

RESOLUTION NO. 081120R

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF POST OAK BEND, TEXAS, CALLING FOR A GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2020 PURSUANT TO TEXAS GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT'S PROCLAMATION SUSPENDING THE ELECTION CODE AND THE TEXAS COVID-19 DISASTER DECLARATION ALLOWING FOR THE POSTPONEMENT OF THE MAY 2, 2020 GENERAL ELECTION UNTIL THE NEXT UNIFORM ELECTION DATE, THAT BEING NOVEMBER 3, 2020; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020, pursuant to Section 418.016 of the Texas Government Code, the Governor issued a proclamation suspending certain provisions of the Texas Election Code and the Texas Water Code to allow all local political subdivisions that are utilizing the May 2, 2020 uniform election date to postpone their election to the November 3, 2020 uniform election date.

WHEREAS, the City of Post Oak Bend, Texas is a General Law A city, acting under the Texas Local Government Code Chapter 9; and

WHEREAS, the postponed May 2, 2020 general election for City Council members of the City of Post Oak Bend pursuant to the governor's proclamation will be held on November 3, 2020 at which time the voters will election persons to fill the offices of three City Council At-Large places: and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Ordinance 14 , Texas Governor Abbott's ruling to allow postponement of May elections to November 3, 2020 election date, the offices of City Council members which are normally two-year terms, will now be one-and-one-half year terms; and

WHEREAS, the election will be held and conducted under the authority of Chapter 271 of the Texas Election Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF POST OAK BEND, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. General Election Called. An election is hereby called to elect the offices of three at-large City Council Members to serve from November 2020 until June 2022 or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. The General Election shall be now be held on November 3, 2020 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. at the City Hall.

Section 2. Governing Law and Qualified Voters. The election shall be held in accordance with the Constitution of the State of Texas and the Code and all resident qualified voters of the City shall be eligible to vote at the election.

Section 3. Publication and Posting of Notice of Election. Notice of the election shall be given as required by Chapter 4 of the Code.

Section 4. Necessary Actions. The Mayor and the City Secretary of the City, in consultation with the City Attorney, are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all actions necessary to comply with the provisions of the Code in carrying out and conducting the election, whether or not expressly authorized herein.

Section 5. **Effective Date.** This resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 11TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2020.

City of Post Oak Bend

Hank Warden, Mayor

ATTEST:

Barbara Bedrick, City Secretary