

A RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS REAPPOINTING THE FAIR OAKS RANCH MUNICIPAL COURT PRESIDING AND ALTERNATE JUDGES FOR TWO YEARS BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2025 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2027; AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS; AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF ANY AND ALL APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS BY THE CITY MANAGER TO EFFECTUATE THE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Government Code Chapter 29 states municipal court judges and alternates in a home-rule city are selected under the City Charter provisions relating to appointment of judges, and

WHEREAS, Chapter V Section 5.03 of the City of Fair Oaks Ranch Home Rule Charter mandates the City Council shall appoint, by affirmative vote of a majority of the voting membership of the Council, such as Municipal Judges of the Municipal Court, as may be necessary, and

WHEREAS, the presiding judge and alternate judge agreements expire September 30, 2025, and

WHEREAS, both judges have expressed a desire to continue serving the City in their current roles, and

WHEREAS, the FY2025-26 budget allocates funding for Municipal Court judicial services, and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Fair Oaks Ranch finds continuity in judicial services without disruption to the Fair Oaks Ranch Municipal Court operations is warranted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS:

- Section 1** The City Council hereby reappoints Darrell Dullnig as the Presiding Judge and Frank Dickson as the Alternate Judge to the Fair Oaks Ranch Municipal Court for two years beginning October 1, 2025 and ending September 30, 2027, authorizes the expenditure for judicial services, and authorizes the City Manager to execute any and all applicable documents to effectuate this resolution (**Exhibit A and B**, respectively).
- Section 2.** That the recitals contained in the preamble hereto are hereby found to be true and such recitals are hereby made a part of this resolution for all purposes and are adopted as a part of the judgment and findings of the Council.
- Section3.** If any provision of this resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this resolution and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City Council hereby declares that this resolution would have been enacted without such invalid provision.
- Section 4.** That it is officially found, determined, and declared that the meeting at which this resolution is adopted was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the public business to be considered at such meeting, including this resolution, was given, all as required by Chapter 551, as amended, Texas Government Code.

Section 5. All resolutions or parts thereof, which are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provision of this resolution shall be and remain controlling as to the matters resolved herein.

Section 6. This resolution shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.

Section 7. This resolution shall be in force and effect from and after its final passage, and it is so resolved.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED on this 17th day of July 2025.

Gregory C. Maxton, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Christina Picioccio, TRMC
City Secretary

Denton Navarro Rodriguez Bernal Santee & Zech
P.C., City Attorney