

RESOLUTION NO. 10-21

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WESTON LAKES, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR THE HOLDING OF A GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A MAYOR AND TWO (2) ALDERMEN; AND PROVIDING DETAILS RELATING TO THE HOLDING OF SUCH ELECTION.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTON LAKES, TEXAS:

Section 1. A General Municipal Election is hereby called and ordered for November 2, 2021, at which election all qualified voters of the City may vote for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two (2) Aldermen.

Section 2. No person’s name shall be placed upon the official ballot as a candidate for any of the referenced positions unless that person shall have filed his or her written, signed, and sworn application with the City Secretary of the City at 8045 FM 359, Ste 200 Fulshear, Texas. 77441, not later than 5:00 p.m. on August 16, 2021, the 78th day before the date of such election, as provided by Sections 141.031 and 143.007(c) of the Texas Election Code (the “Election Code”). The City Secretary shall note on the face of each application the date and time of its filing. All applications shall include a clear reference to the office the candidate is seeking.

Section 3. The present boundaries of the City shall constitute one election precinct. The polls shall be open on Monday October 18, 2021, for voting from seven o’clock (7:00) a.m. until seven o’clock (7:00) p.m. at the following polling place:

Main Early Voting Site
Fort Bend County Rosenberg Annex
4520 Reading Rd.
Rosenberg, Tx. 77471

ELECTION OFFICERS

The Presiding Judge and alternate judges will be appointed pursuant to the agreement to conduct elections between Fort Bend County.

Section 4. Early voting will be conducted at the locations and during the times set forth in the agreement to conduct elections between Fort Bend County and the City.

Section 5. A direct recording electronic voting machine shall be used for early voting and voting on Election Day, in accordance with the Texas Election Code. All expenditures necessary for the conduct of the election, the purchase of materials, and the employment of all election officials is hereby authorized.

Section 6. A central counting station will be established in accordance with the conduct of elections agreement with Fort Bend County.

Section 7. The order in which the names of the candidates are to be printed on the ballot shall be determined by a drawing by the City Secretary, as provided by Section 52.094 of the Texas Election Code. The City Secretary shall post a notice in her office of the date, hour, and place of drawing. Such notice shall remain posted continuously for seventy-two (72) hours immediately preceding the scheduled time of the drawing, and personal notice shall also be given to any candidate who makes written request for such notice and furnishes to the City Secretary a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Each candidate involved in the drawing, or a representative designated by him, shall have a right to be present and observe the drawing.

Section 8. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes for a position to be filled at the election shall be declared elected to that position.

Section 9. Notice of this election shall be given in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Election Code and returns of such election shall be made as provided for in said Code. The Mayor is authorized to issue all necessary orders and writs for such election.

Section 10. Said election shall be held in accordance with the Texas Election Code and the Federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended.

Section 11. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with the Fort Bend County Elections Administrator for election services.

Section 12. The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to furnish all necessary election supplies to conduct such election.

Section 13. The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to provide a copy of this Resolution to each judge as written notice of the appointment as required by Section 32.009 of the Texas Election Code.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this _____ day of July 2021.

Ramona Neal, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jenni McJunkin, City Secretary