

ORDINANCE 26-540

**AN ORDINANCE CANVASSING THE ELECTION RETURNS AND
DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE MAY 2, 2026, GENERAL
ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING COUNCIL
MEMBER POSITION 1, COUNCIL MEMBER POSITION 4 AND
COUNCIL MEMBER POSITION 5**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Richwood, Texas (the “City”) ordered an election to be held in the City on May 2, 2026, for the purpose of electing a Council Members to Position 1, 4 and 5 for a term of two (2) years; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City (the “Council”) has investigated all matters pertaining to said election, including the ordering, giving notice, officers, holding, and making returns of said election; and

WHEREAS, the election officers who held said election have duly made the returns of the result thereof, and the returns have been duly delivered to the Council;

WHEREAS, the City Council officially finds and determines that the following votes were cast at said election for the Position Council Member Position 1, Council Member Position 4, and Council Member Position Number 5:

Council, Position 1				
Choice Party	Absentee	Early Voting	Election Day	Total
Randy Ryle	6	48	38	92

Council, Position 4				
Choice Party	Absentee	Early Voting	Election Day	Total
Kai York	0	44	33	77
William J. Yearsin	6	10	8	24

Council, Position 5				
Choice Party	Absentee	Early Voting	Election Day	Total
Stephen Scot Mayer	6	48	37	91

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

1. The City Council officially finds and determines that said election was duly ordered; proper notice

of said election was duly given; proper election officers were duly appointed prior to said election; said election was duly held; the City has complied with applicable law including the Texas Election Code; due returns of the result of said election have been made and delivered; and the Council has duly canvassed said returns, all in accordance with law and the Ordinance calling said election.

2. The City Council officially finds and determines that the following persons are hereby elected to their respective offices of the positions of Mayor, Council Position 2 and Council Position 3 by the resident, qualified electors of the City, who voted at the election:

Position	Elected Official
Council, Position 1	Randy Ryle
Council, Position 4	Kai York
Council, Position 5	Stephen Scot Mayer

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Council of the City of Richwood on the 11th day of May 2026.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Secretary