

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-27

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WYLIE, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE ELECTION RETURNS OF THE MAY 1, 2021 GENERAL ELECTION; DECLARING THE ELECTION RESULTS FOR CITY COUNCIL PLACE 2 AND PLACE 4; AND PROVIDING A SAVINGS/REPEALING CLAUSE, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Wylie, Texas ("City Council") duly authorized and ordered a general election to be held within the City of Wylie, Texas ("City"), on May 1, 2021 ("Election"), for the purpose of electing two members of the City Council, Place 2 and Place 4, for a full term; and

WHEREAS, the Collin County Elections Administrator administered the Election for Collin County voters, and the City administered the Election for Rockwall County and Dallas County voters; and

WHEREAS, the Collin County Elections Administrator and the City Election Administrator have made the return of the Election results and delivered them to the City Council in the time and manner required by law; and

WHEREAS, Election returns lawfully submitted to the City Council and filed with the City Secretary are set forth in Exhibit A and incorporated herein for all purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the Election was duly called; that notice of the Election was given in accordance with the law and City Charter; that the Election was held in accordance with the law and City Charter; that the Election returns were duly and legally made and delivered; and that there were cast at the Election valid and legal votes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds and declares that the meeting at which this Ordinance is considered is open to the public as required by law, and that the public notice of the time, place and purpose of the meeting was given as required by Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, having canvassed the combined early voting and Election Day accumulated totals, finds that the votes cast result in the following:

City Council, Place 2

Dave Strang received 1,493 or 100% of the votes cast.

City Council, Place 4

Scott Williams received 1,403 or 50.63% of the votes cast.

Raymond Perry received 299 or 10.79% of the votes cast.

Mary Harris received 1,069 or 38.58% of the votes cast.

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

SECTION 1: Findings Incorporated. The findings set forth above are incorporated into the body of this Ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2: Election Results. The Election returns as set forth herein are declared to be official. Accordingly, Dave Strang is hereby declared elected to City Council Place 2 and Scott Williams is hereby declared elected to City Council Place 4.

SECTION 3: Approval of Elections Results. The City Council hereby finds and determines, as a result of the canvass held on May 11, 2021, that a combined Election Day and early voting total of 2,787 votes were cast in the Election, with 1,737 early votes cast, as indicated by the poll list for the Election held on May 1, 2021. It is hereby declared that the City approves and accepts the results of the Election for City Council Place 2 and Place 4 as set forth in the returns attached hereto as Exhibit A, as determined by the majority vote of the qualified voters of the City.

SECTION 4: Severability. Should any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional and/or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is expressly provided that any and all remaining portions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect. Wylie hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause and phrase thereof regardless of whether any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases may be declared unconstitutional and/or invalid.

SECTION 5: Savings/Repealing. All provisions of any ordinance in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent they are in conflict. Any remaining portion of conflicting ordinances shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6: Effective Date. This Ordinance and shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED, by the City Council of the City of Wylie, Texas on this 11th day of May 2021.

Matthew Porter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Stephanie Storm, City Secretary

Exhibit A
Certified Election Returns

[22 pages attached hereto]