ORDINANCE NO. 2023-03-01

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF QUINLAN, TEXAS, DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN THE MAY 6, 2023 GENERAL ELECTION, DECLARE UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES ELECTED TO OFFICE; CANCELING THE ELECTION; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Quinlan, Texas ("City") General and Special Election was called for May 6, 2023, for the purpose of electing members to the City Council of the City of Quinlan, Texas ("City Council"); and

WHEREAS, the City Secretary has certified in writing that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

WHEREAS, under these circumstances, Chapter 2, Subchapter C of the Election Code, authorizes the City Council to declare the candidates elected to office and cancel the election.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF QUINLAN, TEXAS:

Section 1. That, the following candidates, who are unopposed in the May 6, 2023 City General Election, are declared elected to office, and shall be issued certificates of election following the time the election would have been canvassed:

Jacky Goleman, Council Member, Mayor Bill Slaughter, Council Member, Place 2 Michelle Mayberry, Council Member, Place 4

Section 2. That, the May 6, 2023 General Election is cancelled, and the City Secretary is directed to cause a copy of this ordinance to be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

Section 3. That, it is declared to be the intent of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section of this ordinance is declared invalid by the jurisdiction, the invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, or section of this ordinance since the City Council would have enacted them without the invalid portion.

Section 4. That, this Ordinance shall be effective from the date of its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED in a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quinlan, Texas, held on the 13th day of March, 2023.

Jacky Joleman, Mayor

ATTEST:

Laura Kennemer, City Secretary

CITY OF QUINLAN CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES CERTIFICACIÓN DE CANDIDATOS ÚNICOS

To: Presiding Officer of Governing Body *Al: Presidente de la entidad gobernante*

As the authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared, I, hereby certify that the following candidates are unopposed for election to office for the election scheduled to be held on May 6, 2023.

Como autoridad a cargo de la preparación de la boleta de votación oficial, por la presente certifico que los siguientes candidatos son candidatos únicos para elección para un cargo en la elección que se llevará a cabo el 6 de Mayo de 2023.

List offices and names of candidates:

Lista de cargos y nombres de los candidatos:

Council Member Miembro de concilio

Mayor Alcalde

Place 2 Lugar 2

Office(s) Cargo(s)

Place 4 Lugar 4

Candidate(s) Candidato(s)

Jacky Goleman Bill Slaughter

Michelle Mayberry

Signature (Firma)

Laura Kennemer

Printed name (Nombre en letra de molde)

City Secretary (Secretario de la Ciudad)

Title (Puesto)

Signed this the 22nd day of February, 2023 Este el día 22 de febrero, 2023