

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING AN UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR DISTRICT 5 UNEXPIRED TERM IN THE CITY OF CASTROVILLE'S MAY 3, 2025, SPECIAL CALLED CITY ELECTION BE ELECTED TO OFFICE; PROVIDING FOR CANCELLATION OF THE ELECTION FOR DISTRICT 5; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the general city officers' special election for the City of Castroville was called for May 3, 2025, for the purpose of electing a (1) Council Member for a one (1) year unexpired term; and

WHEREAS, the City Secretary has certified in writing that there is no proposition on the ballot, that no write-in candidate's name is to be placed on a list of write-in candidates for an office, and that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

WHEREAS, the District 5 candidate is unopposed in the election to office; and

WHEREAS, no candidates filed an application for a place on the ballot for District 5; and

WHEREAS, Sec. 2.052 of Subchapter C of Chapter 2 of the Texas Election Code authorizes the City Council to declare the candidate elected to office and cancel the election for District 5 under such circumstances.

NOW THEREFORE: BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CASTROVILLE:

SECTION 1. The following unopposed candidate in the May 3, 2025, Special city officers' election for the City of Castroville is hereby declared elected to office, subject to the taking of the oath as provided by the laws of the State of Texas. Each candidate shall be issued a certificate of election in the same manner as provided for a candidate elected at an election:

Robert Lee Council Member, District 5

SECTION 2. The May 3, 2025, special city officers' election for single-member District 5 for the City of Castroville is hereby canceled in accordance with Subchapter C, Section 2.053 of the Texas Election Code. The City Secretary is directed to post a copy of this ordinance on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and any publication requirements provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this, the _____ day of March 2025.

Darrin Schroeder
Mayor
City of Castroville

ATTEST:

Debra Howe
City Secretary
City of Castroville

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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