



Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department: City Secretary
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Account Code: _____

Subject

Consider, and act upon, Resolution No. 2024-11(R), amending Resolution No. 2024-05(R) authorizing the City Manager to execute an amended Joint General and Special Election Services Contract between the City of Wylie and the Dallas County Elections Administrator to be administered by the Dallas County Elections Administrator for the May 4, 2024 Wylie General Election.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the Item as presented.

Discussion

The City Council approved Resolution No. 2024-05(R) on February 13, 2024 authorizing the City Manager to execute a Joint General and Special Election Services Contract with Dallas County Elections Administrator for the May 4, 2024 election. Since that time, Dallas County amended the agreement; therefore, staff is bringing back the final agreement for your consideration. The City Attorney's Office has reviewed the amended agreement and has no objections.

By the terms of this agreement, the City of Wylie and jurisdictions contracting with Dallas County Elections Administration do hereby agree, pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Election Code, to hold a joint election for the General Election to be held on Saturday, May 4, 2024. The entities will contract with the Dallas 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 Elections for May 4, 2024 between the entities and approve the shared cost for the 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.

Dallas County Elections Administrator Heider Garcia will administer the election for registered voters residing in the incorporated City limits of Wylie within Dallas County.