# City Council Item

May 18, 2026

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| **Item** | Public Accuracy Test Guidelines | |
| **File No.** | | **Item No:** D.11 |
| **Agenda Section** | **CONSENT AGENDA** | |
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| **SUGGESTED ACTION**<br><br>"The Chanhassen City Council approves the Public Accuracy Test Guidelines." | |
| **Motion Type** | Simple Majority Vote of members present |
| **Strategic Priority** | Operational Excellence |

## SUMMARY

The Public Accuracy Test, or PAT, is a test of vote-counting equipment by election officials to be used in the City of Chanhassen. A public accuracy test is conducted for both the primary and general elections. The PAT will be held in the new City Hall Training Room in early August and mid-October with the final dates yet to be determined. The public is welcome to attend as observers to the process. Attached are the guidelines that the city will have in place for the PAT.

## BACKGROUND

## DISCUSSION

## BUDGET

## RECOMMENDATION

## ATTACHMENTS

PAT Guidelines