

CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS

ORDINANCE No. 2021-

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS, TEXAS, CANVASSING RETURNS AND DECLARING RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON MAY 1, 2021 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR PLACE 1, PLACE 3, AND PLACE 5; AND PROVIDING FOR THE FOLLOWING: ELECTION; CANVASSING THE RETURNS; ELECTION RESULTS; AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE; EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.

WHEREAS, On February 9, 2021 the City of Dripping Springs City Council (“City Council”) ordered that a General Election (“Election”) be held on the 1st day of May 2021 for the purpose of electing three (3) City Council Members; and

WHEREAS, the Election was duly and legally held on May 1, 2021 in conformity with the election laws of the State of Texas, and the results of the Election have been certified and returned by the proper judges and clerks; and

WHEREAS, as appearing from said returns, duly and legally made, that there were 484 votes cast, which are valid legal votes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DRIPPING SPRINGS, TEXAS, THAT:

1. ELECTION

- A.** That the General Election of the City of Dripping Springs, Texas, was held on May 1, 2021 was duly called, that notice of said election was given, that said election was held in accordance with the law.
- B.** The tabulation of vote cast in the General Election held on May 1, 2021 for the purpose of electing three (3) City Council Members, a copy of which is attached as *Attachment “A”* and made part of this ordinance as adopted as the official tabulation of the votes cast at the election, and the tabulation will be filed and recorded in the official records of the City of Dripping Springs, Texas, as the official canvass of the election.

2. CANVASSING THE RETURNS

A. The official canvass of the returns of the election reflects the following:

- 1.** For the positions of three (3) City Council Members, the following candidates received votes as follows:

Place 1	Votes Cast
Taline Manassian	Uncontested, Declared Elected

Place 3	Votes Cast
Geoffrey Tahuahua	227
Charlie Busbey	169

Place 5	Votes Cast
Wm. Travis Crow	148
Sherrie Parks	265

3. ELECTION RESULTS

- A. Appearing from said returns, having received the top three highest votes cast in said elections the following candidates are duly elected as Council Members for the City of Dripping Springs, Texas.

Place 1	Taline Manassian
Place 3	Geoffrey Tahuahua
Place 5	Sherrie Parks

- B. The above named persons hereby are duly elected at said election and shall take their respective offices upon their qualification therefore, as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

4. AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE

The Mayor of the City of Dripping Springs is authorized to execute, and the City Secretary is authorized to attest this Ordinance on behalf of the City Council. The Mayor is further authorized to do all other things legal and necessary in connection with the holding and consummation of the Election.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance is effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

6. PROPER NOTICE & MEETING

A quorum of the City Council was present at the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted. The meeting was open to the public and public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

PASSED & APPROVED this, the 11th day of May 2021, by a vote of _____ (ayes) to _____ (nays) to _____ (abstentions) of the City Council of Dripping Springs, Texas.

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Bill Foulds, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

Andrea Cunningham, City Secretary

Attachment "A"

May 1, 2021 General Election Official Canvass Results