

CITY OF HUTCHINS
RESOLUTION R2024-11-1221
A RESOLUTION CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE
RESULTS OF A BOND ELECTION; AND OTHER MATTERS IN
CONNECTION THEREWITH

WHEREAS, on August 12, 2024 the City Council (the “City Council”) of the City of Hutchins (the “City”) ordered an election to be held on November 5, 2024 (the “Election”) for the purpose of determining whether the resident, qualified voters of the City would authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds by the City; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby found and determined that notice of the election was duly given in the form, manner and time required by law, and said election was in all respects legally held and conducted in accordance with applicable laws of the State of Texas and the proceedings calling and governing the holding of such election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby canvasses the returns of this election, at which there were submitted to all resident, qualified voters of the City for their action thereupon, the following propositions:

MEASURE A

“Shall the City Council of the City of Hutchins, Texas be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the City in the principal amount of \$28,000,000 for permanent public improvements and public purposes, to wit: 1) purchasing, acquiring, constructing, repairing, improving facilities and equipment for recreation and library purposes and 2) all matters necessary or incident related thereto; such bonds to mature serially or otherwise over a period not to exceed forty (40) years from their date, to be issued and sold in one or more series at any price or price
s and to bear interest at any rate or rates (fixed, floating, variable or otherwise) as shall be determined within the discretion of the City Council at the time of issuance or sale of the bonds; and whether ad valorem taxes shall be levied upon all taxable property in the City sufficient to pay the annual interest and provide a sinking fund to pay the bonds at maturity?”

and

WHEREAS, the City Council has diligently inquired into the poll lists and the official election returns election returns which were duly and lawfully made to the City Council by the judges and clerks holding and conducting such election; the poll lists and the official election returns showing separately the votes cast in the election; and

WHEREAS, from these returns, this City Council hereby finds that the following votes were cast in the election by voters who were resident, qualified voters of the City:

PROPOSITION A

“THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$28,000,000 FOR RECREATION AND LIBRARY PURPOSES RELATED TO ONE SINGLE BUILDING AND ALL MATTERS NECESSARY OR INCIDENT RELATED THERETO AND THE IMPOSITION OF TAXES SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS.”

	<u>For</u>	<u>Against</u>
Early Votes	620	259
Mail Votes	13	2
Election Day Votes	189	93
Provisional Votes	0	0
TOTAL	822	354

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

SECTION 1: The City Council officially finds, determines, and declares that the election was duly and properly ordered, that proper legal notice of such election was duly given in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese (to the extent required by law), that proper election officers were duly appointed prior to the election, that the election was duly and legally held, that all resident, qualified voters of the City were permitted to vote at the election, that due returns of the results of the election had been made and delivered, and that the City Council has duly canvassed such returns, all in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and of the United States of America, and the order calling the election.

SECTION 2: A MAJORITY of the resident, qualified voters of the City of Hutchins, Texas voting in such election, having voted FOR the authorization and issuance of \$28,000,000 general obligation bonds and the levy and pledge of the tax in payment thereof as provided in Proposition A, the City Council hereby finds and determines that Proposition A carried at the election, that the election was duly called, that proper notice was given, and that the election was held in all aspects in conformity with the law, and that the City Council is hereby accordingly authorized to issue the bonds and to levy the tax in accordance with the authority granted in the Proposition and with law.

SECTION 3: The recitals contained in the preamble hereof 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 City Council.

SECTION 4: All orders and 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 provisions of this Resolution shall be and remain controlling as to the matters resolved herein.

SECTION 5: This Resolution shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.

SECTION 6: 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 7: 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 8: This Resolution shall be in force and effect from and after its final passage and it is so resolved.

PASSED AND APPROVED on November 18, 2024.

Mario Vasquez, Mayor
City of Hutchins, Texas

ATTEST:

Cynthia Olguin, City Secretary
City of Hutchins, Texas

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