for participation in the alternate voting methods for municipal elections beginning January 1, 2019 and ending on January 1, 2026, and

WHEREAS, Utah Code 20A-4-602, Municipal Alternate Voting Methods Pilot Project, allows municipalities to conduct nonpartisan races using ranked choice voting in accordance with the requirements of 20A-4 of the Utah Code and all other applicable provisions of law, during any odd-numbered year that the pilot project is in effect, and

WHEREAS, The Town of Genola Utah, on or before May 4, 2021, must provide written notice to the Lieutenant Governor stating that the Town intends to participate in the pilot project for the year specified in the notice, and that includes a document, signed by the election officer of the municipality, stating that the municipality has the resources and capability necessary to participate in the pilot project, and

WHEREAS, The Town of Genola intends to contract with Utah County to conduct the municipal elections and does have the resources and capability necessary to participate in the pilot project, and

WHEREAS, the Town of Genola Council finds that it would be in the best interest of Genola and of its citizens to hold its 2021 municipal election by ranked choice voting,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF GENOLA CITY COUNCIL that The Town of Genola City Council adopts ranked choice voting for the 2021 municipal election, and that by this resolution, gives notice to the Lieutenant Governor to enter the pilot project by use of ranked choice voting for its 2021 municipal elections, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, City Attorney, and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary to cause the 2021 Town of Genola Municipal Election to be held in accordance with the ranked choice voting process.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage by the Town of Genola City Council adopted in a public meeting.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town of Genola City Council, State of Utah on this 14th day of April, 2021 by the following vote:

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Martin Larson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Neil Brown	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hale Robison	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

John Savage

✓

Lori Christensen

✓

Martin Larson
By: Martin Larson
Its: Mayor



ATTEST:

Lucinda Thomas
By: Lucinda Thomas
Its: City Clerk/Recorder