

*Special Consolidation  
Measure*

# Official Canvass

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## DALLAS

of Votes Cast at the

*Special*

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CITY ELECTION

May 6 1986

County, Iowa

Section 50.24, Code

**SAMPLE BALLOT**  
**PUBLIC MEASURE**  
**SPECIAL ELECTION**  
**CITY OF DALLAS, IOWA**  
**MAY 6, 1986**

(Notice to Voters: For an affirmative vote upon any question submitted upon this ballot make a cross (X) mark or check ( ) mark in the square after the word "YES." For a negative vote make a similar mark in the square following the word "NO.")

SHALL THE FOLLOWING PUBLIC  
 MEASURE BE ADOPTED?

<b>YES</b>	
<b>NO</b>	

**Public Measure A**

(Summary: To consolidate the City of Dallas and the City of Melcher into one city as proposed in the City of Dallas' and the City of Melcher's petition approved by the City Development Committee, State of Iowa on March 12, 1986. The new city will encompass the territories now included within the boundaries of the Cities of Dallas and Melcher and will be named the City of Melcher-Dallas.

Shall the City of Dallas and the City of Melcher be consolidated to establish the City of Melcher-Dallas which will encompass the following described real property:

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

**Corporate Limits of Melcher, Iowa**

Commencing at the SE corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence West to the East right-of-way line of East Second Street; thence South along the East right-of-way line of East 2nd Street to a point on the South right-of-way line of an East-West alley South of Block 2 of J.F. Bucklew Addition; thence East 694 feet; thence SW 229 feet; thence West 547 feet; thence North 170 feet; thence West along the South line of J.F. Bucklew Addition and Blazevidh Addition to a point on the West right-of-way line of South Main Street; thence South to the SE corner of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 14, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence West to the SW corner of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 14, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence North 669.75 feet to the North right-of-way line of an abandoned railroad right-of-way; thence South and Easterly along the North line of said railroad right-of-way to a point on the West line of Southview's Second Addition; thence North along the West line of said Southview Second Addition to the South line of South "D" Street; thence West to a point on the West line of the North-South alley of Block 47, Original Plat extended Southerly; thence North along the West right-of-way line of said alley to a point 462 feet East of the NW corner of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence North 462 feet; thence East to a point 462 feet North of the SE corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence North to the NE corner of said SE ¼ - NW ¼, Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence East along the North line of said Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West to a point on the East right-of-way line of the North-South alley East of Blocks 1, 2, and 3 of the Original Plat; thence South along the East line of said North-South alley to the North line of North "B" Street; thence East to a point on the East line of East 5th Street; thence South along the East line of East 5th Street to a point on the South line of South "A" Street; thence West to the West line of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence South to the SE corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West. Said point being the point of beginning.

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

**Corporate Limits of Dallas, Iowa**

Commencing at the SE corner of the NE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West of the 5th P. M.; thence North approximately ½ mile to the NE corner of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 2, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence West ¼ of a mile to the NW corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 2, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence South ¼ mile to the SW corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 2, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence West 297 feet; thence South 1130.25 feet; thence West 173.58 feet; thence South to a point 470.58 feet West of the SE corner of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence East 470.58 feet to the SE corner of said SW ¼ - NW ¼, Section 11; thence continuing East 462 feet; thence North 462 feet; thence East to a point 462 feet North of the SE corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence North to the NE corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West; thence East ½ mile to the SE corner of the NE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 11, Township 74 North, Range 21 West. Said Point being the point of beginning.

