

ORDINANCE NO. 14

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF POST OAK BEND, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR TWO YEAR STAGGERED TERMS OF OFFICE FOR THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, PROVIDING TRANSITION REQUIREMENTS; PROVIDING FOR DRAWING LOTS FOR TERMS OF OFFICE AND PLACE NUMBERS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF POST OAK BEND, TEXAS:

Section 1. In lieu of one-year terms of office, the Board of Aldermen shall serve two year staggered terms of office. The Board of Alderman shall transition to two year staggered terms in the manner provided herein.

Section 2. The current Mayor and Board of Aldermen shall serve in such capacities until the next regular municipal election date occurring after one year after the date of their election or until their successors are duly elected and qualify. The Board of Aldermen hereby finds that it is in the best interest of the City to establish the uniform election date in May for the regular municipal officer election. At the first meeting of the Board of Alderman following the annual municipal election held in May, 2002, the five Aldermen shall draw lots to determine which Alderman shall serve two year terms and which Aldermen shall serve one year terms. The Mayor and two Aldermen shall serve for terms of two years beginning in May, 2003, and the other three Aldermen shall serve for one year terms beginning in May, 2003.

Section 3. The places on the Board of Aldermen shall be designated as places one, two, three, four and five. At the drawing of lots, the City Secretary shall provide five slips of paper, numbered one, two, three, four and five. Each Alderman drawing a slip of paper shall be deemed to be filling the place whose number corresponds with the number on the slip drawn.

Section 4. The Mayor, and the Aldermen drawing numbers one and two, who will hold places one and two, will serve two year terms effective May, 2003, and such places shall thereafter, be elected for two year terms of office. The Aldermen drawing numbers (places) three, four, and five will serve one year terms of office effective May, 2003, and thereafter, commencing in May, 2004, will be elected for two year terms.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of POST OAK BEND, Texas, on the 3rd day of December, 2002.

APPROVED:

Wayne R. Kelly
Mayor

ATTEST:

S. A. S. Demashe
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY