



BELLE PLAINE CITY COUNCIL
NOTICE OF MEETING AND AGENDA
CITY HALL, 218 NORTH MERIDIAN STREET, BELLE PLAINE, MINNESOTA

2026 CANVAS OF PRIMARY ELECTION

MONDAY, AUGUST 17, 2026

6:00 PM

1. Pledge of Allegiance.
2. Call to Order. 2.1. Roll Call.
3. Approval of Agenda.
4. Business.
 - 4.1. Resolution 26-095 Certifying Results of Primary Election of August 11, 2026.
5. Adjourn.



MEMORANDUM

DATE:	August 17, 2026
FROM:	Amy Jirik, Finance Director
AGENDA ITEM:	Resolution 26-095 Approving Summary of Ballots for Primary Election for the City of Belle Plaine.
BACKGROUND/ JUSTIFICATION:	On August 11, 2026 the City of Belle Plaine held the Primary Election. Per Minnesota State Statute 205.185, Subd.3, the City of Belle Plaine is required to declare the results of the election.
FISCAL IMPACT:	None
STAFF RECOMMENDATION:	Approve Resolution 26-095 Approving Summary of Ballots for Primary Election for the City of Belle Plaine.

Abstract of Votes Cast
In the Precincts of the City of Belle Plaine
State of Minnesota
at the State Primary
Held Tuesday, August 11, 2026

as compiled from the official returns.

Summary of Totals
City of Belle Plaine
Tuesday, August 11, 2026 State Primary

Number of persons registered as of 7 a.m.	5108
Number of persons registered on Election Day	36
Number of accepted regular, military, and overseas absentee ballots and mail ballots	298
Number of federal office only absentee ballots	0
Number of presidential absentee ballots	0
Total number of persons voting	1250

Summary of Totals
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KEY TO PARTY ABBREVIATIONS

NP - Nonpartisan

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Council Member (Belle Plaine) (Elect 2)

NP
Shane Theas
522

NP
Dell Williams
214

NP
Brent Shaughnessy
414

NP
Sarah Duklet
513

NP
Nelson Ladd
389

Detail of Election Results
City of Belle Plaine
Tuesday, August 11, 2026 State Primary

Precinct	Persons Registered as of 7 A.M.	Persons Registered on Election Day	Total Number of Persons Voting
70 0005 : BELLE PLAINE	5108	36	1250
City of Belle Plaine Total:	5108	36	1250

Detail of Election Results
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Office Title: Council Member (Belle Plaine) (Elect 2)

Precinct	NP Shane Theas	NP Dell Williams	NP Brent Shaughnessy	NP Sarah Duklet	NP Nelson Ladd
70 0005 : BELLE PLAINE	522	214	414	513	389
Total:	522	214	414	513	389

We certify that we have herein specified the names of the candidates receiving votes and the number of votes received by each candidate, and have specified the number of votes for and against any question voted on, at the State Primary held on Tuesday, August 11, 2026.

As appears by the returns of the election precincts voting in this election, duly returned to, filed, opened, and canvassed, and now remaining on file in the office of the City of Belle Plaine Clerk. Witness our official signature at _____ in _____ County this _____ day of _____ 2026.

Member of canvassing board

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State of Minnesota
City of Belle Plaine

I, _____, Clerk of the City of Belle Plaine do hereby certify the within and foregoing _____ pages to be a full and correct copy of the original abstract and return of the votes cast in the City of Belle Plaine State Primary held on Tuesday, August 11, 2026.

Witness my hand and official seal of office this _____ day of _____, 2026.

**BELLE PLAINE CITY COUNCIL
RESOLUTION 26-095**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING SUMMARY OF TOTALS FOR
PRIMARY ELECTION FOR THE CITY OF BELLE PLAINE**

WHEREAS, the City Primary Election was held August 11, 2026;

WHEREAS, the attached abstract of the August 11, 2026 election provides the results;

WHEREAS, Scott County has indicated there were 5,108 persons registered to vote as of 7:00 a.m. August 11, 2026 for the City of Belle Plaine;

WHEREAS, a total of 36 persons registered to vote in the City of Belle Plaine on August 11, 2026;

WHEREAS, the total number of persons voting in the local election was 1,250.

WHEREAS, the number of absentee ballots was 298.

WHEREAS, the attached abstract of August 11, 2026 election provides the results.

WHEREAS, Minnesota State Statute 205.185, Subd. 3. requires municipalities to declare results of the election.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLE PLAINE, MINNESOTA, that the abstract summary of votes cast in the precinct of the City of Belle Plaine at the Primary Election on August 11, 2026 is hereby approved and certified.

The adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly moved by Councilmember _____ and seconded by Councilmember _____, and after full discussion thereof and upon a vote being taken thereon, the following Councilmembers voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted. Dated this 17th day of August, 2026.

ATTEST:

James Evans
Mayor

Dawn Meyer
City Administrator