*Ralph H. Cook*

**Marion County Commissioner of Elections**

**SAMPLE BALLOT**

**PUBLIC MEASURE  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
MAY 6, 1986**

**CITY OF DALLAS, IOWA**

**Precinct No. 1**

**Polling Place Dallas City Hall**

\_\_\_\_\_ Election Official

*Ralph Mc Cook*

County Commissioner of Elections

(Sections 50.24, 277.20 and 280A.15, Code of Iowa)

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED THAT, on the 08 day of May, A. D., 1986, the undersigned Richard Dunkin, Harold De Zwarte, Frank Peak Marion County Board of Supervisors

met as a Board of Canvassers, as provided by law, in the County Courthouse in Marion County, Iowa, and canvassed the election returns from all the voting precincts in said County, for votes cast at the election held therein on the 06 day of May, A. D., 1986

for each office on the ballot and the number of votes for and against each question submitted by said City the result of said canvass being as follows:

FOR THE OFFICE OF (Number) to be elected)

There were (Number) ballots cast, of which had votes had votes had votes had votes had votes had votes had votes had votes had votes

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FOR THE OFFICE OF \_\_\_\_\_ (Number) to be elected)

There were \_\_\_\_\_ ballots cast, of which  
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Shall the City of Dallas and the City of Melcher be consolidated to establish the City of Melcher-Dallas which will encompass the following described real property:

FOR THE SPECIAL PROPOSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

There were One Hundred Fifty Four (154) ballots cast, of which  
One Hundred One (101) votes were for the proposition, and  
Fifty Three (53) votes were against the proposition.

FOR THE SPECIAL PROPOSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

There were \_\_\_\_\_ ballots cast, of which  
\_\_\_\_\_ votes were for the proposition, and  
\_\_\_\_\_ votes were against the proposition.

FOR THE SPECIAL PROPOSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

There were \_\_\_\_\_ ballots cast, of which  
\_\_\_\_\_ votes were for the proposition, and  
\_\_\_\_\_ votes were against the proposition.

FOR THE SPECIAL PROPOSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

There were \_\_\_\_\_ ballots cast, of which  
\_\_\_\_\_ votes were for the proposition, and  
\_\_\_\_\_ votes were against the proposition.

WITNESS our signatures, this 08 day of May, A. D., 19 86

(SIGNATURES) (OFFICIAL TITLES)  
Richard Dumbin supervisor Chairman  
Harold D. Zwart supervisor  
Ralph De Cook supervisor  
County Auditor Convassers

City of Dallas Iowa

**ABSTRACT OF VOTES**

For \_\_\_\_\_ Offices  
and Public Measure Questions  
of City of Dallas, Iowa  
COUNTY/SCHOOL/CITY  
cast in the several voting precincts there-  
of at the Special  
Election held therein May 6  
A. D., 1986

Filed in my office on this 08 day  
of May, A. D., 1986

Ralph De Cook  
County Commissioner of Elections

SECTION 50.24. CANVASS BY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. The county board of supervisors shall meet to canvass the vote at nine o'clock on the morning of the first Monday after the day of each election to which this chapter is applicable, unless the law authorizing the election specifies another date for the canvass. If that Monday is a public holiday, the provisions of section four point one (4.1), subsection twenty-two (22) of the Code shall control. Upon convening, the board shall open and canvass the tally lists and shall prepare abstracts stating, in words written at length, the number of votes cast in the county, or in that portion of the county in which the election was held, for each office or on each question on the ballot for the election. The abstract shall further indicate the name of each person who received votes for each office on the ballot, and the number of votes each person named received for that office, and the number of votes for and against each question submitted to the voters at the election.

The County Board of Supervisors shall canvass the returns for School Districts on the next Friday after the School Election. (See Section 277.20.)

The County Board of Supervisors shall canvass the vote for Area Vocational Schools or Area Community Colleges on the last Monday in September. (See Section 280A.15.)

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and caused this to be attested to and sealed by the  
County Auditor of said County this 08 day of July 1986

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( L. S. )

Richard Dunbar  
A. Pear  
Harold R. Zuerch

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF  
SUPERVISORS AND EX-OFFICIO  
BOARD OF CO. CANVASSERS.

ATTEST:

Joseph De Cook

, Clerk, Board of Supervisors.



FOR TREASURER

(Draw Down Rule to Separate Offices)

FOR RIVERFRONT  
COMMISSIONER AND/OR  
PARK COMMISSIONER

PUBLIC MEASURE

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YES NO YES NO YES NO

100 53

1 ABSENT

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Total

101