



Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department: City Secretary
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Account Code: _____

Subject

Consider, and act upon, Resolution No. 2021-25(R) authorizing the City Manager to execute a Joint General and Special Election Services Contract between the City of Wylie and the Rockwall County Elections Administrator to be administered by the Rockwall County Elections Administrator for the November 2, 2021 Wylie Special Election.

Recommendation

Motion to approve Item as presented.

Discussion

By the terms of this agreement, the City of Wylie and jurisdictions contracting with Rockwall County Elections Administration do hereby agree, pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Election Code, to hold a joint election for the Special Election to be held on Tuesday, November 2, 2021. The entities will contract with the Rockwall County Elections Administrator to perform various duties and responsibilities on behalf of the entities. The contract presented has specified duties and costs to administer the election. This agreement, once executed, will formalize the joint General and Special Elections for November 2, 2021 between the entities and approve the shared cost for the Special Election.

Article 2, Section I(c) of the Home Rule Charter allows the Council to cooperate with the government of any County for any lawful purpose for the advancement of the interests of its inhabitants and cost savings to the taxpayers. The Election Code allows and encourages cities to contract with any county within its incorporated city limits for the administration of local elections.

Rockwall County Elections Administrator Christopher Lynch will administer the election for registered voters residing in the incorporated City limits of Wylie within Rockwall County.

Financial Summary/Strategic Goals

Community Focused Government