

Tuesday, Sept. 12, 2023

Mayor's Newton Update

A preliminary election was held in Newton for two Ward City Council seats to reduce the field of candidates from three to two.

The Unofficial Election Results for Ward City Council seats representing Ward 2 and Ward 6 in today's Preliminary Election to reduce the field of candidates to two are listed below:



Ward Councilor, Ward 2

√ David Micley: 678

Peter Bruce: 546

√ Dan Gaynor: 803

Ward Councilor, Ward 6

√ Martha Bixby: 882

Mark Holt: 124

√ Lisa Gordon: 584

Find Preliminary Election results by precinct [here](#).

David Micley and Dan Gaynor in Ward 2 and **Martha Bixby and Lisa Gordon** in Ward 6 will be moving on to the Municipal Election on Tuesday, Nov. 7.

On Tuesday, Nov. 7 the election will be completed for all 24 members of the City Council (one from each ward and two at-large elected citywide from each ward) and eight members of the School Committee (one from each ward).

Today's unofficial results include all mail-in ballots, early voting ballots and all votes cast today. Newton Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee (UOCAVA) ballots and provisional ballots will be counted by hand and added to the official

tally. The official tally will be certified by the Election Commission on Tuesday. (Click [here](#) for information on provisional ballots.)

As of tonight, 27% or 2,034 of the 7,496 registered voters in Ward 2 cast ballots, and 20% or 1,598 of the 7,976 registered voters in Ward 6 cast ballots.

I am grateful to City Clerk Carol Moore, Election Supervisor John Doyle and the entire election staff, poll workers and volunteers, the IT Department and Police who do important work today and over the course of several weeks to make sure our elections run smoothly.

They are getting ready to do it all again.

Mail-in ballots for the Nov. 7 Municipal Election will go out in the coming weeks and early voting will be at City Hall on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 29 and 30 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., on Monday, Oct. 30 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and on Tuesday, Oct. 31 and Wednesday, Nov. 1 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Find more election information [here](#).

Warmly,

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