



Request for City Council Committee Action From the City Clerk

Date: November 4, 2011

To: City Council

Subject: Appointment of Election Judges and Absentee Ballot Board-SD59

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Approved By: Casey J. Carl, City Clerk, 673-3765

Recommendation: **1)** Authorize the attached list of election judges for the 25 precincts for the Special Senate District 59 elections on December 6, 2011 and January 10, 2012, and authorize the use of substitutions from the eligible list of election judges as necessary.
2) Authorize the use of an Absentee Ballot Board and approve the attached list of election judges serving on the Absentee Ballot Board, and authorize the use of substitutions from the eligible list of election judges as necessary.

Financial Impact

No financial impact

Background/Supporting Information

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 204B.21 Subd. 2 and City Charter Chapter 2, Section 6, the Elections Office requests approval of the attached list of election judges for the 25 precincts for the special Senate District 59 election on December 6, 2011 and January 10, 2012.

In addition, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 203B.13, the Elections Office requests authorization to establish an Absentee Ballot Board and approval of the attached list of election judges serving as an Absentee Ballot Board. Duties of the absentee ballot board shall include receipt and examination of absentee ballot return envelopes. Absentee Ballot Board shall mark the absentee ballot return envelope accepted or rejected in the manner provided by law.